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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1863

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 1863, AS AMENDED,  
3 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the  
4 following:

5 "Article 3.

6 Section 3-1. Short title. This Article may be cited as the  
7 Boards and Commissions Review Act. References in this Article  
8 to "this Act" mean this Article.

9 Section 3-5. Definitions. As used in this Act:

10 "Appointing authority" means the person or entity  
11 authorized or required by the Illinois Constitution, a  
12 statute, or an executive order of the Governor to appoint a  
13 majority of the appointed members of a board.

14 "Board" means a board, commission, task force, or other  
15 body that is authorized or created by the Illinois

1 Constitution, a statute, or an executive order of the Governor  
2 and to which an appointing authority is authorized or required  
3 to appoint one or more members.

4 Section 3-10. Review and report.

5 (a) During odd-numbered years, beginning in 2027, an  
6 appointing authority may review the activity of any board to  
7 which the appointing authority is authorized or required to  
8 appoint a majority of the members to determine whether the  
9 board has conducted business or held meetings in the prior 2  
10 years, has been abolished by executive order, or has submitted  
11 a final statutory report. Based on the findings of its review,  
12 the appointing authority shall consider whether to submit a  
13 report to the General Assembly recommending abolition of the  
14 board.

15 (b) On or before December 31 of each odd-numbered year,  
16 beginning in 2027, an appointing authority may submit a report  
17 to the General Assembly and the Legislative Reference Bureau  
18 that recommends the abolition of one or more boards to which  
19 the appointing authority is authorized or required to make  
20 appointments and that sets forth the basis for each of its  
21 recommendations. A report of an appointing authority under  
22 this subsection (b) shall not recommend for abolition any  
23 board that was authorized or created during the 2-year period  
24 immediately before the report's submittal.

25 (c) A board that is recommended for abolition by an

1 appointing authority shall be considered inactive upon  
2 submission of the report recommending its abolition to the  
3 General Assembly. In an even-numbered year following the  
4 report, the Legislative Reference Bureau shall draft a  
5 revisory bill that (i) proposes the repeal of the boards found  
6 by appointing authorities in the immediately preceding year to  
7 be inactive and (ii) makes all other conforming changes that  
8 the Bureau deems necessary to provide for the repeal of those  
9 boards and their powers and duties. The Bureau shall provide  
10 copies of the revisory bill required under this subsection to  
11 each legislative leader of the General Assembly.

12 Article 5.

13 Section 5-10. The State Agency Web Site Act is amended by  
14 changing Section 10 as follows:

15 (5 ILCS 177/10)

16 Sec. 10. Cookies and other invasive tracking programs.

17 (a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (b), State  
18 agency Web sites may not use permanent cookies or any other  
19 invasive tracking programs that monitor and track Web site  
20 viewing habits; however, a State agency Web site may use  
21 transactional cookies that facilitate business transactions.

22 (b) Permanent cookies used by State agency Web sites may  
23 be exempt from the prohibition in subsection (a) if they meet

1 the following criteria:

2 (1) The use of permanent cookies adds value to the  
3 user otherwise not available;

4 (2) The permanent cookies are not used to monitor and  
5 track web site viewing habits unless all types of  
6 information collected and the State's use of that  
7 information add user value and are disclosed through a  
8 comprehensive online privacy statement.

9 ~~The Internet Privacy Task Force established under Section 15~~  
10 ~~shall define the exemption and limitations of this subsection~~  
11 ~~(b) in practice.~~

12 (Source: P.A. 93-117, eff. 1-1-04.)

13 (5 ILCS 177/15 rep.)

14 Section 5-15. The State Agency Web Site Act is amended by  
15 repealing Section 15.

16 Section 5-18. The Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
17 amended by changing Section 5-525 as follows:

18 (20 ILCS 5/5-525) (was 20 ILCS 5/6.01)

19 Sec. 5-525. In the Department of Agriculture.

20 (a) (Blank).

21 (b) An Advisory Board of Livestock Commissioners to  
22 consist of 25 persons. The Board shall consist of the  
23 administrator of animal disease programs, the Dean of the

1 College of Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences  
2 of the University of Illinois, the Dean of the College of  
3 Veterinary Medicine of the University of Illinois, and,  
4 commencing on January 1, 1990, the Deans or Chairmen of the  
5 Colleges or Departments of Agriculture of Illinois State  
6 University, Southern Illinois University, and Western Illinois  
7 University in that order who shall each serve for 1 year terms,  
8 provided that, commencing on January 1, 1993, such terms shall  
9 be for 2 years in the same order, the Director of Public  
10 Health, the Director of Natural Resources, the Chairperson of  
11 the Agriculture and Conservation Committee of the Senate, and  
12 the Chairperson of the Agriculture & Conservation Committee of  
13 the House of Representatives, who shall be ex officio  
14 ~~ex officio~~ members of the Board, and 16 ~~17~~ additional persons,  
15 appointed by the Governor to serve at the Governor's pleasure,  
16 who are interested in the well-being of domestic animals and  
17 poultry and in the prevention, elimination, and control of  
18 diseases affecting them. Of the 16 ~~17~~ additional persons, one  
19 shall be a representative of breeders of beef cattle, one  
20 shall be a representative of breeders of dairy cattle, ~~one~~  
21 ~~shall be a representative of breeders of dual purpose cattle,~~  
22 one shall be a representative of breeders of swine, one shall  
23 be a representative of poultry breeders, one shall be a  
24 representative of small ruminant ~~sheep~~ breeders, one shall be  
25 a veterinarian licensed in this State, one shall be a  
26 representative of general or diversified farming, one shall be

1 a representative of deer or elk breeders, ~~one shall be a~~  
2 ~~representative of livestock auction markets,~~ one shall be a  
3 representative of cattle feeders, one shall be a  
4 representative of pork producers, one shall be a  
5 representative of the State licensed meat packers, one shall  
6 be a representative of canine breeders, one shall be a  
7 representative of equine breeders, one shall be a  
8 representative of licensed animal shelters, one shall be a  
9 representative of licensed animal control officers ~~the~~  
10 ~~Illinois licensed renderers,~~ and one shall be a representative  
11 of livestock auction markets or livestock dealers. An  
12 appointed member's office becomes vacant upon the member's  
13 absence from 3 consecutive meetings. Appointments made by the  
14 Governor after the effective date of this amendatory Act of  
15 the 96th General Assembly shall be for a term of 5 years. The  
16 members of the Board shall receive no compensation but shall  
17 be reimbursed for expenses necessarily incurred in the  
18 performance of their duties. In the appointment of the  
19 Advisory Board of Livestock Commissioners, the Governor shall  
20 consult with representative persons and recognized  
21 organizations in the respective fields concerning the  
22 appointments.

23 Rules and regulations of the Department of Agriculture  
24 pertaining to the well-being of domestic animals and poultry  
25 and the prevention, elimination, and control of diseases  
26 affecting them shall be submitted to the Advisory Board of

1 Livestock Commissioners for approval at its duly called  
2 meeting. The chairperson of the Board shall certify the  
3 official minutes of the Board's action and shall file the  
4 certified minutes with the Department of Agriculture within 30  
5 days after the proposed rules and regulations are submitted  
6 and before they are promulgated and made effective. In the  
7 event it is deemed desirable, the Board may hold hearings upon  
8 the rules and regulations or proposed revisions. The Board  
9 members shall be familiar with the Acts relating to the  
10 well-being of domestic animals and poultry and to the  
11 prevention, elimination, and control of diseases affecting  
12 them. The Department shall, upon the request of a Board  
13 member, advise the Board concerning the administration of the  
14 respective Acts.

15 The Director of Agriculture or his or her representative  
16 from the Department shall act as chairperson of the Board. The  
17 Director shall call annual meetings of the Board and may call  
18 other meetings of the Board as deemed necessary. A quorum of  
19 appointed members must be present to convene an official  
20 meeting. The chairperson and ex officio ~~ex officio~~ members  
21 shall not be included in a quorum call. Ex officio ~~Ex officio~~  
22 members may be represented by a duly authorized representative  
23 from their department, division, college, or committee;  
24 however, that representative may not exercise the voting  
25 privileges of the ex officio ~~ex officio~~ member. Appointed  
26 members shall not be represented at a meeting by another

1 person. Ex officio ~~Ex-officio~~ members and appointed members  
2 shall have the right to vote on all proposed rules and  
3 regulations; voting that in effect would pertain to approving  
4 rules and regulations shall be taken by an oral roll call. No  
5 member shall vote by proxy. The chairman shall not vote except  
6 in the case of a tie vote. Any ex officio ~~ex-officio~~ or  
7 appointed member may ask for and shall receive an oral roll  
8 call on any motion before the Board. The Department shall  
9 provide a clerk to take minutes of the meetings and record  
10 transactions of the Board. The Board, by oral roll call, may  
11 require an official court reporter to record the minutes of  
12 the meetings.

13 (Source: P.A. 100-841, eff. 8-14-18.)

14 (20 ILCS 5/5-570 rep.)

15 Section 5-19. The Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
16 amended by repealing Section 5-570.

17 (20 ILCS 405/405-130 rep.)

18 Section 5-20. The Department of Central Management  
19 Services Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
20 amended by repealing Section 405-130.

21 Section 5-25. The Department of Commerce and Economic  
22 Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois  
23 is amended by changing Sections 605-300, 605-600, 605-707, and

1 605-855 as follows:

2 (20 ILCS 605/605-300) (was 20 ILCS 605/46.2)

3 Sec. 605-300. Economic ~~and business~~ development plans,  
4 ~~Illinois Business Development Council. Economic development~~  
5 ~~plans.~~ The Department shall develop a strategic economic  
6 development plan for the State by July 1, 2014. By no later  
7 than July 1, 2015, and by July 1 annually thereafter, the  
8 Department shall make modifications to the plan as  
9 modifications are warranted by changes in economic conditions  
10 or by other factors, including changes in policy. In addition  
11 to the annual modification, the plan shall be reviewed and  
12 redeveloped in full every 5 years. In the development of the  
13 annual economic development plan, the Department shall consult  
14 with representatives of the private sector, other State  
15 agencies, academic institutions, local economic development  
16 organizations, local governments, and not-for-profit  
17 organizations. The annual economic development plan shall set  
18 specific, measurable, attainable, relevant, and time-sensitive  
19 goals and shall include a focus on areas of high unemployment  
20 or poverty.

21 The term "economic development" shall be construed broadly  
22 by the Department and may include, but is not limited to, job  
23 creation, job retention, tax base enhancements, development of  
24 human capital, workforce productivity, critical  
25 infrastructure, regional competitiveness, social inclusion,

1 standard of living, environmental sustainability, energy  
2 independence, quality of life, the effective use of financial  
3 incentives, the utilization of public private partnerships  
4 where appropriate, and other metrics determined by the  
5 Department.

6 The plan shall be based on relevant economic data, focus  
7 on economic development as prescribed by this Section, and  
8 emphasize strategies to retain and create jobs.

9 The plan shall identify and develop specific strategies  
10 for utilizing the assets of regions within the State defined  
11 as counties and municipalities or other political subdivisions  
12 in close geographical proximity that share common economic  
13 traits such as commuting zones, labor market areas, or other  
14 economically integrated characteristics.

15 If the plan includes strategies that have a fiscal impact  
16 on the Department or any other agency, the plan shall include a  
17 detailed description of the estimated fiscal impact of such  
18 strategies.

19 Prior to publishing the plan in its final form, the  
20 Department shall allow for a reasonable time for public input.

21 The Department shall transmit copies of the economic  
22 development plan to the Governor and the General Assembly no  
23 later than July 1, 2014, and by July 1 annually thereafter. The  
24 plan and its corresponding modifications shall be published  
25 and made available to the public in both paper and electronic  
26 media, on the Department's website, and by any other method

1 that the Department deems appropriate.

2 The Department shall annually submit legislation to  
3 implement the strategic economic development plan or  
4 modifications to the strategic economic development plan to  
5 the Governor, the President and Minority Leader of the Senate,  
6 and the Speaker and the Minority Leader of the House of  
7 Representatives. The legislation shall be in the form of one  
8 or more substantive bills drafted by the Legislative Reference  
9 Bureau.

10 (Source: P.A. 102-1071, eff. 6-10-22.)

11 (20 ILCS 605/605-600) (was 20 ILCS 605/46.19f)

12 Sec. 605-600. Buy Illinois Program. The Department shall  
13 have the authority to establish and administer a Buy Illinois  
14 Program, which may include, but is not limited to, the  
15 following powers and duties:

16 (1) To accept grants, loans, or appropriations from the  
17 federal government or the State or any agency or  
18 instrumentality thereof, and to assess fees for any services  
19 performed under the Buy Illinois Program, to carry out the  
20 program.

21 (2) To form a Buy Illinois Council, made up of Illinois  
22 large firms and small firms, to provide advice and counsel in  
23 directing a statewide program.

24 (3) To publicize and advertise to Illinois firms and  
25 government agencies the importance and benefits of buying

1 goods and services provided by vendors located within the  
2 State.

3 (4) To secure the cooperation of Illinois' large firms,  
4 federal, State and local governments, non-profit agencies,  
5 international organizations, and others to carry out this  
6 program.

7 (5) To match the needs for products and services by  
8 business firms and government agencies with the capabilities  
9 of small Illinois firms that can provide those needed goods  
10 and services.

11 (6) To hold purchasing agent seminars, fairs, conferences  
12 and workshops to aid small Illinois businesses in obtaining  
13 contracts for goods and services from larger firms and  
14 government agencies within the State.

15 (7) To assist business firms and government agencies to  
16 analyze their buying activities and to find ways to carry out  
17 those activities in an effective and economical manner, while  
18 promoting subcontract activity with small Illinois firms.

19 (8) To establish manual and electronic buying directories,  
20 including stand alone computer data bases that list qualified  
21 vendors and procurement opportunities.

22 (9) To promote through other means the use by  
23 international agencies, government agencies, and larger  
24 businesses of products and services produced by small Illinois  
25 firms.

26 (10) To subcontract, grant funds, or otherwise participate

1 with qualified private firms, existing procurement centers, or  
2 other organizations that have designed programs approved in  
3 accordance with procedures determined by the Department, that  
4 are aimed at assisting small Illinois firms in obtaining  
5 contracts for products and services from local government  
6 agencies and larger Illinois businesses.

7 (11) To develop and administer guidelines for projects  
8 that provide assistance to the Department in connection with  
9 the Buy Illinois Program.

10 ~~(12) To form the Illinois Food Systems Policy Council to~~  
11 ~~develop policies around food access and security, improve~~  
12 ~~individual health and well-being, promote economic incentives~~  
13 ~~for Illinois farmers, agri-businesses, and other private~~  
14 ~~enterprises, and encourage public/private partnerships around~~  
15 ~~healthy food options. Membership on the Council shall include~~  
16 ~~the Director or Secretary, or his or her designee, of the~~  
17 ~~Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, the~~  
18 ~~Department of Human Services, the Department of Public Health,~~  
19 ~~the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Natural~~  
20 ~~Resources, the Department of Central Management Services, the~~  
21 ~~State Board of Education, and the Food Nutrition and Education~~  
22 ~~Program. The Council shall consult with farmers and farm~~  
23 ~~associations, businesses and business associations, including~~  
24 ~~agri-businesses and food processing businesses, and community~~  
25 ~~based organizations, including those working on food access,~~  
26 ~~security, and delivery and on obesity prevention.~~

1 ~~Administration of the Council and its functions shall be~~  
2 ~~shared among the Council members pursuant to an interagency~~  
3 ~~agreement from funds appropriated for this purpose or from~~  
4 ~~existing funds within the budgets of the Council's members.~~  
5 ~~The Council may submit, in consultation and collaboration with~~  
6 ~~the associations, businesses, organizations, and entities~~  
7 ~~listed in this Section, an annual report to the General~~  
8 ~~Assembly describing the Council's work, which may include~~  
9 ~~performance indicators to measure the impact of policies and~~  
10 ~~practices adopted by the Council.~~

11 (Source: P.A. 94-77, eff. 1-1-06.)

12 (20 ILCS 605/605-707) (was 20 ILCS 605/46.6d)

13 Sec. 605-707. International Tourism Program.

14 (a) The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity  
15 must establish a program for international tourism. The  
16 Department shall develop and implement the program on January  
17 1, 2000 by rule. As part of the program, the Department may  
18 work in cooperation with local convention and tourism bureaus  
19 in Illinois in the coordination of international tourism  
20 efforts at the State and local level. The Department may (i)  
21 work in cooperation with local convention and tourism bureaus  
22 for efficient use of their international tourism marketing  
23 resources, (ii) promote Illinois in international meetings and  
24 tourism markets, (iii) work with convention and tourism  
25 bureaus throughout the State to increase the number of

1 international tourists to Illinois, (iv) provide training,  
2 research, technical support, and grants to certified  
3 convention and tourism bureaus, (v) provide staff,  
4 administration, and related support required to manage the  
5 programs under this Section, and (vi) provide grants for the  
6 development of or the enhancement of international tourism  
7 attractions.

8 (b) The Department shall make grants for expenses related  
9 to international tourism and pay for the staffing,  
10 administration, and related support from the International  
11 Tourism Fund, a special fund created in the State Treasury. Of  
12 the amounts deposited into the Fund in fiscal year 2000 after  
13 January 1, 2000 through fiscal year 2011, 55% shall be used for  
14 grants to convention and tourism bureaus in Chicago (other  
15 than the City of Chicago's Office of Tourism) and 45% shall be  
16 used for development of international tourism in areas outside  
17 of Chicago. Of the amounts deposited into the Fund in fiscal  
18 year 2001 and thereafter, 55% shall be used for grants to  
19 convention and tourism bureaus in Chicago, and of that amount  
20 not less than 27.5% shall be used for grants to convention and  
21 tourism bureaus in Chicago other than the City of Chicago's  
22 Office of Tourism, and 45% shall be used for administrative  
23 expenses and grants authorized under this Section and  
24 development of international tourism in areas outside of  
25 Chicago, of which not less than \$1,000,000 shall be used  
26 annually to make grants to convention and tourism bureaus in

1 cities other than Chicago that demonstrate their international  
2 tourism appeal and request to develop or expand their  
3 international tourism marketing program, and may also be used  
4 to provide grants under item (vi) of subsection (a) of this  
5 Section. All of the amounts deposited into the Fund in fiscal  
6 year 2012 and thereafter shall be used for administrative  
7 expenses and grants authorized under this Section and  
8 development of international tourism in areas outside of  
9 Chicago, of which not less than \$1,000,000 shall be used  
10 annually to make grants to convention and tourism bureaus in  
11 cities other than Chicago that demonstrate their international  
12 tourism appeal and request to develop or expand their  
13 international tourism marketing program, and may also be used  
14 to provide grants under item (vi) of subsection (a) of this  
15 Section. Amounts appropriated to the State Comptroller for  
16 administrative expenses ~~and grants authorized by the Illinois~~  
17 ~~Global Partnership Act~~ are payable from the International  
18 Tourism Fund. For Fiscal Years 2021 and 2022 only, the  
19 administrative expenses by the Department and the grants to  
20 convention and visitors bureaus outside the City of Chicago  
21 may be expended for the general purposes of promoting  
22 conventions and tourism.

23 (c) A convention and tourism bureau is eligible to receive  
24 grant moneys under this Section if the bureau is certified to  
25 receive funds under Title 14 of the Illinois Administrative  
26 Code, Section 550.35. To be eligible for a grant, a convention

1 and tourism bureau must provide matching funds equal to the  
2 grant amount. The Department shall require that any convention  
3 and tourism bureau receiving a grant under this Section that  
4 requires matching funds shall provide matching funds equal to  
5 no less than 50% of the grant amount. In certain circumstances  
6 as determined by the Director of Commerce and Economic  
7 Opportunity, however, the City of Chicago's Office of Tourism  
8 or any other convention and tourism bureau may provide  
9 matching funds equal to no less than 50% of the grant amount to  
10 be eligible to receive the grant. One-half of this 50% may be  
11 provided through in-kind contributions. Grants received by the  
12 City of Chicago's Office of Tourism and by convention and  
13 tourism bureaus in Chicago may be expended for the general  
14 purposes of promoting conventions and tourism.

15 (Source: P.A. 101-636, eff. 6-10-20; 102-16, eff. 6-17-21.)

16 (20 ILCS 605/605-855) (was 20 ILCS 605/46.32a in part)

17 Sec. 605-855. Grants to local coalitions and  
18 labor-management-community committees.

19 (a) The Director, ~~with the advice of the~~  
20 ~~Labor Management Community Cooperation Committee,~~ shall have  
21 the authority to provide grants to employee coalitions or  
22 other coalitions that enhance or promote work and family  
23 programs and address specific community concerns, and to  
24 provide matching grants, grants, and other resources to  
25 establish or assist area labor-management-community committees

1 and other projects that serve to enhance  
2 labor-management-community relations. The Department shall  
3 have the authority, with the advice of the  
4 Labor-Management-Community Cooperation Committee, to award  
5 grants or matching grants in the areas provided in subsections  
6 (b) through (g).

7 (b) Matching grants to existing local  
8 labor-management-community committees. To be eligible for  
9 matching grants pursuant to this subsection, local  
10 labor-management-community committees shall meet all of the  
11 following criteria:

12 (1) Be a formal, not-for-profit organization  
13 structured for continuing service with voluntary  
14 membership.

15 (2) Be composed of labor, management, and community  
16 representatives.

17 (3) Service a distinct and identifiable geographic  
18 region.

19 (4) Be staffed by a professional chief executive  
20 officer.

21 (5) Have been established with the Department for at  
22 least 2 years.

23 (6) Operate in compliance with rules set forth by the  
24 Department with the advice of the  
25 Labor-Management-Community Cooperation Committee.

26 (7) Ensure that their efforts and activities are

1 coordinated with relevant agencies, including, but not  
2 limited to, the following:

3 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

4 Illinois Department of Labor

5 Economic development agencies

6 Planning agencies

7 Colleges, universities, and community colleges

8 U.S. Department of Labor

9 Statewide Job Training Partnership Act entities or  
10 entities under any successor federal workforce  
11 training and development legislation.

12 Further, the purpose of the local  
13 labor-management-community committees will include, but not be  
14 limited to, the following:

15 (i) Enhancing the positive labor-management-community  
16 relationship within the State, region, community, and/or  
17 work place.

18 (ii) Assisting in the retention, expansion, and  
19 attraction of businesses and jobs within the State through  
20 special training programs, gathering and disseminating  
21 information, and providing assistance in local economic  
22 development efforts as appropriate.

23 (iii) Creating and maintaining a regular  
24 nonadversarial forum for ongoing dialogue between labor,  
25 management, and community representatives to discuss and  
26 resolve issues of mutual concern outside the realm of the

1 traditional collective bargaining process.

2 (iv) Acting as an intermediary for initiating local  
3 programs between unions and employers that would generally  
4 improve economic conditions in a region.

5 (v) Encouraging, assisting, and facilitating the  
6 development of work-site and industry  
7 labor-management-community committees in the region.

8 Any local labor-management-community committee meeting  
9 these criteria may apply to the Department for annual matching  
10 grants, provided that the local committee contributes at least  
11 25% in matching funds, of which no more than 50% shall be  
12 "in-kind" services. Funds received by a local committee  
13 pursuant to this subsection shall be used for the ordinary  
14 operating expenses of the local committee.

15 (c) Matching grants to local labor-management-community  
16 committees that do not meet all of the eligibility criteria  
17 set forth in subsection (b). However, to be eligible to apply  
18 for a grant under this subsection (c), the local  
19 labor-management-community committee, at a minimum, shall meet  
20 all of the following criteria:

21 (1) Be composed of labor, management, and community  
22 representatives.

23 (2) Service a distinct and identifiable geographic  
24 region.

25 (3) Operate in compliance with the rules set forth by  
26 the Department with the advice of the

1 Labor-Management-Community Cooperation Committee.

2 (4) Ensure that its efforts and activities are  
3 directed toward enhancing the labor-management-community  
4 relationship within the State, region, community, and/or  
5 work place.

6 Any local labor-management-community committee meeting  
7 these criteria may apply to the Department for an annual  
8 matching grant, provided that the local committee contributes  
9 at least 25% in matching funds of which no more than 50% shall  
10 be "in-kind" services. Funds received by a local committee  
11 pursuant to this subsection (c) shall be used for the ordinary  
12 and operating expenses of the local committee. Eligible  
13 committees shall be limited to 3 years of funding under this  
14 subsection. With respect to those committees participating in  
15 this program prior to enactment of this amendatory Act of 1988  
16 that fail to qualify under paragraph (1) of this subsection  
17 (c), previous years' funding shall be counted in determining  
18 whether those committees have reached their funding limit  
19 under this subsection (c).

20 (d) Grants to develop and conduct specialized education  
21 and training programs of direct benefit to representatives of  
22 labor, management, labor-management-community committees  
23 and/or their staff. The type of education and training  
24 programs to be developed and offered will be determined and  
25 prioritized annually by the Department, with the advice of the  
26 Labor-Management-Community Cooperation Committee. The

1 Department will develop and issue an annual request for  
2 proposals detailing the program specifications.

3 (e) Grants for research and development projects related  
4 to labor-management-community or employment-related family  
5 issues. The Department, ~~with the advice of the~~  
6 ~~Labor Management Community Cooperation Committee,~~ will  
7 develop and prioritize annually the type and scope of the  
8 research and development projects deemed necessary.

9 (f) Grants of up to a maximum of \$5,000 to support the  
10 planning of regional work, family, and community planning  
11 conferences that will be based on specific community concerns.

12 (g) Grants to initiate or support recently created  
13 employer-led coalitions to establish pilot projects that  
14 promote the understanding of the work and family issues and  
15 support local workforce dependent care services.

16 (h) The Department is authorized to establish applications  
17 and application procedures and promulgate any rules deemed  
18 necessary in the administration of the grants.

19 (Source: P.A. 94-793, eff. 5-19-06.)

20 (20 ILCS 605/605-425 rep.)

21 (20 ILCS 605/605-850 rep.)

22 (20 ILCS 605/605-1000 rep.)

23 Section 5-30. The Department of Commerce and Economic  
24 Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois  
25 is amended by repealing Sections 605-425, 605-850, and

1 605-1000.

2 (20 ILCS 627/20 rep.)

3 Section 5-35. The Electric Vehicle Act is amended by  
4 repealing Section 20.

5 (20 ILCS 896/20 rep.)

6 Section 5-55. The Lake Michigan Wind Energy Act is amended  
7 by repealing Section 20.

8 Section 5-60. The Energy Conservation and Coal Development  
9 Act is amended by changing Sections 9 and 10 as follows:

10 (20 ILCS 1105/9) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 7409)

11 Sec. 9. The Illinois Industrial Coal Utilization Program.

12 The Department shall administer the Illinois Industrial  
13 Coal Utilization Program, referred to as the "program". The  
14 purpose of the program is to increase the environmentally  
15 sound use of Illinois coal by qualified applicants. To that  
16 end, the Department shall operate a revolving loan program to  
17 partially finance new coal burning facilities sited in  
18 Illinois or conversion of existing boilers located in Illinois  
19 to coal use, referred to as "industrial coal projects".

20 The Department, ~~with the advice and recommendation of the~~  
21 ~~Illinois Coal Development Board,~~ shall make below market rate  
22 loans available to fund a portion of each qualifying

1 industrial coal project. The applicant must demonstrate that  
2 it is able to obtain additional financing from other sources  
3 to fund the remainder of the project and that the project would  
4 not occur without the Department's participation. The  
5 Department may, in part, rely on the financial evaluation  
6 completed by the provider of the additional funding, as well  
7 as its own evaluation.

8 The Department shall have the following powers:

9 (1) To accept grants, loans, or appropriations from the  
10 federal government or the State, or any agency or  
11 instrumentality of either, to be used for any purposes of the  
12 program, including operating and administrative expenses  
13 associated with the program and the making of direct loans of  
14 those funds with respect to projects. The Department may enter  
15 into any agreement with the federal government or the State,  
16 or any agency or instrumentality of either, in connection with  
17 those grants, loans, or appropriations.

18 (2) To make loans from appropriations from the Build  
19 Illinois Bond Fund and to accept guarantees from individuals,  
20 partnerships, joint ventures, corporations, and governmental  
21 agencies. Any loan or series of loans shall be limited to an  
22 amount not to exceed the lesser of \$4,000,000 or 60% of the  
23 total project cost.

24 (3) To establish interest rates, terms of repayment, and  
25 other terms and conditions regarding loans made under this Act  
26 as the Department shall determine necessary or appropriate to

1 protect the public interest and carry out the purposes of this  
2 Act.

3 (4) To receive, evaluate, and establish time schedules for  
4 the determination of, and determine applications for financial  
5 aid for the development, construction, acquisition, or  
6 improvement of, an industrial coal project from any qualifying  
7 applicant and negotiate terms and conditions on which the coal  
8 project may be developed, constructed, improved, owned, or  
9 used by or leased to the applicant or its successor in  
10 interest. The Department shall prescribe the form of  
11 application. The form shall contain, without being limited to,  
12 the following:

13 (i) a general description of the industrial coal  
14 project and of the developer, user, or tenant for which  
15 the industrial project is to be established;

16 (ii) plans, equipment lists, and other documents that  
17 may be required to show the type, structure, and general  
18 character of the project;

19 (iii) a general description of the expected use of  
20 Illinois coal resulting from the project;

21 (iv) cost estimates of developing, constructing,  
22 acquiring, or improving the industrial project;

23 (v) a general description of the financing plan for  
24 the industrial coal project; and

25 (vi) a general description and statement of value of  
26 any property and its improvements provided or to be

1 provided for the project by other sources.

2 Nothing in this Section shall be deemed to preclude the  
3 Department, before the filing of any formal application, from  
4 conducting preliminary discussions and investigations with  
5 respect to the subject matter of any prospective applications.  
6 (Source: P.A. 94-91, eff. 7-1-05.)

7 (20 ILCS 1105/10) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 7410)

8 Sec. 10. Evaluation of loan applications. The Department  
9 shall evaluate applications for loans ~~and make such~~  
10 ~~evaluations available to the Illinois Coal Development Board.~~  
11 Evaluation of the loan applications shall be based on, but not  
12 limited to, the following criteria:

13 (a) The length of time applicants will commit to using  
14 Illinois coal in the facility which is modified, acquired or  
15 constructed as a result of the project. The applicant must  
16 agree to use Illinois coal for at least the life of the loan as  
17 a condition of such loan. Weight shall be given for longer  
18 commitments.

19 (b) The total amount of Illinois coal used. Weight shall  
20 be given to projects using larger amounts of Illinois coal  
21 over the life of the loan.

22 (c) The percentage of the total project costs the State is  
23 asked to finance. Weight shall be given to projects which  
24 maximize the use of private funds or funds from other public  
25 sources.

1 (d) The technical merits of the project, including, but  
2 not limited to, the effectiveness of the prepared coal-use  
3 system in controlling emissions of sulfur dioxide and other  
4 pollutants.

5 (Source: P.A. 84-111; 84-1070.)

6 (20 ILCS 1105/8 rep.)

7 Section 5-65. The Energy Conservation and Coal Development  
8 Act is amended by repealing Section 8.

9 Section 5-70. The Department of Public Health Powers and  
10 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
11 amended by changing Sections 2310-376 and 2310-577 as follows:

12 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-376)

13 Sec. 2310-376. Hepatitis education and outreach.

14 (a) The Illinois General Assembly finds and declares the  
15 following:

16 (1) The World Health Organization characterizes  
17 hepatitis as a disease of primary concern to humanity.

18 (2) Hepatitis is considered a silent killer; no  
19 recognizable signs or symptoms occur until severe liver  
20 damage has occurred.

21 (3) Studies indicate that nearly 4 million Americans  
22 (1.8 percent of the population) carry the virus HCV that  
23 causes the disease.

1           (4) 30,000 acute new infections occur each year in the  
2 United States, and only 25 to 30 percent are diagnosed.

3           (5) 8,000 to 10,000 Americans die from the disease  
4 each year.

5           (6) 200,000 Illinois residents may be carriers and  
6 could develop the debilitating and potentially deadly  
7 liver disease.

8           (7) Inmates of correctional facilities have a higher  
9 incidence of hepatitis and, upon their release, present a  
10 significant health risk to the general population.

11           (8) Illinois members of the armed services are subject  
12 to an increased risk of contracting hepatitis due to their  
13 possible receipt of contaminated blood during a  
14 transfusion occurring for the treatment of wounds and due  
15 to their service in areas of the World where the disease is  
16 more prevalent and healthcare is less capable of detecting  
17 and treating the disease. Many of these service members  
18 are unaware of the danger of hepatitis and their increased  
19 risk of contracting the disease.

20           (b) Subject to appropriation, the Department shall conduct  
21 an education and outreach campaign, in addition to its overall  
22 effort to prevent infectious disease in Illinois, in order to  
23 raise awareness about and promote prevention of hepatitis.

24           (c) Subject to appropriation, in addition to the education  
25 and outreach campaign provided in subsection (b), the  
26 Department shall develop and make available to physicians,

1 other health care providers, members of the armed services,  
2 and other persons subject to an increased risk of contracting  
3 hepatitis, educational materials, in written and electronic  
4 forms, on the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of the  
5 disease. These materials shall include the recommendations of  
6 the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and any  
7 other persons or entities determined by the Department to have  
8 particular expertise on hepatitis, including the American  
9 Liver Foundation. These materials shall be written in terms  
10 that are understandable by members of the general public.

11 (d) (Blank). ~~The Department shall establish an Advisory~~  
12 ~~Council on Hepatitis to develop a hepatitis prevention plan.~~  
13 ~~The Department shall specify the membership, members' terms,~~  
14 ~~provisions for removal of members, chairmen, and purpose of~~  
15 ~~the Advisory Council. The Advisory Council shall consist of~~  
16 ~~one representative from each of the following State agencies~~  
17 ~~or offices, appointed by the head of each agency or office:~~

18 ~~(1) The Department of Public Health.~~

19 ~~(2) The Department of Public Aid.~~

20 ~~(3) The Department of Corrections.~~

21 ~~(4) The Department of Veterans' Affairs.~~

22 ~~(5) The Department on Aging.~~

23 ~~(6) The Department of Human Services.~~

24 ~~(7) The Illinois State Police.~~

25 ~~(8) The office of the State Fire Marshal.~~

26 ~~The Director shall appoint representatives of~~

1 ~~organizations and advocates in the State of Illinois,~~  
2 ~~including, but not limited to, the American Liver Foundation.~~  
3 ~~The Director shall also appoint interested members of the~~  
4 ~~public, including consumers and providers of health services~~  
5 ~~and representatives of local public health agencies, to~~  
6 ~~provide recommendations and information to the members of the~~  
7 ~~Advisory Council. Members of the Advisory Council shall serve~~  
8 ~~on a voluntary, unpaid basis and are not entitled to~~  
9 ~~reimbursement for mileage or other costs they incur in~~  
10 ~~connection with performing their duties.~~

11 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21.)

12 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-577)

13 Sec. 2310-577. Cord blood stem cell banks.

14 (a) Subject to appropriation, the Department shall  
15 establish a network of human cord blood stem cell banks. The  
16 Director shall enter into contracts with qualified cord blood  
17 stem cell banks to assist in the establishment, provision, and  
18 maintenance of the network.

19 (b) A cord blood stem cell bank is eligible to enter the  
20 network and be a donor bank if it satisfies each of the  
21 following:

22 (1) Has obtained all applicable federal and State  
23 licenses, accreditations, certifications, registrations,  
24 and other authorizations required to operate and maintain  
25 a cord blood stem cell bank.

1           (2) Has implemented donor screening and cord blood  
2 collection practices adequate to protect both donors and  
3 transplant recipients and to prevent transmission of  
4 potentially harmful infections and other diseases.

5           (3) Has established a system of strict confidentiality  
6 to protect the identity and privacy of patients and donors  
7 in accordance with existing federal and State law and  
8 consistent with regulations promulgated under the Health  
9 Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996,  
10 Public Law 104-191, for the release of the identity of  
11 donors, the identity of recipients, or identifiable  
12 records.

13           (4) Has established a system for encouraging donation  
14 by an ethnically and racially diverse group of donors.

15           (5) Has developed adequate systems for communication  
16 with other cord blood stem cell banks, transplant centers,  
17 and physicians with respect to the request, release, and  
18 distribution of cord blood units nationally and has  
19 developed those systems, consistent with the regulations  
20 promulgated under the Health Insurance Portability and  
21 Accountability Act of 1996, Public Law 104-191, to track  
22 recipients' clinical outcomes for distributed units.

23           (6) Has developed an objective system for educating  
24 the public, including patient advocacy organizations,  
25 about the benefits of donating and utilizing cord blood  
26 stem cells in appropriate circumstances.

1           (7) Has policies and procedures in place for the  
2 procurement of materials for the conduct of stem cell  
3 research, including policies and procedures ensuring that  
4 persons are empowered to make voluntary and informed  
5 decisions to participate or to refuse to participate in  
6 the research, and ensuring confidentiality of the  
7 decision.

8           (8) Has policies and procedures in place to ensure the  
9 bank is following current best practices with respect to  
10 medical ethics, including informed consent of patients and  
11 the protection of human subjects.

12           (c) A donor bank that enters into the network shall do all  
13 of the following:

14           (1) Acquire, tissue-type, test, cryopreserve, and  
15 store donated units of human cord blood acquired with the  
16 informed consent of the donor, in a manner that complies  
17 with applicable federal regulations.

18           (2) Make cord blood units collected under this  
19 Section, or otherwise, available to transplant centers for  
20 stem cell transplantation.

21           (3) Allocate up to 10% of the cord blood inventory  
22 each year for peer-reviewed research. This quota may be  
23 met by using cord blood units that did not meet the cell  
24 count standards necessary for transplantation.

25           (4) Make agreements with obstetrical health care  
26 facilities, consistent with federal regulations, for the

1 collection of donated units of human cord blood.

2 (d) (Blank). ~~An advisory committee shall advise the~~  
3 ~~Department concerning the administration of the cord blood~~  
4 ~~stem cell bank network. The committee shall be appointed by~~  
5 ~~the Director and consist of members who represent each of the~~  
6 ~~following:~~

7 ~~(1) Cord blood stem cell transplant centers.~~

8 ~~(2) Physicians from participating birthing hospitals.~~

9 ~~(3) The cord blood stem cell research community.~~

10 ~~(4) Recipients of cord blood stem cell transplants.~~

11 ~~(5) Family members who have made a donation to a~~  
12 ~~statewide cord blood stem cell bank.~~

13 ~~(6) Individuals with expertise in the social sciences.~~

14 ~~(7) Members of the general public.~~

15 ~~(8) Each network donor bank.~~

16 ~~(9) Hospital administration from birthing hospitals.~~

17 ~~Except as otherwise provided under this subsection, each~~  
18 ~~member of the committee shall serve for a 3 year term and may~~  
19 ~~be reappointed for one or more additional terms. Appointments~~  
20 ~~for the initial members shall be for terms of 1, 2, and 3~~  
21 ~~years, respectively, so as to provide for the subsequent~~  
22 ~~appointment of an equal number of members each year. The~~  
23 ~~committee shall elect a chairperson.~~

24 ~~(e) A person has a conflict of interest if any action,~~  
25 ~~advice, or recommendation with respect to a matter may~~  
26 ~~directly or indirectly financially benefit any of the~~

1 ~~following:~~

2 ~~(1) That person.~~

3 ~~(2) That person's spouse, immediate family living with~~  
4 ~~that person, or that person's extended family.~~

5 ~~(3) Any individual or entity required to be disclosed~~  
6 ~~by that person.~~

7 ~~(4) Any other individual or entity with which that~~  
8 ~~person has a business or professional relationship.~~

9 ~~An advisory committee member who has a conflict of~~  
10 ~~interest with respect to a matter may not discuss that matter~~  
11 ~~with other committee members and shall not vote upon or~~  
12 ~~otherwise participate in any committee action, advice, or~~  
13 ~~recommendation with respect to that matter. Each recusal~~  
14 ~~occurring during a committee meeting shall be made a part of~~  
15 ~~the minutes or recording of the meeting in accordance with the~~  
16 ~~Open Meetings Act.~~

17 ~~The Department shall not allow any Department employee to~~  
18 ~~participate in the processing of, or to provide any advice or~~  
19 ~~recommendation concerning, any matter with which the~~  
20 ~~Department employee has a conflict of interest.~~

21 (f) Each advisory committee member shall file with the  
22 Secretary of State a written disclosure of the following with  
23 respect to the member, the member's spouse, and any immediate  
24 family living with the member:

25 (1) Each source of income.

26 (2) Each entity in which the member, spouse, or

1 immediate family living with the member has an ownership  
2 or distributive income share that is not an income source  
3 required to be disclosed under item (1) of this subsection  
4 (f).

5 (3) Each entity in or for which the member, spouse, or  
6 immediate family living with the member serves as an  
7 executive, officer, director, trustee, or fiduciary.

8 (4) Each entity with which the member, member's  
9 spouse, or immediate family living with the member has a  
10 contract for future income.

11 Each advisory committee member shall file the disclosure  
12 required by this subsection (f) at the time the member is  
13 appointed and at the time of any reappointment of that member.

14 Each advisory committee member shall file an updated  
15 disclosure with the Secretary of State promptly after any  
16 change in the items required to be disclosed under this  
17 subsection with respect to the member, the member's spouse, or  
18 any immediate family living with the member.

19 The requirements of Section 3A-30 of the Illinois  
20 Governmental Ethics Act and any other disclosures required by  
21 law apply to this Act.

22 Filed disclosures shall be public records.

23 (g) The Department shall do each of the following:

24 (1) Ensure that the donor banks within the network  
25 meet the requirements of subsection (b) on a continuing  
26 basis.

1           (2) Encourage network donor banks to work  
2 collaboratively with other network donor banks and  
3 encourage network donor banks to focus their resources in  
4 their respective local or regional area.

5           (3) Designate one or more established national or  
6 international cord blood registries to serve as a  
7 statewide cord blood stem cell registry.

8           (4) Coordinate the donor banks in the network.

9           In performing these duties, the Department may seek the  
10 advice of the advisory committee.

11           (h) Definitions. As used in this Section:

12           (1) "Cord blood unit" means the blood collected from a  
13 single placenta and umbilical cord.

14           (2) "Donor" means a mother who has delivered a baby  
15 and consents to donate the newborn's blood remaining in  
16 the placenta and umbilical cord.

17           (3) "Donor bank" means a qualified cord blood stem  
18 cell bank that enters into a contract with the Director  
19 under this Section.

20           (4) "Human cord blood stem cells" means hematopoietic  
21 stem cells and any other stem cells contained in the  
22 neonatal blood collected immediately after the birth from  
23 the separated placenta and umbilical cord.

24           (5) "Network" means the network of qualified cord  
25 blood stem cell banks established under this Section.

26           (Source: P.A. 95-406, eff. 8-24-07.)

1 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-76 rep.)

2 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-77 rep.)

3 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-349 rep.)

4 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-560 rep.)

5 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-643 rep.)

6 Section 5-75. The Department of Public Health Powers and  
7 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
8 amended by repealing Sections 2310-76, 2310-77, 2310-349,  
9 2310-560, and 2310-643.

10 Section 5-80. The Comprehensive Healthcare Workforce  
11 Planning Act is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, and 20 as  
12 follows:

13 (20 ILCS 2325/5)

14 Sec. 5. Definition ~~Definitions~~. As used in this Act, ~~+~~  
15 ~~"Council" means the State Healthcare Workforce Council created~~  
16 ~~by this Act.~~ "Department" means the Department of Public  
17 Health.

18 (Source: P.A. 97-424, eff. 7-1-12.)

19 (20 ILCS 2325/10)

20 Sec. 10. Purpose. Implementation of this Act is entirely  
21 subject to the availability and appropriation of funds from  
22 federal grant money applied for by the Department of Public

1 Health. ~~The State Healthcare Workforce Council is hereby~~  
2 ~~established to provide an ongoing assessment of healthcare~~  
3 ~~workforce trends, training issues, and financing policies, and~~  
4 ~~to recommend appropriate State government and private sector~~  
5 ~~efforts to address identified needs. The work of the Council~~  
6 ~~shall focus on: healthcare workforce supply and distribution;~~  
7 ~~cultural competence and minority participation in health~~  
8 ~~professions education; primary care training and practice; and~~  
9 ~~data evaluation and analysis. The Council shall work in~~  
10 ~~coordination with the State Health Improvement Plan~~  
11 ~~Implementation Coordination Council to ensure alignment with~~  
12 ~~the State Health Improvement Plan.~~

13 (Source: P.A. 97-424, eff. 7-1-12.)

14 (20 ILCS 2325/20)

15 Sec. 20. Five-year comprehensive healthcare workforce  
16 plan.

17 (a) Every 5 years, the Department, ~~in cooperation with the~~  
18 ~~Council,~~ shall prepare a comprehensive healthcare workforce  
19 plan.

20 (b) The comprehensive healthcare workforce plan shall  
21 include, but need not be limited to, the following:

22 (1) 25-year projections of the demand and supply of  
23 health professionals to meet the needs of healthcare  
24 within the State.

25 (2) The identification of all funding sources for

1 which the State has administrative control that are  
2 available for health professions training.

3 (3) Recommendations on how to rationalize and  
4 coordinate the State-supported programs for health  
5 professions training.

6 (4) Recommendations on actions needed to meet the  
7 projected demand for health professionals over the 25  
8 years of the plan.

9 (c) Each year in which a comprehensive healthcare  
10 workforce plan is not due, the Department, ~~on behalf of the~~  
11 ~~Council,~~ shall prepare a report by July 1 of that year to the  
12 Governor and the General Assembly on the progress made toward  
13 achieving the projected goals of the current comprehensive  
14 healthcare workforce plan during the previous calendar year.

15 ~~(d) The Department shall provide staffing to the Council.~~

16 (Source: P.A. 97-424, eff. 7-1-12.)

17 (20 ILCS 2325/15 rep.)

18 (20 ILCS 2325/25 rep.)

19 Section 5-85. The Comprehensive Healthcare Workforce  
20 Planning Act is amended by repealing Sections 15 and 25.

21 (20 ILCS 2407/Art. 2 rep.)

22 Section 5-90. The Disabilities Services Act of 2003 is  
23 amended by repealing Article 2.

1           Section 5-95. The Disabilities Services Act of 2003 is  
2 amended by changing Section 53 as follows:

3           (20 ILCS 2407/53)

4           Sec. 53. Rebalancing benchmarks.

5           (a) Illinois' long-term care system is in a state of  
6 transformation, as evidenced by the creation and subsequent  
7 work products of the ~~Disability Services Advisory Committee,~~  
8 Older Adult Services Advisory Committee, Housing Task Force  
9 and other executive and legislative branch initiatives.

10           (b) Illinois' Money Follows the Person demonstrations or  
11 initiatives capitalize on this progress and commit the State  
12 to transition older persons and persons with developmental,  
13 physical, or psychiatric disabilities from institutional to  
14 home and community-based settings, as appropriate.

15           (c) (Blank).

16           (d) The Departments will utilize interagency agreements  
17 and will seek legislative authority to implement a Money  
18 Follows the Person budgetary mechanism to allocate or  
19 reallocate funds for the purpose of expanding the  
20 availability, quality or stability of home and community-based  
21 long-term care services and supports for persons with  
22 disabilities.

23           (e) The allocation of public funds for home and  
24 community-based long-term care services shall not have the  
25 effect of: (i) diminishing or reducing the quality of services

1 available to residents of long-term care facilities; (ii)  
2 forcing any residents of long-term care facilities to  
3 involuntarily accept home and community-based long-term care  
4 services, or causing any residents of long-term care  
5 facilities to be involuntarily transferred or discharged;  
6 (iii) causing reductions in long-term care facility  
7 reimbursement rates in effect as of July 1, 2008; or (iv)  
8 diminishing access to a full array of long-term care options.  
9 (Source: P.A. 103-8, eff. 6-7-23.)

10 (20 ILCS 2505/2505-550 rep.)

11 Section 5-100. The Department of Revenue Law of the Civil  
12 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by repealing  
13 Section 2505-550.

14 (20 ILCS 3948/Act rep.)

15 Section 5-120. The Illinois Global Partnership Act is  
16 repealed.

17 (20 ILCS 3950/Act rep.)

18 Section 5-125. The Governor's Council on Health and  
19 Physical Fitness Act is repealed.

20 (20 ILCS 3954/Act rep.)

21 Section 5-130. The Green Governments Illinois Act is  
22 repealed.

1 (20 ILCS 3968/Act rep.)

2 Section 5-132. The Interagency Coordinating Committee on  
3 Transportation Act is repealed.

4 (20 ILCS 4024/Act rep.)

5 Section 5-135. The Interstate Sex Offender Task Force Act  
6 is repealed.

7 (30 ILCS 105/5.491 rep.)

8 Section 5-140. The State Finance Act is amended by  
9 repealing Section 5.491.

10 (30 ILCS 772/20 rep.)

11 Section 5-145. The Equity in Long-term Care Quality Act is  
12 amended by repealing Section 20.

13 Section 5-155. The Eliminate the Digital Divide Law is  
14 amended by changing Section 5-30 as follows:

15 (30 ILCS 780/5-30)

16 Sec. 5-30. Community Technology Center Grant Program.

17 (a) Subject to appropriation, the Department shall  
18 administer the Community Technology Center Grant Program under  
19 which the Department shall make grants in accordance with this  
20 Article for planning, establishment, administration, and

1 expansion of Community Technology Centers and for assisting  
2 public hospitals, libraries, and park districts in eliminating  
3 the digital divide. The purposes of the grants shall include,  
4 but not be limited to, volunteer recruitment and management,  
5 training and instruction, infrastructure, and related goods  
6 and services, including case management, administration,  
7 personal information management, and outcome-tracking tools  
8 and software for the purposes of reporting to the Department  
9 and for enabling participation in digital government and  
10 consumer services programs, for Community Technology Centers  
11 and public hospitals, libraries, and park districts. No  
12 Community Technology Center may receive a grant of more than  
13 \$75,000 under this Section in a particular fiscal year.

14 (b) Public hospitals, libraries, park districts, and State  
15 educational agencies, local educational agencies, institutions  
16 of higher education, senior citizen homes, and other public  
17 and private nonprofit or for-profit agencies and organizations  
18 are eligible to receive grants under this Program, provided  
19 that a local educational agency or public or private  
20 educational agency or organization must, in order to be  
21 eligible to receive grants under this Program, provide  
22 computer access and educational services using information  
23 technology to the public at one or more of its educational  
24 buildings or facilities at least 12 hours each week. A group of  
25 eligible entities is also eligible to receive a grant if the  
26 group follows the procedures for group applications in 34 CFR

1 75.127-129 of the Education Department General Administrative  
2 Regulations.

3 To be eligible to apply for a grant, a Community  
4 Technology Center must serve a community in which not less  
5 than 40% of the students are eligible for a free or reduced  
6 price lunch under the national school lunch program or in  
7 which not less than 30% of the students are eligible for a free  
8 lunch under the national school lunch program; however, if  
9 funding is insufficient to approve all grant applications for  
10 a particular fiscal year, the Department may impose a higher  
11 minimum percentage threshold for that fiscal year.  
12 Determinations of communities and determinations of the  
13 percentage of students in a community who are eligible for a  
14 free or reduced price lunch under the national school lunch  
15 program shall be in accordance with rules adopted by the  
16 Department.

17 Any entities that have received a Community Technology  
18 Center grant under the federal Community Technology Centers  
19 Program are also eligible to apply for grants under this  
20 Program.

21 The Department shall provide assistance to Community  
22 Technology Centers in making those determinations for purposes  
23 of applying for grants.

24 The Department shall encourage Community Technology  
25 Centers to participate in public and private computer hardware  
26 equipment recycling initiatives that provide computers at

1 reduced or no cost to low-income families, including programs  
2 authorized by the State Property Control Act. On an annual  
3 basis, the Department must provide the Director of Central  
4 Management Services with a list of Community Technology  
5 Centers that have applied to the Department for funding as  
6 potential recipients of surplus State-owned computer hardware  
7 equipment under programs authorized by the State Property  
8 Control Act.

9 (c) Grant applications shall be submitted to the  
10 Department on a schedule of one or more deadlines established  
11 by the Department by rule.

12 (d) The Department shall adopt rules setting forth the  
13 required form and contents of grant applications.

14 (e) (Blank).

15 (f) (Blank).

16 (g) (Blank). ~~Duties of the Digital Divide Elimination~~  
17 ~~Working Group include all of the following:~~

18 ~~(1) Undertaking a thorough review of grant programs~~  
19 ~~available through the federal government, local agencies,~~  
20 ~~telecommunications providers, and business and charitable~~  
21 ~~entities for the purpose of identifying appropriate~~  
22 ~~sources of revenues for the Digital Divide Elimination~~  
23 ~~Fund and attempting to update available grants on a~~  
24 ~~regular basis.~~

25 ~~(2) Researching and cataloging programs designed to~~  
26 ~~advance digital literacy and computer access that are~~

1 ~~available through the federal government, local agencies,~~  
2 ~~telecommunications providers, and business and charitable~~  
3 ~~entities and attempting to update available programs on a~~  
4 ~~regular basis.~~

5 ~~(3) Presenting the information compiled from items (1)~~  
6 ~~and (2) to the Department of Commerce and Economic~~  
7 ~~Opportunity, which shall serve as a single point of~~  
8 ~~contact for applying for funding for the Digital Divide~~  
9 ~~Elimination Fund and for distributing information to the~~  
10 ~~public regarding all programs designed to advance digital~~  
11 ~~literacy and computer access.~~

12 (Source: P.A. 102-1071, eff. 6-10-22.)

13 Section 5-165. The Interstate Rail Passenger Network  
14 Compact Act is amended by changing Section 15 as follows:

15 (45 ILCS 77/15) (from Ch. 114, par. 915)

16 Sec. 15. Impact study.

17 (a) The states of Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee,  
18 Georgia, and Florida, referred to in this Act as  
19 "participating states" agree, upon adoption of this compact by  
20 the respective states, to jointly conduct and participate in a  
21 rail passenger network financial and economic impact study.  
22 The study must do the following:

23 (1) Continue research previously performed by the  
24 national railroad passenger corporation (Amtrak) and the

1           Evansville Amtrak task force that evaluated the "western  
2           route" which includes Chicago, Evansville, Nashville,  
3           Chattanooga, Macon, Waycross, and Jacksonville for  
4           purposes of evaluating a representative service schedule,  
5           train running times, and associated costs.

6           (2) Include consideration of the following:

7           (A) The purchase of railroad equipment by a  
8           participating state and the lease of the railroad  
9           equipment to Amtrak.

10           (B) (Blank.) ~~The recommendation that a member of~~  
11           ~~the council serve on the Amtrak board of directors.~~

12           (C) The periodic review of projected passenger  
13           traffic estimates on the western route.

14           (D) Any other matter related to the financial and  
15           economic impact of a rail passenger network along the  
16           western route.

17           (b) Information and data collected during the study under  
18           subsection (a) that is requested by a participating state or a  
19           consulting firm representing a participating state or the  
20           compact may be made available to the state or firm. However,  
21           the information may not include matters not of public record  
22           or of a nature considered to be privileged and confidential  
23           unless the state providing the information agrees to waive the  
24           confidentiality.

25           (Source: P.A. 87-888.)

1 (45 ILCS 135/Act rep.)

2 Section 5-175. The Wabash Valley Compact Act is repealed.

3 (45 ILCS 175/Act rep.)

4 Section 5-180. The Military Family Interstate Compact  
5 Implementation Statute Drafting Advisory Committee Act is  
6 repealed.

7 (70 ILCS 1835/Act rep.)

8 Section 5-190. The Mt. Carmel Regional Port District Act  
9 is repealed.

10 (70 ILCS 1870/Act rep.)

11 Section 5-195. The White County Port District Act is  
12 repealed.

13 (70 ILCS 1915/Act rep.)

14 Section 5-200. The Grand Avenue Railroad Relocation  
15 Authority Act is repealed.

16 (70 ILCS 1930/Act rep.)

17 Section 5-205. The Southwest Suburban Railroad  
18 Redevelopment Authority Act is repealed.

19 (70 ILCS 1935/50 rep.)

20 Section 5-210. The Elmwood Park Grade Separation Authority

1 Act is amended by repealing Section 50.

2 (110 ILCS 530/Act rep.)

3 Section 5-215. The Sewage and Water System Training  
4 Institute Act is repealed.

5 (110 ILCS 805/2-26 rep.)

6 Section 5-216. The Public Community College Act is amended  
7 by repealing Section 2-26.

8 (110 ILCS 935/5 rep.)

9 Section 5-217. The Underserved Health Care Provider  
10 Workforce Act is amended by repealing Section 5.

11 (210 ILCS 25/Art. V rep.)

12 Section 5-235. The Illinois Clinical Laboratory and Blood  
13 Bank Act is amended by repealing Article V.

14 Section 5-240. The Hospital Report Card Act is amended by  
15 changing Section 25 as follows:

16 (210 ILCS 86/25)

17 Sec. 25. Hospital reports.

18 (a) Individual hospitals shall prepare a quarterly report  
19 including all of the following:

20 (1) Nursing hours per patient day, average daily

1 census, and average daily hours worked for each clinical  
2 service area.

3 (2) Infection-related measures for the facility for  
4 the specific clinical procedures and devices determined by  
5 the Department by rule under 2 or more of the following  
6 categories:

7 (A) Surgical procedure outcome measures.

8 (B) Surgical procedure infection control process  
9 measures.

10 (C) Outcome or process measures related to  
11 ventilator-associated pneumonia.

12 (D) Central vascular catheter-related bloodstream  
13 infection rates in designated critical care units.

14 (3) Information required under paragraph (4) of  
15 Section 2310-312 of the Department of Public Health Powers  
16 and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of  
17 Illinois.

18 (4) Additional infection measures mandated by the  
19 Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services that are  
20 reported by hospitals to the Centers for Disease Control  
21 and Prevention's National Healthcare Safety Network  
22 surveillance system, or its successor, and deemed relevant  
23 to patient safety by the Department.

24 (5) Each instance of preterm birth and infant  
25 mortality within the reporting period, including the  
26 racial and ethnic information of the mothers of those

1 infants.

2 (6) Each instance of maternal mortality within the  
3 reporting period, including the racial and ethnic  
4 information of those mothers.

5 (7) The number of female patients who have died within  
6 the reporting period.

7 (8) The number of female patients admitted to the  
8 hospital with a diagnosis of COVID-19 and at least one  
9 known underlying condition identified by the United States  
10 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as a condition  
11 that increases the risk of mortality from COVID-19 who  
12 subsequently died at the hospital within the reporting  
13 period.

14 The infection-related measures developed by the Department  
15 shall be based upon measures and methods developed by the  
16 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Centers for  
17 Medicare and Medicaid Services, the Agency for Healthcare  
18 Research and Quality, the Joint Commission on Accreditation of  
19 Healthcare Organizations, or the National Quality Forum. The  
20 Department may align the infection-related measures with the  
21 measures and methods developed by the Centers for Disease  
22 Control and Prevention, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid  
23 Services, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, the  
24 Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations,  
25 and the National Quality Forum by adding reporting measures  
26 based on national health care strategies and measures deemed

1 scientifically reliable and valid for public reporting. The  
2 Department shall receive approval from the State Board of  
3 Health to retire measures deemed no longer scientifically  
4 valid or valuable for informing quality improvement or  
5 infection prevention efforts. The Department shall notify the  
6 Chairs and Minority Spokespersons of the House Human Services  
7 Committee and the Senate Public Health Committee of its intent  
8 to have the State Board of Health take action to retire  
9 measures no later than 7 business days before the meeting of  
10 the State Board of Health.

11 The Department shall include interpretive guidelines for  
12 infection-related indicators and, when available, shall  
13 include relevant benchmark information published by national  
14 organizations.

15 The Department shall collect the information reported  
16 under paragraphs (5) and (6) and shall use it to illustrate the  
17 disparity of those occurrences across different racial and  
18 ethnic groups.

19 (b) Individual hospitals shall prepare annual reports  
20 including vacancy and turnover rates for licensed nurses per  
21 clinical service area.

22 (c) None of the information the Department discloses to  
23 the public may be made available in any form or fashion unless  
24 the information has been reviewed, adjusted, and validated  
25 according to the following process:

26 (1) (Blank). ~~The Department shall organize an advisory~~

1 ~~committee, including representatives from the Department,~~  
2 ~~public and private hospitals, direct care nursing staff,~~  
3 ~~physicians, academic researchers, consumers, health~~  
4 ~~insurance companies, organized labor, and organizations~~  
5 ~~representing hospitals and physicians. The advisory~~  
6 ~~committee must be meaningfully involved in the development~~  
7 ~~of all aspects of the Department's methodology for~~  
8 ~~collecting, analyzing, and disclosing the information~~  
9 ~~collected under this Act, including collection methods,~~  
10 ~~formatting, and methods and means for release and~~  
11 ~~dissemination.~~

12 (2) The entire methodology for collecting and  
13 analyzing the data shall be disclosed to all relevant  
14 organizations and to all hospitals that are the subject of  
15 any information to be made available to the public before  
16 any public disclosure of such information.

17 (3) Data collection and analytical methodologies shall  
18 be used that meet accepted standards of validity and  
19 reliability before any information is made available to  
20 the public.

21 (4) The limitations of the data sources and analytic  
22 methodologies used to develop comparative hospital  
23 information shall be clearly identified and acknowledged,  
24 including, but not limited to, the appropriate and  
25 inappropriate uses of the data.

26 (5) To the greatest extent possible, comparative

1 hospital information initiatives shall use standard-based  
2 norms derived from widely accepted provider-developed  
3 practice guidelines.

4 (6) Comparative hospital information and other  
5 information that the Department has compiled regarding  
6 hospitals shall be shared with the hospitals under review  
7 prior to public dissemination of such information and  
8 these hospitals have 30 days to make corrections and to  
9 add helpful explanatory comments about the information  
10 before the publication.

11 (7) Comparisons among hospitals shall adjust for  
12 patient case mix and other relevant risk factors and  
13 control for provider peer groups, when appropriate.

14 (8) Effective safeguards to protect against the  
15 unauthorized use or disclosure of hospital information  
16 shall be developed and implemented.

17 (9) Effective safeguards to protect against the  
18 dissemination of inconsistent, incomplete, invalid,  
19 inaccurate, or subjective hospital data shall be developed  
20 and implemented.

21 (10) The quality and accuracy of hospital information  
22 reported under this Act and its data collection, analysis,  
23 and dissemination methodologies shall be evaluated  
24 regularly.

25 (11) Only the most basic identifying information from  
26 mandatory reports shall be used, and information

1 identifying a patient, employee, or licensed professional  
2 shall not be released. None of the information the  
3 Department discloses to the public under this Act may be  
4 used to establish a standard of care in a private civil  
5 action.

6 (d) Quarterly reports shall be submitted, in a format set  
7 forth in rules adopted by the Department, to the Department by  
8 April 30, July 31, October 31, and January 31 each year for the  
9 previous quarter. Data in quarterly reports must cover a  
10 period ending not earlier than one month prior to submission  
11 of the report. Annual reports shall be submitted by December  
12 31 in a format set forth in rules adopted by the Department to  
13 the Department. All reports shall be made available to the  
14 public on-site and through the Department.

15 (e) If the hospital is a division or subsidiary of another  
16 entity that owns or operates other hospitals or related  
17 organizations, the annual public disclosure report shall be  
18 for the specific division or subsidiary and not for the other  
19 entity.

20 (f) The Department shall disclose information under this  
21 Section in accordance with provisions for inspection and  
22 copying of public records required by the Freedom of  
23 Information Act provided that such information satisfies the  
24 provisions of subsection (c) of this Section.

25 (g) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, under no  
26 circumstances shall the Department disclose information

1 obtained from a hospital that is confidential under Part 21 of  
2 Article VIII of the Code of Civil Procedure.

3 (h) No hospital report or Department disclosure may  
4 contain information identifying a patient, employee, or  
5 licensed professional.

6 (Source: P.A. 101-446, eff. 8-23-19; 102-256, eff. 1-1-22.)

7 (210 ILCS 110/13A rep.)

8 Section 5-245. The Illinois Migrant Labor Camp Law is  
9 amended by repealing Section 13A.

10 (225 ILCS 109/20 rep.)

11 Section 5-300. The Sex Offender Evaluation and Treatment  
12 Provider Act is amended by repealing Section 20.

13 (225 ILCS 225/10.5 rep.)

14 Section 5-310. The Private Sewage Disposal Licensing Act  
15 is amended by repealing Section 10.5.

16 Section 5-330. The Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975 is  
17 amended by changing Section 28 as follows:

18 (230 ILCS 5/28) (from Ch. 8, par. 37-28)

19 Sec. 28. Except as provided in subsection (g) of Section  
20 27 of this Act, moneys collected shall be distributed  
21 according to the provisions of this Section 28.

1           (a) Thirty per cent of the total of all monies received by  
2 the State as privilege taxes shall be paid into the  
3 Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Fund  
4 in the State treasury until such Fund is repealed, and  
5 thereafter shall be paid into the General Revenue Fund in the  
6 State treasury.

7           (b) In addition, 4.5% of the total of all monies received  
8 by the State as privilege taxes shall be paid into the State  
9 treasury into the Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and  
10 Office Building Fund until such Fund is repealed, and  
11 thereafter shall be paid into the General Revenue Fund in the  
12 State treasury.

13           (c) Fifty per cent of the total of all monies received by  
14 the State as privilege taxes under the provisions of this Act  
15 shall be paid into the Agricultural Premium Fund.

16           (d) Seven per cent of the total of all monies received by  
17 the State as privilege taxes shall be paid into the Fair and  
18 Exposition Fund in the State treasury; provided, however, that  
19 when all bonds issued prior to July 1, 1984 by the Metropolitan  
20 Fair and Exposition Authority shall have been paid or payment  
21 shall have been provided for upon a refunding of those bonds,  
22 thereafter 1/12 of \$1,665,662 of such monies shall be paid  
23 each month into the Build Illinois Fund, and the remainder  
24 into the Fair and Exposition Fund. All excess monies shall be  
25 allocated to the Department of Agriculture for distribution to  
26 county fairs for premiums and rehabilitation as set forth in

1 the Agricultural Fair Act.

2 (e) The monies provided for in Section 30 shall be paid  
3 into the Illinois Thoroughbred Breeders Fund.

4 (f) The monies provided for in Section 31 shall be paid  
5 into the Illinois Standardbred Breeders Fund.

6 (g) Until January 1, 2000, that part representing 1/2 of  
7 the total breakage in Thoroughbred, Harness, Appaloosa,  
8 Arabian, and Quarter Horse racing in the State shall be paid  
9 into the Illinois Race Track Improvement Fund as established  
10 in Section 32.

11 (h) All other monies received by the Board under this Act  
12 shall be paid into the Horse Racing Fund.

13 (i) The salaries of the Board members, secretary,  
14 stewards, directors of mutuels, veterinarians,  
15 representatives, accountants, clerks, stenographers,  
16 inspectors and other employees of the Board, and all expenses  
17 of the Board incident to the administration of this Act,  
18 including, but not limited to, all expenses and salaries  
19 incident to the taking of saliva and urine samples in  
20 accordance with the rules and regulations of the Board shall  
21 be paid out of the Agricultural Premium Fund.

22 (j) The Agricultural Premium Fund shall also be used:

23 (1) for the expenses of operating the Illinois State  
24 Fair and the DuQuoin State Fair, including the payment of  
25 prize money or premiums;

26 (2) for the distribution to county fairs, vocational

1 agriculture section fairs, agricultural societies, and  
2 agricultural extension clubs in accordance with the  
3 Agricultural Fair Act, as amended;

4 (3) for payment of prize monies and premiums awarded  
5 and for expenses incurred in connection with the  
6 International Livestock Exposition and the Mid-Continent  
7 Livestock Exposition held in Illinois, which premiums, and  
8 awards must be approved, and paid by the Illinois  
9 Department of Agriculture;

10 (4) for personal service of county agricultural  
11 advisors and county home advisors;

12 (5) for distribution to agricultural home economic  
13 extension councils in accordance with "An Act in relation  
14 to additional support and finance for the Agricultural and  
15 Home Economic Extension Councils in the several counties  
16 in this State and making an appropriation therefor",  
17 approved July 24, 1967, as amended;

18 (6) for research on equine disease, including a  
19 development center therefor;

20 (7) for training scholarships for study on equine  
21 diseases to students at the University of Illinois College  
22 of Veterinary Medicine;

23 (8) for the rehabilitation, repair and maintenance of  
24 the Illinois and DuQuoin State Fair Grounds and the  
25 structures and facilities thereon and the construction of  
26 permanent improvements on such Fair Grounds, including

1 such structures, facilities and property located on such  
2 State Fair Grounds which are under the custody and control  
3 of the Department of Agriculture;

4 (9) (blank);

5 (10) for the expenses of the Department of Commerce  
6 and Economic Opportunity under Sections 605-620, 605-625,  
7 and 605-630 of the Department of Commerce and Economic  
8 Opportunity Law;

9 (11) for remodeling, expanding, and reconstructing  
10 facilities destroyed by fire of any Fair and Exposition  
11 Authority in counties with a population of 1,000,000 or  
12 more inhabitants;

13 (12) for the purpose of assisting in the care and  
14 general rehabilitation of veterans with disabilities of  
15 any war and their surviving spouses and orphans;

16 (13) for expenses of the Illinois State Police for  
17 duties performed under this Act;

18 (14) for the Department of Agriculture for soil  
19 surveys and soil and water conservation purposes;

20 (15) for the Department of Agriculture for grants to  
21 the City of Chicago for conducting the Chicagofest;

22 (16) (Blank). ~~for the State Comptroller for grants and~~  
23 ~~operating expenses authorized by the Illinois Global~~  
24 ~~Partnership Act.~~

25 (k) To the extent that monies paid by the Board to the  
26 Agricultural Premium Fund are in the opinion of the Governor

1 in excess of the amount necessary for the purposes herein  
2 stated, the Governor shall notify the Comptroller and the  
3 State Treasurer of such fact, who, upon receipt of such  
4 notification, shall transfer such excess monies from the  
5 Agricultural Premium Fund to the General Revenue Fund.

6 (Source: P.A. 102-16, eff. 6-17-21; 102-538, eff. 8-20-21;  
7 102-813, eff. 5-13-22.)

8 (230 ILCS 5/30.5 rep.)

9 Section 5-335. The Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975 is  
10 amended by repealing Section 30.5.

11 (230 ILCS 10/7.14 rep.)

12 Section 5-340. The Illinois Gambling Act is amended by  
13 repealing Section 7.14.

14 Section 5-350. The Health Care Workplace Violence  
15 Prevention Act is amended by changing Section 35 as follows:

16 (405 ILCS 90/35)

17 Sec. 35. Pilot project, ~~task force~~. ~~(a)~~ The Department of  
18 Human Services and the Department of Public Health shall  
19 initially implement this Act as a 2-year pilot project in  
20 which only the following health care workplaces shall  
21 participate:

22 (1) The Chester Mental Health Center.

1 (2) The Alton Mental Health Center.

2 (3) The Douglas Singer Mental Health Center.

3 (4) The Andrew McFarland Mental Health Center.

4 (5) The Jacksonville Developmental Center.

5 Each health care workplace participating in the pilot  
6 project shall comply with this Act as provided in this Act.

7 ~~(b) The Governor shall convene a 11 member task force~~  
8 ~~consisting of the following: one member appointed by the~~  
9 ~~President of the Senate; one member appointed by the Minority~~  
10 ~~Leader of the Senate; one member appointed by the Speaker of~~  
11 ~~House of Representatives; one member appointed by the Minority~~  
12 ~~Leader of the House of Representatives; one representative~~  
13 ~~from a statewide association representing licensed registered~~  
14 ~~professional nurses; one licensed registered professional~~  
15 ~~nurse involved in direct patient care, appointed by the~~  
16 ~~Governor; one representative of an organization representing~~  
17 ~~State, county, and municipal employees, appointed by the~~  
18 ~~Governor; one representative of an organization representing~~  
19 ~~public employees, appointed by the Governor; and 3~~  
20 ~~representatives of the Department of Human Services, with one~~  
21 ~~representative from the Division of Mental Health, one~~  
22 ~~representative from the Division of Developmental~~  
23 ~~Disabilities, and one representative from the Division of~~  
24 ~~Rehabilitation Services of the Department of Human Services.~~  
25 ~~The task force shall submit a report to the Illinois General~~  
26 ~~Assembly by January 1, 2008 that shall (i) evaluate the~~

1 ~~effectiveness of the health care workplace violence prevention~~  
2 ~~pilot project in the facilities participating in the pilot~~  
3 ~~project and (ii) make recommendations concerning the~~  
4 ~~implementation of workplace violence prevention programs in~~  
5 ~~all health care workplaces.~~

6 ~~(c) The Department of Human Services shall provide all~~  
7 ~~necessary administrative support to the task force.~~

8 (Source: P.A. 94-347, eff. 7-28-05; 94-1012, eff. 7-7-06.)

9 Section 5-360. The Stem Cell Research and Human Cloning  
10 Prohibition Act is amended by changing Sections 10, 25, and 30  
11 as follows:

12 (410 ILCS 110/10)

13 Sec. 10. Definitions. As used in this Act:

14 "Department" means the Department of Public Health.

15 "Institute" means the Illinois Regenerative Medicine  
16 Institute.

17 ~~"Committee" means the Illinois Regenerative Medicine~~  
18 ~~Institute Oversight Committee.~~

19 (Source: P.A. 95-519, eff. 1-1-08.)

20 (410 ILCS 110/25)

21 Sec. 25. Conflict of interest.

22 (a) (Blank) ~~A person has a conflict of interest if any~~  
23 ~~Committee action with respect to a matter may directly or~~

1 ~~indirectly financially benefit any of the following:~~

2 ~~(1) That person.~~

3 ~~(2) That person's spouse, immediate family living with~~  
4 ~~that person, or that person's extended family.~~

5 ~~(3) Any individual or entity required to be disclosed~~  
6 ~~by that person.~~

7 ~~(4) Any other individual or entity with which that~~  
8 ~~person has a business or professional relationship.~~

9 (b) (Blank) ~~A Committee member who has a conflict of~~  
10 ~~interest with respect to a matter may not discuss that matter~~  
11 ~~with other Committee members and shall not vote upon or~~  
12 ~~otherwise participate in any Committee action with respect to~~  
13 ~~that matter. Each recusal occurring during a Committee meeting~~  
14 ~~shall be made a part of the minutes or recording of the meeting~~  
15 ~~in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.~~

16 (c) A member of a scientific peer review panel or any other  
17 advisory committee that may be established by the Department  
18 who has a conflict of interest with respect to a matter may not  
19 discuss that matter with other peer review panel or advisory  
20 committee members ~~or with Committee members~~ and shall not vote  
21 or otherwise participate in any peer review panel or advisory  
22 committee action with respect to that matter. Each recusal of  
23 a peer review panel or advisory committee member occurring  
24 during a peer review panel or advisory committee meeting shall  
25 be made a part of the minutes or recording of the meeting in  
26 accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

1 (d) The Institute shall not allow any Institute employee  
2 to participate in the processing of, or to provide any advice  
3 concerning, any matter with which the Institute employee has a  
4 conflict of interest.

5 (Source: P.A. 95-519, eff. 1-1-08.)

6 (410 ILCS 110/30)

7 Sec. 30. Disclosure of ~~Committee~~, scientific peer review  
8 panel, or advisory committee member income and interests.

9 (a) Each ~~Committee~~, scientific peer review panel, and any  
10 advisory committee member shall file with the Secretary of  
11 State a written disclosure of the following with respect to  
12 the member, the member's spouse, and any immediate family  
13 living with the member:

14 (1) Each source of income.

15 (2) Each entity in which the member, spouse, or  
16 immediate family living with the member has an ownership  
17 or distributive income share that is not an income source  
18 required to be disclosed under item (1) of this subsection  
19 (a).

20 (3) Each entity in or for which the member, spouse, or  
21 immediate family living with the member serves as an  
22 executive, officer, director, trustee, or fiduciary.

23 (4) Each entity with which the member, member's  
24 spouse, or immediate family living with the member has a  
25 contract for future income.

1           (b) Each ~~appointed Committee member and each~~ member of a  
2 scientific peer review panel and any advisory committee member  
3 shall file the disclosure required by subsection (a) of this  
4 Section at the time the member is appointed and at the time of  
5 any reappointment of that member.

6           (c) Each ~~Committee member and each~~ member of a scientific  
7 peer review panel and any advisory committee member shall file  
8 an updated disclosure with the Secretary of State promptly  
9 after any change in the items required to be disclosed under  
10 this subsection with respect to the member, the member's  
11 spouse, or any immediate family living with the member.

12           (d) The requirements of Section 3A-30 of the Illinois  
13 Governmental Ethics Act and any other disclosures required by  
14 law apply to this Act.

15           (e) Filed disclosures shall be public records.

16           (Source: P.A. 95-519, eff. 1-1-08.)

17           (410 ILCS 110/20 rep.)

18           (410 ILCS 110/35 rep.)

19           Section 5-365. The Stem Cell Research and Human Cloning  
20 Prohibition Act is amended by repealing Sections 20 and 35.

21           (410 ILCS 205/7 rep.)

22           Section 5-367. The Child Vision and Hearing Test Act is  
23 amended by repealing Section 7.

1 (410 ILCS 225/7 rep.)

2 Section 5-375. The Prenatal and Newborn Care Act is  
3 amended by repealing Section 7.

4 (410 ILCS 413/15 rep.)

5 (410 ILCS 413/20 rep.)

6 Section 5-385. The Epilepsy Disease Assistance Act is  
7 amended by repealing Sections 15 and 20.

8 Section 5-390. The Head and Spinal Cord Injury Act is  
9 amended by changing Sections 1 and 3 as follows:

10 (410 ILCS 515/1) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 7851)

11 Sec. 1. As used in this Act, unless the context clearly  
12 indicates otherwise:

13 (a) "Department" means the Department of Public Health.

14 (b) "Head Injury" means a sudden insult or damage to the  
15 brain or its coverings, not of a degenerative nature, which  
16 produces an altered state of consciousness or temporarily or  
17 permanently impairs mental, cognitive, behavioral or physical  
18 functioning. Cerebral vascular accidents, aneurisms and  
19 congenital deficits are excluded from this definition.

20 (c) "Spinal cord injury" means an injury that occurs as a  
21 result of trauma, which involves spinal vertebral fracture, or  
22 where the injured person suffers any of the following effects:

23 (1) effects on the sensory system including numbness,

1 tingling or loss of sensation in the body or in one or more  
2 extremities;

3 (2) effects on the motor system including weakness or  
4 paralysis in one or more extremities;

5 (3) effects on the visceral system including bowel or  
6 bladder dysfunction or hypotension.

7 ~~(d) "Council" means the Advisory Council on Spinal Cord  
8 and Head Injuries.~~

9 (Source: P.A. 86-510.)

10 (410 ILCS 515/3) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 7853)

11 Sec. 3. (a) All reports and records made pursuant to this  
12 Act and maintained by the Department and other appropriate  
13 persons, officials and institutions pursuant to this Act shall  
14 be confidential. Information shall not be made available to  
15 any individual or institution except to:

16 (1) appropriate staff of the Department; and

17 (2) any person engaged in a bona fide research project,  
18 with the permission of the Director of Public Health, except  
19 that no information identifying the subjects of the reports or  
20 the reporters shall be made available to researchers unless  
21 the Department requests and receives consent for such release  
22 pursuant to the provisions of this Section. and

23 ~~(3) the Council, except that no information identifying  
24 the subjects of the reports or the reporters shall be made  
25 available to the Council unless consent for release is~~

1 ~~requested and received pursuant to the provisions of this~~  
2 ~~Section. Only information pertaining to head and spinal cord~~  
3 ~~injuries as defined in Section 1 of this Act shall be released~~  
4 ~~to the Council.~~

5 (b) The Department shall not reveal the identity of a  
6 patient, physician or hospital, except that the identity of  
7 the patient may be released upon written consent of the  
8 patient, parent or guardian, the identity of the physician may  
9 be released upon written consent of the physician, and the  
10 identity of the hospital may be released upon written consent  
11 of the hospital.

12 (c) The Department shall request consent for release from  
13 a patient, a physician or hospital only upon a showing by the  
14 applicant for such release that obtaining the identities of  
15 certain patients, physicians or hospitals is necessary for his  
16 bonafide research directly related to the objectives of this  
17 Act.

18 (d) The Department shall at least annually compile a  
19 report of the data accumulated through the reporting system  
20 established under Section 2 of this Act ~~and shall submit such~~  
21 ~~data relating to spinal cord and head injuries in accordance~~  
22 ~~with confidentiality restrictions established pursuant to this~~  
23 ~~Act to the Council.~~

24 (Source: P.A. 86-510.)

1 Section 5-395. The Head and Spinal Cord Injury Act is  
2 amended by repealing Section 6.

3 Section 5-410. The Environmental Protection Act is amended  
4 by changing Section 17.7 as follows:

5 (415 ILCS 5/17.7) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1017.7)

6 Sec. 17.7. Community water supply testing fee.

7 (a) The Agency shall collect an annual nonrefundable  
8 testing fee from each community water supply for participating  
9 in the laboratory fee program for analytical services to  
10 determine compliance with contaminant levels specified in  
11 State or federal drinking water regulations. A community water  
12 supply may commit to participation in the laboratory fee  
13 program. If the community water supply makes such a  
14 commitment, it shall commit for a period consistent with the  
15 participation requirements established by the Agency ~~and the~~  
16 ~~Community Water Supply Testing Council (Council)~~. If a  
17 community water supply elects not to participate, it must  
18 annually notify the Agency in writing of its decision not to  
19 participate in the laboratory fee program.

20 (b) The Agency shall determine the fee for participating  
21 in the laboratory fee program for analytical services. The  
22 Agency may establish multi-year participation requirements for  
23 community water supplies and establish fees accordingly. The  
24 Agency shall base its annual fee determination upon the actual

1 and anticipated costs for testing under State and federal  
2 drinking water regulations and the associated administrative  
3 costs of the Agency ~~and the Council~~.

4 (c) Community water supplies that choose not to  
5 participate in the laboratory fee program or do not pay the  
6 fees shall have the duty to analyze all drinking water samples  
7 as required by State or federal safe drinking water  
8 regulations established after the federal Safe Drinking Water  
9 Act Amendments of 1986.

10 (d) There is hereby created in the State Treasury an  
11 interest-bearing special fund to be known as the Community  
12 Water Supply Laboratory Fund. All fees collected by the Agency  
13 under this Section shall be deposited into this Fund and shall  
14 be used for no other purpose except those established in this  
15 Section. In addition to any monies appropriated from the  
16 General Revenue Fund, monies in the Fund shall be appropriated  
17 to the Agency in amounts deemed necessary for laboratory  
18 testing of samples from community water supplies, and for the  
19 associated administrative expenses of the Agency ~~and the~~  
20 ~~Council~~.

21 (e) The Agency is authorized to adopt reasonable and  
22 necessary rules for the administration of this Section. ~~The~~  
23 ~~Agency shall submit the proposed rules for review by the~~  
24 ~~Council before submission of the rulemaking for the First~~  
25 ~~Notice under Section 5-40 of the Illinois Administrative~~  
26 ~~Procedure Act.~~

1       ~~(f) The Director shall establish a Community Water Supply~~  
2 ~~Testing Council, consisting of 5 persons who are elected~~  
3 ~~municipal officials, 5 persons representing community water~~  
4 ~~supplies, one person representing the engineering profession,~~  
5 ~~one person representing investor owned utilities, one person~~  
6 ~~representing the Illinois Association of Environmental~~  
7 ~~Laboratories, and 2 persons representing municipalities and~~  
8 ~~community water supplies on a statewide basis, all appointed~~  
9 ~~by the Director. Beginning in 1994, the Director shall appoint~~  
10 ~~the following to the Council: (i) 2 elected municipal~~  
11 ~~officials, 2 community water supply representatives, and 1~~  
12 ~~investor-owned utility representative, each for a one-year~~  
13 ~~term; (ii) 2 elected municipal officials and 2 community water~~  
14 ~~supply representatives, each for a 2 year term; and (iii) one~~  
15 ~~elected municipal official, one community water supply~~  
16 ~~representative, one person representing the engineering~~  
17 ~~profession, and 2 persons representing municipalities and~~  
18 ~~community water supplies on a statewide basis, each for a 3~~  
19 ~~year term. As soon as possible after the effective date of this~~  
20 ~~amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, the Director~~  
21 ~~shall appoint one person representing the Illinois Association~~  
22 ~~of Environmental Laboratories to a term of 3 years.~~  
23 ~~Thereafter, the Director shall appoint successors in each~~  
24 ~~position to 3 year terms. In case of a vacancy, the Director~~  
25 ~~may appoint a successor to fill the remaining term of the~~  
26 ~~vacancy. Members of the Council shall serve until a successor~~

1 ~~is appointed by the Director. The Council shall select from~~  
2 ~~its members a chairperson and such other officers as it deems~~  
3 ~~necessary. The Council shall meet at the call of the Director~~  
4 ~~or the Chairperson of the Council. The Agency shall provide~~  
5 ~~the Council with such supporting services as the Director and~~  
6 ~~the Chairperson may designate, and members shall be reimbursed~~  
7 ~~for ordinary and necessary expenses incurred in the~~  
8 ~~performance of their duties. The Council shall have the~~  
9 ~~following duties:~~

10 ~~(1) to hold regular and special meetings at a time and~~  
11 ~~place designated by the Director or the Chairperson of the~~  
12 ~~Council;~~

13 ~~(2) to consider appropriate means for long-term~~  
14 ~~financial support of water supply testing, and to make~~  
15 ~~recommendations to the Agency regarding a preferred~~  
16 ~~approach;~~

17 ~~(3) to review and evaluate the financial implications~~  
18 ~~of current and future federal requirements for monitoring~~  
19 ~~of public water supplies;~~

20 ~~(4) to review and evaluate management and financial~~  
21 ~~audit reports related to the testing program, and to make~~  
22 ~~recommendations regarding the Agency's efforts to~~  
23 ~~implement the fee system and testing provided for by this~~  
24 ~~Section;~~

25 ~~(5) to require an external audit as may be deemed~~  
26 ~~necessary by the Council; and~~

1           ~~(6) to conduct such other activities as may be deemed~~  
2           ~~appropriate by the Director.~~

3           (Source: P.A. 97-220, eff. 7-28-11.)

4           (430 ILCS 40/6 rep.)

5           Section 5-420. The Illinois Poison Prevention Packaging  
6           Act is amended by repealing Section 6.

7           Section 5-423. The Manufactured Home Quality Assurance Act  
8           is amended by changing Section 40 as follows:

9           (430 ILCS 117/40)

10          Sec. 40. Oversight.

11          (a) This Act is to be administered by the Department. The  
12          Department and other personnel as the Department considers  
13          necessary must perform the following duties:

14                 (1) Issue manufacturer's licenses and collect fees.

15                 (2) Issue installer's licenses and collect fees.

16          (b) The Department must serve as a liaison between the  
17          State, mobile home park owners, purchasers of mobile homes,  
18          dealers, manufacturers, and installers. The Department must  
19          receive and investigate complaints related to this Act for the  
20          purpose of obtaining non-binding resolution of conflicts  
21          between park owners, dealers, manufacturers, installers, and  
22          purchasers of mobile homes.

23          (c) (Blank). ~~There is created the Manufactured Housing~~

1 ~~Quality Assurance Board to consult and advise the Department.~~  
2 ~~The Board must comprise 9 members as follows: (i) The Director~~  
3 ~~of the Department, or his or her designee, to serve as~~  
4 ~~chairman; (ii) 3 residents of mobile home parks who have lived~~  
5 ~~in mobile homes for at least 5 years; (iii) the president of a~~  
6 ~~state association of mobile home owners or his or her~~  
7 ~~representative; (iv) one mobile home park owner who has owned~~  
8 ~~a mobile home park containing at least 20 sites for at least 5~~  
9 ~~years; (v) one licensed dealer; (vi) one licensed installer;~~  
10 ~~and (vii) one licensed manufacturer. Each individual described~~  
11 ~~in items (iv), (v), (vi), and (vii) must be an active member of~~  
12 ~~either the Illinois Manufactured Housing Association or the~~  
13 ~~Illinois Housing Institute.~~

14 (d) (Blank). ~~Members of the Board are appointed by the~~  
15 ~~Governor for 3 year terms, except that, of the initial~~  
16 ~~members, the terms of 3 members expire on December 31 of the~~  
17 ~~year following the effective date of this Act and the terms of~~  
18 ~~3 other members expire on December 31 of the second year~~  
19 ~~following the effective date of this Act. Members serve until~~  
20 ~~their successors are appointed. Any member appointed to fill a~~  
21 ~~vacancy occurring prior to the expiration of the term for~~  
22 ~~which his predecessor was appointed is appointed for the~~  
23 ~~remainder of that term. The initial appointments commence on~~  
24 ~~the effective date of this Act.~~

25 (e) (Blank). ~~The Board must meet at least 3 times each~~  
26 ~~year. Additional meetings may be called by the Department. A~~

1 ~~majority of the members of the Board constitute a quorum. Each~~  
2 ~~member of the Board must be compensated for travel expenses~~  
3 ~~incurred in the performance of duties as a member of the Board~~  
4 ~~in accordance with Section 12-2 of the State Finance Act.~~

5 (f) The Department must promulgate rules to implement this  
6 Act.

7 (Source: P.A. 92-410, eff. 1-1-02.)

8 (605 ILCS 30/4 rep.)

9 Section 5-430. The Bikeway Act is amended by repealing  
10 Section 4.

11 (625 ILCS 5/15-117 rep.)

12 Section 5-440. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
13 repealing Section 15-117.

14 (730 ILCS 5/3-19-15 rep.)

15 Section 5-450. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended  
16 by repealing Section 3-19-15.

17 Section 5-455. The Eminent Domain Act is amended by  
18 changing Sections 5-5-5 and 15-5-15 as follows:

19 (735 ILCS 30/5-5-5)

20 Sec. 5-5-5. Exercise of the power of eminent domain;  
21 public use; blight.

1           (a) In addition to all other limitations and requirements,  
2 a condemning authority may not take or damage property by the  
3 exercise of the power of eminent domain unless it is for a  
4 public use, as set forth in this Section.

5           (a-5) Subsections (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this  
6 Section do not apply to the acquisition of property under the  
7 O'Hare Modernization Act. A condemning authority may exercise  
8 the power of eminent domain for the acquisition or damaging of  
9 property under the O'Hare Modernization Act as provided for by  
10 law in effect prior to the effective date of this Act.

11           (a-10) Subsections (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this  
12 Section do not apply to the acquisition or damaging of  
13 property in furtherance of the goals and objectives of an  
14 existing tax increment allocation redevelopment plan. A  
15 condemning authority may exercise the power of eminent domain  
16 for the acquisition of property in furtherance of an existing  
17 tax increment allocation redevelopment plan as provided for by  
18 law in effect prior to the effective date of this Act.

19           As used in this subsection, "existing tax increment  
20 allocation redevelopment plan" means a redevelopment plan that  
21 was adopted under the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment  
22 Act (Article 11, Division 74.4 of the Illinois Municipal Code)  
23 prior to April 15, 2006 and for which property assembly costs  
24 were, before that date, included as a budget line item in the  
25 plan or described in the narrative portion of the plan as part  
26 of the redevelopment project, but does not include (i) any

1 additional area added to the redevelopment project area on or  
2 after April 15, 2006, (ii) any subsequent extension of the  
3 completion date of a redevelopment plan beyond the estimated  
4 completion date established in that plan prior to April 15,  
5 2006, (iii) any acquisition of property in a conservation area  
6 for which the condemnation complaint is filed more than 12  
7 years after the effective date of this Act, or (iv) any  
8 acquisition of property in an industrial park conservation  
9 area.

10 As used in this subsection, "conservation area" and  
11 "industrial park conservation area" have the same meanings as  
12 under Section 11-74.4-3 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

13 (b) If the exercise of eminent domain authority is to  
14 acquire property for public ownership and control, then the  
15 condemning authority must prove that (i) the acquisition of  
16 the property is necessary for a public purpose and (ii) the  
17 acquired property will be owned and controlled by the  
18 condemning authority or another governmental entity.

19 (c) Except when the acquisition is governed by subsection  
20 (b) or is primarily for one of the purposes specified in  
21 subsection (d), (e), or (f) and the condemning authority  
22 elects to proceed under one of those subsections, if the  
23 exercise of eminent domain authority is to acquire property  
24 for private ownership or control, or both, then the condemning  
25 authority must prove by clear and convincing evidence that the  
26 acquisition of the property for private ownership or control

1 is (i) primarily for the benefit, use, or enjoyment of the  
2 public and (ii) necessary for a public purpose.

3 An acquisition of property primarily for the purpose of  
4 the elimination of blight is rebuttably presumed to be for a  
5 public purpose and primarily for the benefit, use, or  
6 enjoyment of the public under this subsection.

7 Any challenge to the existence of blighting factors  
8 alleged in a complaint to condemn under this subsection shall  
9 be raised within 6 months of the filing date of the complaint  
10 to condemn, and if not raised within that time the right to  
11 challenge the existence of those blighting factors shall be  
12 deemed waived.

13 Evidence that the Illinois Commerce Commission has granted  
14 a certificate or otherwise made a finding of public  
15 convenience and necessity for an acquisition of property (or  
16 any right or interest in property) for private ownership or  
17 control (including, without limitation, an acquisition for  
18 which the use of eminent domain is authorized under the Public  
19 Utilities Act, the Telephone Company Act, or the Electric  
20 Supplier Act) to be used for utility purposes creates a  
21 rebuttable presumption that such acquisition of that property  
22 (or right or interest in property) is (i) primarily for the  
23 benefit, use, or enjoyment of the public and (ii) necessary  
24 for a public purpose.

25 In the case of an acquisition of property (or any right or  
26 interest in property) for private ownership or control to be

1 used for utility, pipeline, or railroad purposes for which no  
2 certificate or finding of public convenience and necessity by  
3 the Illinois Commerce Commission is required, evidence that  
4 the acquisition is one for which the use of eminent domain is  
5 authorized under one of the following laws creates a  
6 rebuttable presumption that the acquisition of that property  
7 (or right or interest in property) is (i) primarily for the  
8 benefit, use, or enjoyment of the public and (ii) necessary  
9 for a public purpose:

10 (1) the Public Utilities Act,

11 (2) the Telephone Company Act,

12 (3) the Electric Supplier Act,

13 (4) the Railroad Terminal Authority Act,

14 (5) (blank), ~~the Grand Avenue Railroad Relocation~~  
15 ~~Authority Act,~~

16 (6) the West Cook Railroad Relocation and Development  
17 Authority Act,

18 (7) Section 4-505 of the Illinois Highway Code,

19 (8) Section 17 or 18 of the Railroad Incorporation  
20 Act,

21 (9) Section 18c-7501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.

22 (d) If the exercise of eminent domain authority is to  
23 acquire property for private ownership or control and if the  
24 primary basis for the acquisition is the elimination of blight  
25 and the condemning authority elects to proceed under this  
26 subsection, then the condemning authority must: (i) prove by a

1 preponderance of the evidence that acquisition of the property  
2 for private ownership or control is necessary for a public  
3 purpose; (ii) prove by a preponderance of the evidence that  
4 the property to be acquired is located in an area that is  
5 currently designated as a blighted area or conservation area  
6 under an applicable statute; (iii) if the existence of blight  
7 or blighting factors is challenged in an appropriate motion  
8 filed within 6 months after the date of filing of the complaint  
9 to condemn, prove by a preponderance of the evidence that the  
10 required blighting factors existed in the area so designated  
11 (but not necessarily in the particular property to be  
12 acquired) at the time of the designation under item (ii) or at  
13 any time thereafter; and (iv) prove by a preponderance of the  
14 evidence at least one of the following:

15 (A) that it has entered into an express written  
16 agreement in which a private person or entity agrees to  
17 undertake a development project within the blighted area  
18 that specifically details the reasons for which the  
19 property or rights in that property are necessary for the  
20 development project;

21 (B) that the exercise of eminent domain power and the  
22 proposed use of the property by the condemning authority  
23 are consistent with a regional plan that has been adopted  
24 within the past 5 years in accordance with Section 5-14001  
25 of the Counties Code or Section 11-12-6 of the Illinois  
26 Municipal Code or with a local land resource management

1 plan adopted under Section 4 of the Local Land Resource  
2 Management Planning Act; or

3 (C) that (1) the acquired property will be used in the  
4 development of a project that is consistent with the land  
5 uses set forth in a comprehensive redevelopment plan  
6 prepared in accordance with the applicable statute  
7 authorizing the condemning authority to exercise the power  
8 of eminent domain and is consistent with the goals and  
9 purposes of that comprehensive redevelopment plan, and (2)  
10 an enforceable written agreement, deed restriction, or  
11 similar encumbrance has been or will be executed and  
12 recorded against the acquired property to assure that the  
13 project and the use of the property remain consistent with  
14 those land uses, goals, and purposes for a period of at  
15 least 40 years, which execution and recording shall be  
16 included as a requirement in any final order entered in  
17 the condemnation proceeding.

18 The existence of an ordinance, resolution, or other  
19 official act designating an area as blighted is not prima  
20 facie evidence of the existence of blight. A finding by the  
21 court in a condemnation proceeding that a property or area has  
22 not been proven to be blighted does not apply to any other case  
23 or undermine the designation of a blighted area or  
24 conservation area or the determination of the existence of  
25 blight for any other purpose or under any other statute,  
26 including without limitation under the Tax Increment

1 Allocation Redevelopment Act (Article 11, Division 74.4 of the  
2 Illinois Municipal Code).

3 Any challenge to the existence of blighting factors  
4 alleged in a complaint to condemn under this subsection shall  
5 be raised within 6 months of the filing date of the complaint  
6 to condemn, and if not raised within that time the right to  
7 challenge the existence of those blighting factors shall be  
8 deemed waived.

9 (e) If the exercise of eminent domain authority is to  
10 acquire property for private ownership or control and if the  
11 primary purpose of the acquisition is one of the purposes  
12 specified in item (iii) of this subsection and the condemning  
13 authority elects to proceed under this subsection, then the  
14 condemning authority must prove by a preponderance of the  
15 evidence that: (i) the acquisition of the property is  
16 necessary for a public purpose; (ii) an enforceable written  
17 agreement, deed restriction, or similar encumbrance has been  
18 or will be executed and recorded against the acquired property  
19 to assure that the project and the use of the property remain  
20 consistent with the applicable purpose specified in item (iii)  
21 of this subsection for a period of at least 40 years, which  
22 execution and recording shall be included as a requirement in  
23 any final order entered in the condemnation proceeding; and  
24 (iii) the acquired property will be one of the following:

25 (1) included in the project site for a residential  
26 project, or a mixed-use project including residential

1 units, where not less than 20% of the residential units in  
2 the project are made available, for at least 15 years, by  
3 deed restriction, long-term lease, regulatory agreement,  
4 extended use agreement, or a comparable recorded  
5 encumbrance, to low-income households and very low-income  
6 households, as defined in Section 3 of the Illinois  
7 Affordable Housing Act;

8 (2) used primarily for public airport, road, parking,  
9 or mass transportation purposes and sold or leased to a  
10 private party in a sale-leaseback, lease-leaseback, or  
11 similar structured financing;

12 (3) owned or used by a public utility or electric  
13 cooperative for utility purposes;

14 (4) owned or used by a railroad for passenger or  
15 freight transportation purposes;

16 (5) sold or leased to a private party that operates a  
17 water supply, waste water, recycling, waste disposal,  
18 waste-to-energy, or similar facility;

19 (6) sold or leased to a not-for-profit corporation  
20 whose purposes include the preservation of open space, the  
21 operation of park space, and similar public purposes;

22 (7) used as a library, museum, or related facility, or  
23 as infrastructure related to such a facility;

24 (8) used by a private party for the operation of a  
25 charter school open to the general public; or

26 (9) a historic resource, as defined in Section 3 of

1 the Illinois State Agency Historic Resources Preservation  
2 Act, a landmark designated as such under a local  
3 ordinance, or a contributing structure within a local  
4 landmark district listed on the National Register of  
5 Historic Places, that is being acquired for purposes of  
6 preservation or rehabilitation.

7 (f) If the exercise of eminent domain authority is to  
8 acquire property for public ownership and private control and  
9 if the primary purpose of the acquisition is one of the  
10 purposes specified in item (iii) of this subsection and the  
11 condemning authority elects to proceed under this subsection,  
12 then the condemning authority must prove by a preponderance of  
13 the evidence that: (i) the acquisition of the property is  
14 necessary for a public purpose; (ii) the acquired property  
15 will be owned by the condemning authority or another  
16 governmental entity; and (iii) the acquired property will be  
17 controlled by a private party that operates a business or  
18 facility related to the condemning authority's operation of a  
19 university, medical district, hospital, exposition or  
20 convention center, mass transportation facility, or airport,  
21 including, but not limited to, a medical clinic, research and  
22 development center, food or commercial concession facility,  
23 social service facility, maintenance or storage facility,  
24 cargo facility, rental car facility, bus facility, taxi  
25 facility, flight kitchen, fixed based operation, parking  
26 facility, refueling facility, water supply facility, and

1 railroad tracks and stations.

2 (g) This Article is a limitation on the exercise of the  
3 power of eminent domain, but is not an independent grant of  
4 authority to exercise the power of eminent domain.

5 (Source: P.A. 94-1055, eff. 1-1-07.)

6 (735 ILCS 30/15-5-15)

7 Sec. 15-5-15. Eminent domain powers in ILCS Chapters 70  
8 through 75. The following provisions of law may include  
9 express grants of the power to acquire property by  
10 condemnation or eminent domain:

11 (70 ILCS 5/8.02 and 5/9); Airport Authorities Act; airport  
12 authorities; for public airport facilities.

13 (70 ILCS 5/8.05 and 5/9); Airport Authorities Act; airport  
14 authorities; for removal of airport hazards.

15 (70 ILCS 5/8.06 and 5/9); Airport Authorities Act; airport  
16 authorities; for reduction of the height of objects or  
17 structures.

18 (70 ILCS 10/4); Interstate Airport Authorities Act; interstate  
19 airport authorities; for general purposes.

20 (70 ILCS 15/3); Kankakee River Valley Area Airport Authority  
21 Act; Kankakee River Valley Area Airport Authority; for  
22 acquisition of land for airports.

23 (70 ILCS 200/2-20); Civic Center Code; civic center  
24 authorities; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

1 (70 ILCS 200/5-35); Civic Center Code; Aledo Civic Center  
2 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

3 (70 ILCS 200/10-15); Civic Center Code; Aurora Metropolitan  
4 Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
5 grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

6 (70 ILCS 200/15-40); Civic Center Code; Benton Civic Center  
7 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

8 (70 ILCS 200/20-15); Civic Center Code; Bloomington Civic  
9 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
10 parking.

11 (70 ILCS 200/35-35); Civic Center Code; Brownstown Park  
12 District Civic Center Authority; for grounds, centers,  
13 buildings, and parking.

14 (70 ILCS 200/40-35); Civic Center Code; Carbondale Civic  
15 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
16 parking.

17 (70 ILCS 200/55-60); Civic Center Code; Chicago South Civic  
18 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
19 parking.

20 (70 ILCS 200/60-30); Civic Center Code; Collinsville  
21 Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
22 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

23 (70 ILCS 200/70-35); Civic Center Code; Crystal Lake Civic  
24 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
25 parking.

26 (70 ILCS 200/75-20); Civic Center Code; Decatur Metropolitan

1           Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
2           grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

3       (70 ILCS 200/80-15); Civic Center Code; DuPage County  
4           Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
5           Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

6       (70 ILCS 200/85-35); Civic Center Code; Elgin Metropolitan  
7           Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
8           grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

9       (70 ILCS 200/95-25); Civic Center Code; Herrin Metropolitan  
10          Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
11          grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

12       (70 ILCS 200/110-35); Civic Center Code; Illinois Valley Civic  
13          Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
14          parking.

15       (70 ILCS 200/115-35); Civic Center Code; Jasper County Civic  
16          Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
17          parking.

18       (70 ILCS 200/120-25); Civic Center Code; Jefferson County  
19          Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
20          Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

21       (70 ILCS 200/125-15); Civic Center Code; Jo Daviess County  
22          Civic Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings,  
23          and parking.

24       (70 ILCS 200/130-30); Civic Center Code; Katherine Dunham  
25          Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
26          Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

1 (70 ILCS 200/145-35); Civic Center Code; Marengo Civic Center  
2 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

3 (70 ILCS 200/150-35); Civic Center Code; Mason County Civic  
4 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
5 parking.

6 (70 ILCS 200/155-15); Civic Center Code; Matteson Metropolitan  
7 Civic Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings,  
8 and parking.

9 (70 ILCS 200/160-35); Civic Center Code; Maywood Civic Center  
10 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

11 (70 ILCS 200/165-35); Civic Center Code; Melrose Park  
12 Metropolitan Exposition Auditorium and Office Building  
13 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

14 (70 ILCS 200/170-20); Civic Center Code; certain Metropolitan  
15 Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authorities;  
16 for general purposes.

17 (70 ILCS 200/180-35); Civic Center Code; Normal Civic Center  
18 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

19 (70 ILCS 200/185-15); Civic Center Code; Oak Park Civic Center  
20 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

21 (70 ILCS 200/195-35); Civic Center Code; Ottawa Civic Center  
22 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

23 (70 ILCS 200/200-15); Civic Center Code; Pekin Civic Center  
24 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

25 (70 ILCS 200/205-15); Civic Center Code; Peoria Civic Center  
26 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

1 (70 ILCS 200/210-35); Civic Center Code; Pontiac Civic Center  
2 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

3 (70 ILCS 200/215-15); Civic Center Code; Illinois Quad City  
4 Civic Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings,  
5 and parking.

6 (70 ILCS 200/220-30); Civic Center Code; Quincy Metropolitan  
7 Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
8 grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

9 (70 ILCS 200/225-35); Civic Center Code; Randolph County Civic  
10 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
11 parking.

12 (70 ILCS 200/230-35); Civic Center Code; River Forest  
13 Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
14 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

15 (70 ILCS 200/235-40); Civic Center Code; Riverside Civic  
16 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
17 parking.

18 (70 ILCS 200/245-35); Civic Center Code; Salem Civic Center  
19 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

20 (70 ILCS 200/255-20); Civic Center Code; Springfield  
21 Metropolitan Exposition and Auditorium Authority; for  
22 grounds, centers, and parking.

23 (70 ILCS 200/260-35); Civic Center Code; Sterling Metropolitan  
24 Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building Authority; for  
25 grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.

26 (70 ILCS 200/265-20); Civic Center Code; Vermilion County

1 Metropolitan Exposition, Auditorium and Office Building  
2 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.  
3 (70 ILCS 200/270-35); Civic Center Code; Waukegan Civic Center  
4 Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and parking.  
5 (70 ILCS 200/275-35); Civic Center Code; West Frankfort Civic  
6 Center Authority; for grounds, centers, buildings, and  
7 parking.  
8 (70 ILCS 200/280-20); Civic Center Code; Will County  
9 Metropolitan Exposition and Auditorium Authority; for  
10 grounds, centers, and parking.  
11 (70 ILCS 210/5); Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority  
12 Act; Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority; for  
13 general purposes, including quick-take power.  
14 (70 ILCS 405/22.04); Soil and Water Conservation Districts  
15 Act; soil and water conservation districts; for general  
16 purposes.  
17 (70 ILCS 410/10 and 410/12); Conservation District Act;  
18 conservation districts; for open space, wildland, scenic  
19 roadway, pathway, outdoor recreation, or other  
20 conservation benefits.  
21 (70 ILCS 503/25); Chanute-Rantoul National Aviation Center  
22 Redevelopment Commission Act; Chanute-Rantoul National  
23 Aviation Center Redevelopment Commission; for general  
24 purposes.  
25 (70 ILCS 507/15); Fort Sheridan Redevelopment Commission Act;  
26 Fort Sheridan Redevelopment Commission; for general

1 purposes or to carry out comprehensive or redevelopment  
2 plans.

3 (70 ILCS 520/8); Southwestern Illinois Development Authority  
4 Act; Southwestern Illinois Development Authority; for  
5 general purposes, including quick-take power.

6 (70 ILCS 605/4-17 and 605/5-7); Illinois Drainage Code;  
7 drainage districts; for general purposes.

8 (70 ILCS 615/5 and 615/6); Chicago Drainage District Act;  
9 corporate authorities; for construction and maintenance of  
10 works.

11 (70 ILCS 705/10); Fire Protection District Act; fire  
12 protection districts; for general purposes.

13 (70 ILCS 750/20); Flood Prevention District Act; flood  
14 prevention districts; for general purposes.

15 (70 ILCS 805/6); Downstate Forest Preserve District Act;  
16 certain forest preserve districts; for general purposes.

17 (70 ILCS 805/18.8); Downstate Forest Preserve District Act;  
18 certain forest preserve districts; for recreational and  
19 cultural facilities.

20 (70 ILCS 810/8); Cook County Forest Preserve District Act;  
21 Forest Preserve District of Cook County; for general  
22 purposes.

23 (70 ILCS 810/38); Cook County Forest Preserve District Act;  
24 Forest Preserve District of Cook County; for recreational  
25 facilities.

26 (70 ILCS 910/15 and 910/16); Hospital District Law; hospital

1 districts; for hospitals or hospital facilities.

2 (70 ILCS 915/3); Illinois Medical District Act; Illinois  
3 Medical District Commission; for general purposes.

4 (70 ILCS 915/4.5); Illinois Medical District Act; Illinois  
5 Medical District Commission; quick-take power for the  
6 Illinois State Police Forensic Science Laboratory  
7 (obsolete).

8 (70 ILCS 920/5); Tuberculosis Sanitarium District Act;  
9 tuberculosis sanitarium districts; for tuberculosis  
10 sanitariums.

11 (70 ILCS 925/20); Mid-Illinois Medical District Act;  
12 Mid-Illinois Medical District; for general purposes.

13 (70 ILCS 930/20); Mid-America Medical District Act;  
14 Mid-America Medical District Commission; for general  
15 purposes.

16 (70 ILCS 935/20); Roseland Community Medical District Act;  
17 medical district; for general purposes.

18 (70 ILCS 1005/7); Mosquito Abatement District Act; mosquito  
19 abatement districts; for general purposes.

20 (70 ILCS 1105/8); Museum District Act; museum districts; for  
21 general purposes.

22 (70 ILCS 1205/7-1); Park District Code; park districts; for  
23 streets and other purposes.

24 (70 ILCS 1205/8-1); Park District Code; park districts; for  
25 parks.

26 (70 ILCS 1205/9-2 and 1205/9-4); Park District Code; park

1 districts; for airports and landing fields.

2 (70 ILCS 1205/11-2 and 1205/11-3); Park District Code; park  
3 districts; for State land abutting public water and  
4 certain access rights.

5 (70 ILCS 1205/11.1-3); Park District Code; park districts; for  
6 harbors.

7 (70 ILCS 1225/2); Park Commissioners Land Condemnation Act;  
8 park districts; for street widening.

9 (70 ILCS 1230/1 and 1230/1-a); Park Commissioners Water  
10 Control Act; park districts; for parks, boulevards,  
11 driveways, parkways, viaducts, bridges, or tunnels.

12 (70 ILCS 1250/2); Park Commissioners Street Control (1889)  
13 Act; park districts; for boulevards or driveways.

14 (70 ILCS 1290/1); Park District Aquarium and Museum Act;  
15 municipalities or park districts; for aquariums or  
16 museums.

17 (70 ILCS 1305/2); Park District Airport Zoning Act; park  
18 districts; for restriction of the height of structures.

19 (70 ILCS 1310/5); Park District Elevated Highway Act; park  
20 districts; for elevated highways.

21 (70 ILCS 1505/15); Chicago Park District Act; Chicago Park  
22 District; for parks and other purposes.

23 (70 ILCS 1505/25.1); Chicago Park District Act; Chicago Park  
24 District; for parking lots or garages.

25 (70 ILCS 1505/26.3); Chicago Park District Act; Chicago Park  
26 District; for harbors.

1 (70 ILCS 1570/5); Lincoln Park Commissioners Land Condemnation  
2 Act; Lincoln Park Commissioners; for land and interests in  
3 land, including riparian rights.

4 (70 ILCS 1801/30); Alexander-Cairo Port District Act;  
5 Alexander-Cairo Port District; for general purposes.

6 (70 ILCS 1805/8); Havana Regional Port District Act; Havana  
7 Regional Port District; for general purposes.

8 (70 ILCS 1810/7); Illinois International Port District Act;  
9 Illinois International Port District; for general  
10 purposes.

11 (70 ILCS 1815/13); Illinois Valley Regional Port District Act;  
12 Illinois Valley Regional Port District; for general  
13 purposes.

14 (70 ILCS 1820/4); Jackson-Union Counties Regional Port  
15 District Act; Jackson-Union Counties Regional Port  
16 District; for removal of airport hazards or reduction of  
17 the height of objects or structures.

18 (70 ILCS 1820/5); Jackson-Union Counties Regional Port  
19 District Act; Jackson-Union Counties Regional Port  
20 District; for general purposes.

21 (70 ILCS 1825/4.9); Joliet Regional Port District Act; Joliet  
22 Regional Port District; for removal of airport hazards.

23 (70 ILCS 1825/4.10); Joliet Regional Port District Act; Joliet  
24 Regional Port District; for reduction of the height of  
25 objects or structures.

26 (70 ILCS 1825/4.18); Joliet Regional Port District Act; Joliet

1 Regional Port District; for removal of hazards from ports  
2 and terminals.

3 (70 ILCS 1825/5); Joliet Regional Port District Act; Joliet  
4 Regional Port District; for general purposes.

5 (70 ILCS 1830/7.1); Kaskaskia Regional Port District Act;  
6 Kaskaskia Regional Port District; for removal of hazards  
7 from ports and terminals.

8 (70 ILCS 1830/14); Kaskaskia Regional Port District Act;  
9 Kaskaskia Regional Port District; for general purposes.

10 (70 ILCS 1831/30); Massac-Metropolis Port District Act;  
11 Massac-Metropolis Port District; for general purposes.

12 (70 ILCS 1835/5.10); Mt. Carmel Regional Port District Act;  
13 Mt. Carmel Regional Port District; for removal of airport  
14 hazards.

15 ~~(70 ILCS 1835/5.11); Mt. Carmel Regional Port District Act;~~  
16 ~~Mt. Carmel Regional Port District; for reduction of the~~  
17 ~~height of objects or structures.~~

18 ~~(70 ILCS 1835/6); Mt. Carmel Regional Port District Act; Mt.~~  
19 ~~Carmel Regional Port District; for general purposes.~~

20 (70 ILCS 1837/30); Ottawa Port District Act; Ottawa Port  
21 District; for general purposes.

22 (70 ILCS 1842/30 and 1842/35); Rock Island Regional Port  
23 District Act; Rock Island Regional Port District and  
24 participating municipalities; for general Port District  
25 purposes.

26 (70 ILCS 1845/4.9); Seneca Regional Port District Act; Seneca

1 Regional Port District; for removal of airport hazards.  
2 (70 ILCS 1845/4.10); Seneca Regional Port District Act; Seneca  
3 Regional Port District; for reduction of the height of  
4 objects or structures.

5 (70 ILCS 1845/5); Seneca Regional Port District Act; Seneca  
6 Regional Port District; for general purposes.

7 (70 ILCS 1850/4); Shawneetown Regional Port District Act;  
8 Shawneetown Regional Port District; for removal of airport  
9 hazards or reduction of the height of objects or  
10 structures.

11 (70 ILCS 1850/5); Shawneetown Regional Port District Act;  
12 Shawneetown Regional Port District; for general purposes.

13 (70 ILCS 1855/4); Southwest Regional Port District Act;  
14 Southwest Regional Port District; for removal of airport  
15 hazards or reduction of the height of objects or  
16 structures.

17 (70 ILCS 1855/5); Southwest Regional Port District Act;  
18 Southwest Regional Port District; for general purposes.

19 (70 ILCS 1860/4); Tri-City Regional Port District Act;  
20 Tri-City Regional Port District; for removal of airport  
21 hazards.

22 (70 ILCS 1860/5); Tri-City Regional Port District Act;  
23 Tri-City Regional Port District; for the development of  
24 facilities.

25 (70 ILCS 1863/11); Upper Mississippi River International Port  
26 District Act; Upper Mississippi River International Port

1 District; for general purposes.

2 (70 ILCS 1865/4.9); Waukegan Port District Act; Waukegan Port  
3 District; for removal of airport hazards.

4 (70 ILCS 1865/4.10); Waukegan Port District Act; Waukegan Port  
5 District; for restricting the height of objects or  
6 structures.

7 (70 ILCS 1865/5); Waukegan Port District Act; Waukegan Port  
8 District; for the development of facilities.

9 ~~(70 ILCS 1870/8); White County Port District Act; White County  
10 Port District; for the development of facilities.~~

11 (70 ILCS 1905/16); Railroad Terminal Authority Act; Railroad  
12 Terminal Authority (Chicago); for general purposes.

13 ~~(70 ILCS 1915/25); Grand Avenue Railroad Relocation Authority  
14 Act; Grand Avenue Railroad Relocation Authority; for  
15 general purposes, including quick take power (now  
16 obsolete).~~

17 ~~(70 ILCS 1935/25); Elmwood Park Grade Separation Authority  
18 Act; Elmwood Park Grade Separation Authority; for general  
19 purposes.~~

20 (70 ILCS 2105/9b); River Conservancy Districts Act; river  
21 conservancy districts; for general purposes.

22 (70 ILCS 2105/10a); River Conservancy Districts Act; river  
23 conservancy districts; for corporate purposes.

24 (70 ILCS 2205/15); Sanitary District Act of 1907; sanitary  
25 districts; for corporate purposes.

26 (70 ILCS 2205/18); Sanitary District Act of 1907; sanitary

1 districts; for improvements and works.

2 (70 ILCS 2205/19); Sanitary District Act of 1907; sanitary  
3 districts; for access to property.

4 (70 ILCS 2305/8); North Shore Water Reclamation District Act;  
5 North Shore Water Reclamation District; for corporate  
6 purposes.

7 (70 ILCS 2305/15); North Shore Water Reclamation District Act;  
8 North Shore Water Reclamation District; for improvements.

9 (70 ILCS 2405/7.9); Sanitary District Act of 1917; Sanitary  
10 District of Decatur; for carrying out agreements to sell,  
11 convey, or disburse treated wastewater to a private  
12 entity.

13 (70 ILCS 2405/8); Sanitary District Act of 1917; sanitary  
14 districts; for corporate purposes.

15 (70 ILCS 2405/15); Sanitary District Act of 1917; sanitary  
16 districts; for improvements.

17 (70 ILCS 2405/16.9 and 2405/16.10); Sanitary District Act of  
18 1917; sanitary districts; for waterworks.

19 (70 ILCS 2405/17.2); Sanitary District Act of 1917; sanitary  
20 districts; for public sewer and water utility treatment  
21 works.

22 (70 ILCS 2405/18); Sanitary District Act of 1917; sanitary  
23 districts; for dams or other structures to regulate water  
24 flow.

25 (70 ILCS 2605/8); Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Act;  
26 Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; for corporate

1 purposes.

2 (70 ILCS 2605/16); Metropolitan Water Reclamation District  
3 Act; Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; quick-take  
4 power for improvements.

5 (70 ILCS 2605/17); Metropolitan Water Reclamation District  
6 Act; Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; for bridges.

7 (70 ILCS 2605/35); Metropolitan Water Reclamation District  
8 Act; Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; for widening  
9 and deepening a navigable stream.

10 (70 ILCS 2805/10); Sanitary District Act of 1936; sanitary  
11 districts; for corporate purposes.

12 (70 ILCS 2805/24); Sanitary District Act of 1936; sanitary  
13 districts; for improvements.

14 (70 ILCS 2805/26i and 2805/26j); Sanitary District Act of  
15 1936; sanitary districts; for drainage systems.

16 (70 ILCS 2805/27); Sanitary District Act of 1936; sanitary  
17 districts; for dams or other structures to regulate water  
18 flow.

19 (70 ILCS 2805/32k); Sanitary District Act of 1936; sanitary  
20 districts; for water supply.

21 (70 ILCS 2805/32l); Sanitary District Act of 1936; sanitary  
22 districts; for waterworks.

23 (70 ILCS 2905/2-7); Metro-East Sanitary District Act of 1974;  
24 Metro-East Sanitary District; for corporate purposes.

25 (70 ILCS 2905/2-8); Metro-East Sanitary District Act of 1974;  
26 Metro-East Sanitary District; for access to property.

1 (70 ILCS 3010/10); Sanitary District Revenue Bond Act;  
2 sanitary districts; for sewerage systems.

3 (70 ILCS 3205/12); Illinois Sports Facilities Authority Act;  
4 Illinois Sports Facilities Authority; quick-take power for  
5 its corporate purposes (obsolete).

6 (70 ILCS 3405/16); Surface Water Protection District Act;  
7 surface water protection districts; for corporate  
8 purposes.

9 (70 ILCS 3605/7); Metropolitan Transit Authority Act; Chicago  
10 Transit Authority; for transportation systems.

11 (70 ILCS 3605/8); Metropolitan Transit Authority Act; Chicago  
12 Transit Authority; for general purposes.

13 (70 ILCS 3605/10); Metropolitan Transit Authority Act; Chicago  
14 Transit Authority; for general purposes, including  
15 railroad property.

16 (70 ILCS 3610/3 and 3610/5); Local Mass Transit District Act;  
17 local mass transit districts; for general purposes.

18 (70 ILCS 3615/2.13); Regional Transportation Authority Act;  
19 Regional Transportation Authority; for general purposes.

20 (70 ILCS 3705/8 and 3705/12); Public Water District Act;  
21 public water districts; for waterworks.

22 (70 ILCS 3705/23a); Public Water District Act; public water  
23 districts; for sewerage properties.

24 (70 ILCS 3705/23e); Public Water District Act; public water  
25 districts; for combined waterworks and sewerage systems.

26 (70 ILCS 3715/6); Water Authorities Act; water authorities;

1 for facilities to ensure adequate water supply.  
2 (70 ILCS 3715/27); Water Authorities Act; water authorities;  
3 for access to property.  
4 (75 ILCS 5/4-7); Illinois Local Library Act; boards of library  
5 trustees; for library buildings.  
6 (75 ILCS 16/30-55.80); Public Library District Act of 1991;  
7 public library districts; for general purposes.  
8 (75 ILCS 65/1 and 65/3); Libraries in Parks Act; corporate  
9 authorities of city or park district, or board of park  
10 commissioners; for free public library buildings.  
11 (Source: Incorporates 98-564, eff. 8-27-13; P.A. 98-756, eff.  
12 7-16-14; 99-669, eff. 7-29-16; revised 6-23-25.)

13 Article 10.

14 Section 10-5. The State Salary and Annuity Withholding Act  
15 is amended by changing Sections 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, and 9 as  
16 follows:

17 (5 ILCS 365/2) (from Ch. 127, par. 352)

18 Sec. 2. Definitions. As used in this Act, unless the  
19 context otherwise requires:

20 "Office" means the State Comptroller, the Board of  
21 Trustees of the State Universities Retirement System, or the  
22 Board of Trustees of any of the following institutions: the  
23 University of Illinois, Southern Illinois University, Chicago

1 State University, Eastern Illinois University, Governors State  
2 University, Illinois State University, Northeastern Illinois  
3 University, Northern Illinois University, and Western Illinois  
4 University.

5 "Department" means any department, board, commission,  
6 institution, officer, court, or agency of State government,  
7 other than the University of Illinois, Southern Illinois  
8 University, Chicago State University, Eastern Illinois  
9 University, Governors State University, Illinois State  
10 University, Northeastern Illinois University, Northern  
11 Illinois University, and Western Illinois University,  
12 receiving State appropriations and having the power to certify  
13 payrolls to the Comptroller authorizing payments of salary or  
14 wages from appropriations from any State fund or from trust  
15 funds held by the State Treasurer; and the Board of Trustees of  
16 the General Assembly Retirement System, the Board of Trustees  
17 of the State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois, the  
18 Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Retirement System of the  
19 State of Illinois, and the Board of Trustees of the Judges  
20 Retirement System of Illinois created respectively by Articles  
21 2, 14, 16, and 18 of the Illinois Pension Code.

22 "Employee" means any regular officer or employee who  
23 receives salary or wages for personal service rendered to the  
24 State of Illinois ~~and, for the purpose of deduction for the~~  
25 ~~purchase of United States Savings Bonds, includes any State~~  
26 ~~contractual employee.~~

1 "Annuitant" means a person receiving a retirement annuity  
2 or disability benefits under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of  
3 the Illinois Pension Code.

4 "Annuity" means the retirement annuity or disability  
5 benefits received by an annuitant.

6 (Source: P.A. 89-4, eff. 1-1-96; 90-14, eff. 7-1-97; 90-448,  
7 eff. 8-16-97.)

8 (5 ILCS 365/4) (from Ch. 127, par. 354)

9 Sec. 4. Authorization of withholding. An employee or  
10 annuitant may authorize the withholding of a portion of his  
11 salary, wages, or annuity for any one or more of the following  
12 purposes:

13 (1) (blank); ~~for purchase of United States Savings~~  
14 ~~Bonds;~~

15 (2) for payment of premiums on life or accident and  
16 health insurance as defined in Section 4 of the "Illinois  
17 Insurance Code", ~~approved June 29, 1937, as amended,~~ and  
18 for payment of premiums on policies of automobile  
19 insurance as defined in Section 143.13 of the "Illinois  
20 Insurance Code", ~~as amended,~~ and the personal multiperil  
21 coverages commonly known as homeowner's insurance.  
22 However, no portion of salaries, wages or annuities may be  
23 withheld to pay premiums on automobile, homeowner's, life  
24 or accident and health insurance policies issued by any  
25 one insurance company or insurance service company unless

1 a minimum of 100 employees or annuitants insured by that  
2 company authorize the withholding by an Office within 6  
3 months after such withholding begins. If such minimum is  
4 not satisfied the Office may discontinue withholding for  
5 such company. For any insurance company or insurance  
6 service company which has not previously had withholding,  
7 the Office may allow withholding for premiums, where less  
8 than 100 policies have been written, to cover a  
9 probationary period. An insurance company which has  
10 discontinued withholding may reinstate it upon  
11 presentation of facts indicating new management or  
12 reorganization ~~re-organization~~ satisfactory to the Office;

13 (3) for payment to any labor organization designated  
14 by the employee;

15 (4) for payment of dues to any association the  
16 membership of which consists of State employees and former  
17 State employees;

18 (5) for deposit in any credit union, in which State  
19 employees are within the field of membership as a result  
20 of their employment;

21 (6) for payment to or for the benefit of an  
22 institution of higher education by an employee of that  
23 institution;

24 (7) for payment of parking fees at the parking  
25 facilities located on the Urbana-Champaign campus of the  
26 University of Illinois;

1           (8) for voluntary payment to the State of Illinois of  
2 amounts then due and payable to the State;

3           (9) for investment purchases made as a participant or  
4 contributor to qualified tuition programs established  
5 pursuant to Section 529 of the Internal Revenue Code or  
6 qualified ABLE programs established pursuant to Section  
7 529A of the Internal Revenue Code;

8           (10) for voluntary payment to the Illinois Department  
9 of Revenue of amounts due or to become due under the  
10 Illinois Income Tax Act;

11           (11) for payment of optional contributions to a  
12 retirement system subject to the provisions of the  
13 Illinois Pension Code;

14           (12) for contributions to organizations found  
15 qualified by the State Comptroller under the requirements  
16 set forth in the Voluntary Payroll Deductions Act of 1983;

17           (13) for payment of fringe benefit contributions to  
18 employee benefit trust funds (whether such employee  
19 benefit trust funds are governed by the Employee  
20 Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, 29  
21 U.S.C. §1001 et seq. or not) for State contractual  
22 employees hired through labor organizations and working  
23 pursuant to a signed agreement between a labor  
24 organization and a State agency, whether subject to the  
25 Illinois Prevailing Wage Act or not; this item (13) is not  
26 intended to limit employee benefit trust funds and the

1 contributions to be made thereto to be limited to those  
2 which are encompassed for purposes of computing the  
3 prevailing wage in any particular locale, but rather such  
4 employee benefit trusts are intended to include  
5 contributions to be made to such funds that are intended  
6 to assist in training, building and maintenance, industry  
7 advancement, and the like, including, but not limited to,  
8 those benefit trust funds such as pension and welfare that  
9 are normally computed in the prevailing wage rates and  
10 which otherwise would be subject to contribution  
11 obligations by private employers that are signatory to  
12 agreements with labor organizations;

13 (14) for voluntary payment as part of the Illinois  
14 Gives Initiative under Section 26 of the State Comptroller  
15 Act; or

16 (15) for payment of parking fees at the underground  
17 facility located south of the William G. Stratton State  
18 Office Building in Springfield or the parking ramp located  
19 at 401 South College Street, west of the William G.  
20 Stratton State Office Building in Springfield.

21 (Source: P.A. 99-166, eff. 7-28-15; 100-763, eff. 8-10-18.)

22 (5 ILCS 365/6) (from Ch. 127, par. 356)

23 Sec. 6. Sufficient copies of any authorization provided  
24 for by this Act shall be executed by the employee to enable the  
25 Department that prepares the voucher on which the employee's

1 name appears to transmit a copy thereof to any Department  
2 required to certify or approve such vouchers, and the  
3 Department so preparing the voucher shall make such  
4 transmittals. Copies of such authorization need not be  
5 transmitted to the Department of Central Management Services.  
6 ~~Authorizations for withholding and the termination of~~  
7 ~~withholding for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds~~  
8 ~~shall be filed with the Comptroller.~~

9 Each Department and Office, in the preparation of  
10 vouchers, or payroll disbursing, is authorized and directed,  
11 in addition to other requirements of law, to indicate thereon:

12 (1) the amount or amounts to be withheld from the  
13 salary, wages or annuity of each employee or annuitant  
14 that has authorized such withholding under this Act;

15 (2) the purpose or purposes of such withholding; and

16 (3) the net amount payable to the employee or  
17 annuitant.

18 ~~Voucher forms designed and approved by the comptroller~~  
19 ~~under the provisions of Section 9a of "An Act in relation to~~  
20 ~~State finance", approved June 10, 1919, as heretofore or~~  
21 ~~hereafter amended, shall be so designed as to meet the~~  
22 ~~requirements of this Section.~~

23 Any Department required to approve vouchers shall approve  
24 vouchers prepared in accordance with this Act if they meet the  
25 requirements of other laws applicable thereto.

26 (Source: P.A. 82-789.)

1 (5 ILCS 365/7) (from Ch. 127, par. 357)

2 Sec. 7. Any Office in making payment for any item of  
3 salary, wages or annuity on a voucher or in disbursing a  
4 payroll shall deduct any amount or amounts authorized to be  
5 withheld under this Act as certified in such voucher or  
6 disbursed in such payroll and shall make payment to the  
7 employee or annuitant for the net amount payable to the  
8 employee or annuitant. Where payment is made by warrant,  
9 information concerning the amount or amounts withheld and the  
10 purpose of each such withholding shall be provided on a  
11 detachable stub. Where payment is made by the Comptroller by  
12 direct deposit, the Comptroller may distribute statements of  
13 the amounts and purposes of withholding from such payments  
14 intermittently, not less than annually.

15 ~~Each Office shall create a separate trust fund for the~~  
16 ~~purpose of withholding from employees for the purchase of~~  
17 ~~United States Savings Bonds as provided by this Act. The State~~  
18 ~~Treasurer shall be ex officio, trustee and custodian of such~~  
19 ~~trust fund created by the State Comptroller. The Comptroller~~  
20 ~~shall direct the State Treasurer to deposit to the trust fund~~  
21 ~~the amounts authorized to be withheld for United States~~  
22 ~~Savings Bonds as certified on each payroll or annuitant's~~  
23 ~~voucher.~~

24 Such trust fund and each individual employee or annuitant  
25 account created by the Comptroller shall be subject to audit

1 the same as funds and accounts belonging to the State of  
2 Illinois and shall be protected by the official bond given by  
3 the State Treasurer. Trust funds and individual employee or  
4 annuitant accounts created by an Office other than the  
5 Comptroller shall be subject to audit in the same manner as  
6 other funds.

7 (Source: P.A. 83-162.)

8 (5 ILCS 365/8) (from Ch. 127, par. 358)

9 Sec. 8. Payment of certain amounts withheld.

10 (a) If a withholding authorization is for the purpose of  
11 payment of insurance premiums or for payment to a labor union,  
12 each Office shall make payments, as soon as payroll warrants  
13 are prepared and verified, on behalf of the employee or  
14 annuitant to the payee named in the authorization the amount  
15 specified in the authorization. Such payments shall be made by  
16 warrants prepared at the time the payroll is processed.

17 (b) ~~(Blank). If a withholding authorization is for the~~  
18 ~~purpose of purchasing United States Savings Bonds, each~~  
19 ~~Office, whenever a sufficient sum has accumulated in the~~  
20 ~~employee's account to purchase a bond of the denomination~~  
21 ~~directed by the employee in his authorization, shall purchase~~  
22 ~~such a United States Savings Bond in the name designated by the~~  
23 ~~employee and deliver it to the employee.~~

24 (c) If a withholding authorization is for the purpose of  
25 payment of parking fees pursuant to paragraph (7) 7 of Section

1 4, the State Comptroller shall deposit the amount withheld in  
2 the State Parking Facility Maintenance Fund in the State  
3 Treasury.

4 (d) If a withholding authorization is for the purpose of  
5 payment of amounts due or to become due under the Illinois  
6 Income Tax Act, the Office shall pay the amounts withheld  
7 without delay directly to the Department of Revenue or to a  
8 depository designated by the Department of Revenue.

9 (e) If a withholding authorization is for the purpose of  
10 payment of parking fees under paragraph (15) of Section 4 of  
11 this Act, the State Comptroller shall deposit the entire  
12 amount withheld in the State Parking Facility Maintenance Fund  
13 in the State treasury.

14 (Source: P.A. 99-166, eff. 7-28-15.)

15 (5 ILCS 365/9) (from Ch. 127, par. 359)

16 Sec. 9. Any authorization to withhold from the salary,  
17 wages or annuity of an employee or annuitant shall terminate  
18 and such withholding shall cease upon the happening of any of  
19 the following events:

20 (1) termination of employment or termination of  
21 payment of an annuity, as the case may be;

22 (2) written notice by the employee or annuitant of  
23 cancellation of such former authorization, except that an  
24 authorization to withhold for the payment of optional  
25 contributions to a retirement system through an employer

1 pickup is irrevocable;

2 (3) expiration of the time during which such  
3 withholding was authorized;

4 (4) when the total amount authorized to be withheld  
5 has been so withheld.

6 ~~Upon termination of authorization to purchase United~~  
7 ~~States Savings Bonds, any amount withheld from the salary or~~  
8 ~~wages of an employee for such purpose and which has not been so~~  
9 ~~used shall be immediately remitted by each Office to the~~  
10 ~~person from whose salary or wages such amount was withheld.~~

11 (Source: P.A. 90-448, eff. 8-16-97.)

12 Section 10-10. The Department of Commerce and Economic  
13 Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois  
14 is amended by changing Section 605-328 as follows:

15 (20 ILCS 605/605-328)

16 Sec. 605-328. Economic Development Matching Grants  
17 Program.

18 (a) The Department, in its discretion, may establish a  
19 program of grants to be matched by economic development  
20 entities in the State to finance and promote local economic  
21 development. The Department is authorized to make grants,  
22 subject to appropriations by the General Assembly for this  
23 purpose, ~~from the Economic Development Matching Grants Program~~  
24 ~~Fund, a special fund created in the State treasury,~~ to

1 nonprofit organizations and ~~local~~ units of local government  
2 whose primary objectives are to promote Illinois communities  
3 as sites for industrial and business location and expansion.  
4 The goal of the program is to enhance the marketing of Illinois  
5 by enabling regions and communities to market themselves and  
6 thereby attract new business and industry to the State and  
7 enhance the environment of growth for existing business and  
8 industry.

9 (b) The applicant's proposed project must have a definable  
10 impact on business and industrial attraction, recruitment, or  
11 retention. Items eligible for funding consideration include,  
12 but are not limited to, specific, time-limited research  
13 studies related to industrial and business recruitment or  
14 retention, advertising and public relation expenses related to  
15 the applicant's proposed project, and production of printed  
16 materials and brochures, slide presentations and videotapes,  
17 and internet home pages for distribution to those involved in  
18 expansion or relocation activities.

19 (c) In determining the recipients of the grants,  
20 consideration shall be given to the following factors:

21 (1) Does the project demonstrate collaboration between  
22 more than one municipality, county, and region?

23 (2) Does the project demonstrate substantial potential  
24 for economic return from an area outside the applicant's  
25 region and provide research measurement?

26 (3) Does the project show creativity and good design

1 qualities and appropriately target a specific market?

2 (4) Does the project support the Department's economic  
3 development out-of-state marketing efforts?

4 (5) Is the project a demonstrable part of a long-range  
5 marketing or strategic plan?

6 (6) Are the projected costs for the project  
7 well-researched and reasonable?

8 (d) State grant dollars shall be evenly matched by the  
9 applicant.

10 (e) (Blank). ~~Moneys appropriated to the program of grants~~  
11 ~~shall be deposited into the Economic Development Matching~~  
12 ~~Grants Program Fund and shall not lapse into the General~~  
13 ~~Revenue Fund at the end of a fiscal year.~~

14 (f) The grants made under this Section shall be in  
15 addition to any other grant programs currently in place and  
16 administered by the Department.

17 (g) The Department shall adopt rules to implement this  
18 program.

19 (Source: P.A. 90-660, eff. 7-30-98; 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)

20 Section 10-15. The Technology Advancement and Development  
21 Act is amended by changing Section 1004 as follows:

22 (20 ILCS 700/1004) (from Ch. 127, par. 3701-4)

23 Sec. 1004. Duties and powers. The Department of Commerce  
24 and Economic Opportunity shall establish and administer any of

1 the programs authorized under this Act subject to the  
2 availability of funds appropriated by the General Assembly.  
3 The Department may make awards from general revenue fund  
4 appropriations and ~~7~~ federal reimbursement funds, ~~and the~~  
5 ~~Technology Cooperation Fund,~~ as provided under the provisions  
6 of this Act. The Department, in addition to those powers  
7 granted under the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois, is  
8 granted the following powers to help administer the provisions  
9 of this Act:

10 (a) To provide financial assistance as direct or  
11 participation grants, loans, or qualified security  
12 investments to, or on behalf of, eligible applicants.  
13 Loans, grants, and investments shall be made for the  
14 purpose of increasing research and development,  
15 commercializing technology, adopting advanced production  
16 and processing techniques, and promoting job creation and  
17 retention within Illinois;

18 (b) To enter into agreements, accept funds or grants,  
19 and engage in cooperation with agencies of the federal  
20 government, local units of government, universities,  
21 research foundations or institutions, regional economic  
22 development corporations, or other organizations for the  
23 purposes of this Act;

24 (c) To enter into contracts, agreements, and memoranda  
25 of understanding; and to provide funds for participation  
26 agreements or to make any other agreements or contracts or

1 to invest, grant, or loan funds to any participating  
2 intermediary organizations, including not-for-profit  
3 entities, for-profit entities, State agencies or  
4 authorities, government owned and contract operated  
5 facilities, institutions of higher education, other public  
6 or private development corporations, or other entities  
7 necessary or desirable to further the purpose of this Act.  
8 Any such agreement or contract by an intermediary  
9 organization to deliver programs authorized under this Act  
10 may include terms and provisions, including, but not  
11 limited to, organization and development of documentation,  
12 review and approval of projects, servicing and  
13 disbursement of funds, and other related activities;

14 (d) To fix, determine, charge, and collect any  
15 premiums, fees, charges, costs, and expenses, including,  
16 without limitation, any application fees, commitment fees,  
17 program fees, financing charges, or publication fees in  
18 connection with the Department's activities under this  
19 Act;

20 (e) To establish forms for applications,  
21 notifications, contracts, or any other agreements, and to  
22 promulgate procedures, rules, or regulations deemed  
23 necessary and appropriate;

24 (f) To establish and regulate the terms and conditions  
25 of the Department's agreements and to consent, subject to  
26 the provisions of any agreement with another party, to the

1 modification or restructuring of any agreement to which  
2 the Department is a party;

3 (g) To require that recipients of financial assistance  
4 shall at all times keep proper books of record and account  
5 in accordance with generally accepted accounting  
6 principles consistently applied, with such books open for  
7 reasonable Department inspection and audits, including,  
8 without limitation, the making of copies thereof;

9 (h) To require applicants or grantees receiving funds  
10 under this Act to permit the Department to: (i) inspect  
11 and audit any books, records or papers related to the  
12 project in the custody or control of the applicant,  
13 including the making of copies or extracts thereof, and  
14 (ii) inspect or appraise any of the applicant's or  
15 grantee's business assets;

16 (i) To require applicants or grantees, upon written  
17 request by the Department, to issue any necessary  
18 authorization to the appropriate federal, State, or local  
19 authority for the release of information concerning a  
20 business or business project financed under the provisions  
21 of this Act, with the information requested to include,  
22 but not be limited to, financial reports, returns, or  
23 records relating to that business or business project;

24 (i-5) To provide staffing, administration, and related  
25 support required to manage the programs authorized under  
26 this Act and to pay for staffing and administration as

1       appropriated by the General Assembly. Administrative  
2       responsibilities may include, but are not limited to,  
3       research and identification of the needs of commerce and  
4       industry in this State; design of comprehensive statewide  
5       plans and programs; direction, management, and control of  
6       specific projects; and communication and cooperation with  
7       entities about technology commercialization and business  
8       modernization;

9           (j) To take whatever actions are necessary or  
10       appropriate to protect the State's interest in the event  
11       of bankruptcy, default, foreclosure or noncompliance with  
12       the terms and conditions of financial assistance or  
13       participation required under this Act, including the power  
14       to sell, dispose, lease or rent, upon terms and conditions  
15       determined by the Director to be appropriate, real or  
16       personal property which the Department may receive as a  
17       result thereof; and

18           (k) To exercise such other powers as are necessary to  
19       carry out the purposes of this Act.

20       (Source: P.A. 100-201, eff. 8-18-17.)

21       Section 10-20. The Women's Business Ownership Act of 2015  
22       is amended by changing Section 5 as follows:

23           (20 ILCS 5060/5)

24       Sec. 5. Women's Business Ownership Council. The Women's

1 Business Ownership Council is created within the Department of  
2 Commerce and Economic Opportunity. The Council shall consist  
3 of 9 members, with 5 persons appointed by the Governor, one of  
4 whom shall be the Director of Commerce and Economic  
5 Opportunity or his or her designee, one person appointed by  
6 the President of the Senate, one person appointed by the  
7 Minority Leader of the Senate, one person appointed by the  
8 Speaker of the House of Representatives, and one person  
9 appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of  
10 Representatives.

11 Appointed members shall be uniquely qualified by  
12 education, professional knowledge, or experience to serve on  
13 the Council and shall reflect the ethnic, cultural, and  
14 geographic diversity of the State. Of the 9 members, at least 5  
15 shall be women business owners. As used in this Act, "woman  
16 business owner" means a woman who is either:

17 (1) the principal of a company or business concern, at  
18 least 51% of which is owned, operated, and controlled by  
19 women; or

20 (2) a senior officer or director of a company or  
21 business concern who also has either:

22 (A) material responsibility for the daily  
23 operations and management of the overall company or  
24 business concern; or

25 (B) material responsibility for the policy making  
26 of the company or business concern.

1           Of the initial appointments, members shall be randomly  
2 assigned to staggered terms; 3 members shall be appointed for  
3 a term of 3 years, 3 members shall be appointed for a term of 2  
4 years, and 3 members shall be appointed for a term of one year.  
5 Upon the expiration of each member's term, a successor shall  
6 be appointed for a term of 3 years. In the case of a vacancy in  
7 the office of any member, a successor shall be appointed for  
8 the remainder of the unexpired term by the person designated  
9 as responsible for making the appointment. No member shall  
10 serve more than 3 consecutive terms. Members shall serve  
11 without compensation but shall be reimbursed for expenses  
12 incurred in connection with the performance of their duties as  
13 members.

14           One of the members shall be designated as Chairperson by  
15 the Governor. In the event the Governor does not appoint the  
16 Chairperson within 60 days after August 3, 2015 (the effective  
17 date of Public Act 99-233) ~~this Act~~, the Council shall convene  
18 and elect a Chairperson by a simple majority vote. Upon a  
19 vacancy in the position of Chairperson, the Governor shall  
20 have 30 days from the date of the resignation to appoint a new  
21 Chairperson. In the event the Governor does not appoint a new  
22 Chairperson within 30 days, the Council shall convene and  
23 elect a new Chairperson by a simple majority vote.

24           The first meeting of the Council shall be held within 90  
25 days after August 3, 2015 (the effective date of Public Act  
26 99-233) ~~this Act~~. The Council shall meet quarterly and may

1 hold other meetings on the call of the Chairperson. Five  
2 members shall constitute a quorum. The Council may adopt rules  
3 it deems necessary to govern its own procedures. The  
4 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall  
5 cooperate with the Council to fulfill the purposes of this Act  
6 and shall provide the Council with necessary staff and  
7 administrative support. ~~The Council may apply for grants from  
8 the public and private sector and is authorized to accept  
9 grants, gifts, and donations, which shall be deposited into  
10 the Women's Business Ownership Fund.~~

11 (Source: P.A. 99-233, eff. 8-3-15.)

12 (20 ILCS 5060/15 rep.)

13 Section 10-25. The Women's Business Ownership Act of 2015  
14 is amended by repealing Section 15.

15 Section 10-30. The State Finance Act is amended by  
16 changing Section 5.270 as follows:

17 (30 ILCS 105/5.270) (from Ch. 127, par. 141.270)

18 Sec. 5.270. The CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund  
19 ~~(Commercial Driver's License Information System/American  
20 Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators network/National  
21 Motor Vehicle Title Information Service Trust Fund).~~

22 (Source: P.A. 98-177, eff. 1-1-14.)

1 (30 ILCS 105/5.637 rep.)

2 (30 ILCS 105/5.706 rep.)

3 (30 ILCS 105/5.728 rep.)

4 (30 ILCS 105/5.869 rep.)

5 (30 ILCS 105/5.878 rep.)

6 Section 10-35. The State Finance Act is amended by  
7 repealing Sections 5.637, 5.706, 5.728, 5.869, and 5.878.

8 (30 ILCS 186/Act rep.)

9 Section 10-40. The Emergency Budget Implementation Act of  
10 Fiscal Year 2010 is repealed.

11 (105 ILCS 124/Act rep.)

12 Section 10-45. The Farm Fresh Schools Program Act is  
13 repealed.

14 Section 10-50. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by  
15 changing Sections 511.111 and 513b6 as follows:

16 (215 ILCS 5/511.111) (from Ch. 73, par. 1065.58-111)

17 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2027)

18 Sec. 511.111. Insurance Producer Administration Fund. All  
19 fees and fines paid to and collected by the Director under this  
20 Article shall be paid promptly after receipt thereof, together  
21 with a detailed statement of such fees, into a special fund in  
22 the State Treasury to be known as the Insurance Producer

1 Administration Fund. The monies deposited into the Insurance  
2 Producer Administration Fund shall be used only for payment of  
3 the expenses of the Department and shall be appropriated as  
4 otherwise provided by law for the payment of such expenses.  
5 ~~Moneys in the Insurance Producer Administration Fund may be~~  
6 ~~transferred to the Professions Indirect Cost Fund, as~~  
7 ~~authorized under Section 2105-300 of the Department of~~  
8 ~~Professional Regulation Law of the Civil Administrative Code~~  
9 ~~of Illinois.~~

10 (Source: P.A. 98-463, eff. 8-16-13.)

11 (215 ILCS 5/513b6)

12 Sec. 513b6. Insurance Producer Administration Fund. All  
13 fees and fines paid to and collected by the Director under this  
14 Article shall be paid promptly after receipt thereof, together  
15 with a detailed statement of such fees, into the Insurance  
16 Producer Administration Fund. ~~The moneys deposited into the~~  
17 ~~Insurance Producer Administration Fund may be transferred to~~  
18 ~~the Professions Indirect Cost Fund, as authorized under~~  
19 ~~Section 2105-300 of the Department of Professional Regulation~~  
20 ~~Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.~~

21 (Source: P.A. 101-452, eff. 1-1-20.)

22 Section 10-55. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by  
23 changing Sections 5C-7 and 12-4.50 as follows:

1 (305 ILCS 5/5C-7) (from Ch. 23, par. 5C-7)

2 Sec. 5C-7. Care Provider Fund for Persons with a  
3 Developmental Disability.

4 (a) There is created in the State Treasury the Care  
5 Provider Fund for Persons with a Developmental Disability.  
6 Interest earned by the Fund shall be credited to the Fund. The  
7 Fund shall not be used to replace any moneys appropriated to  
8 the Medicaid program by the General Assembly.

9 (b) The Fund is created for the purpose of receiving and  
10 disbursing assessment moneys in accordance with this Article.  
11 Disbursements from the Fund shall be made only as follows:

12 (1) For payments to intermediate care facilities for  
13 persons with a developmental disability under Title XIX of  
14 the Social Security Act and Article V of this Code.

15 (2) For the reimbursement of moneys collected by the  
16 Illinois Department through error or mistake, ~~and to make~~  
17 ~~required payments under Section 5-4.28(a)(1) of this Code~~  
18 ~~if there are no moneys available for such payments in the~~  
19 ~~Medicaid Provider for Persons with a Developmental~~  
20 ~~Disability Participation Fee Trust Fund.~~

21 (3) For payment of administrative expenses incurred by  
22 the Department of Human Services or its agent or the  
23 Illinois Department or its agent in performing the  
24 activities authorized by this Article.

25 (4) For payments of any amounts which are reimbursable  
26 to the federal government for payments from this Fund

1 which are required to be paid by State warrant.

2 (5) For making transfers to the General Obligation  
3 Bond Retirement and Interest Fund as those transfers are  
4 authorized in the proceedings authorizing debt under the  
5 Short Term Borrowing Act, but transfers made under this  
6 paragraph (5) shall not exceed the principal amount of  
7 debt issued in anticipation of the receipt by the State of  
8 moneys to be deposited into the Fund.

9 (6) For making refunds as required under Section 5C-10  
10 of this Article.

11 Disbursements from the Fund, other than transfers to the  
12 General Obligation Bond Retirement and Interest Fund, shall be  
13 by warrants drawn by the State Comptroller upon receipt of  
14 vouchers duly executed and certified by the Illinois  
15 Department.

16 (c) The Fund shall consist of the following:

17 (1) All moneys collected or received by the Illinois  
18 Department from the care provider for persons with a  
19 developmental disability assessment imposed by this  
20 Article.

21 (2) All federal matching funds received by the  
22 Illinois Department as a result of expenditures made by  
23 the Illinois Department that are attributable to moneys  
24 deposited in the Fund.

25 (3) Any interest or penalty levied in conjunction with  
26 the administration of this Article.

1           (4) (Blank). ~~Any balance in the Medicaid Care Provider~~  
2 ~~for Persons With a Developmental Disability Participation~~  
3 ~~Fee Trust Fund in the State Treasury. The balance shall be~~  
4 ~~transferred to the Fund upon certification by the Illinois~~  
5 ~~Department to the State Comptroller that all of the~~  
6 ~~disbursements required by Section 5 4.21(b) of this Code~~  
7 ~~have been made.~~

8           (5) All other moneys received for the Fund from any  
9 other source, including interest earned thereon.

10 (Source: P.A. 98-463, eff. 8-16-13; 98-651, eff. 6-16-14;  
11 99-143, eff. 7-27-15.)

12           (305 ILCS 5/12-4.50)

13           Sec. 12-4.50. Healthy Local Food Incentives Program.

14           (a) Legislative findings. Diet and other lifestyle choices  
15 contribute to more than half of all deaths in Illinois. Health  
16 risk factors include smoking, obesity, stress, nutrition, high  
17 blood pressure, and alcohol and drug use. Illinois residents  
18 should be encouraged to adopt diets and lifestyles that lead  
19 to wellness. The State can help provide that encouragement by  
20 funding wellness programs that enhance the health of Illinois  
21 residents. Healthy local food incentives encourage wellness  
22 among some of the most vulnerable residents of Illinois (those  
23 whose incomes are below the poverty line and who often have  
24 limited access to fresh, healthy, and affordable foods) by  
25 doubling the purchasing power of LINK cardholders at farmers

1 markets across the State. The benefits of such a program  
2 include: an increase in population health, Medicaid health  
3 care cost savings, decreased incidence of preventable  
4 diseases, increased revenue for Illinois small farmers, and  
5 economic stimulus for the region.

6 (b) Definitions. As used in this Section:

7 "FINI eligible fruits and vegetables" means any variety of  
8 fresh, canned, dried, or frozen whole or cut fruits and  
9 vegetables without added sugars, fats, or oils, and salt (i.e.  
10 sodium), as defined by the Food Insecurity Nutrition Incentive  
11 Grant Program administered by the United States Department of  
12 Agriculture.

13 "LINK card" means an electronic benefits transfer card  
14 issued by the Department of Human Services for the purpose of  
15 enabling a user of the card to obtain SNAP benefits or cash.

16 "SNAP" means the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance  
17 Program.

18 (c) The Department of Human Services shall establish a  
19 Healthy Local Food Incentives Program to double the purchasing  
20 power of Illinois residents with limited access to fresh  
21 fruits and vegetables. ~~The Healthy Local Food Incentives Fund~~  
22 ~~is created as a special fund in the State treasury for the~~  
23 ~~purpose of implementing the Healthy Local Food Incentives~~  
24 ~~Program. All moneys received pursuant to this Section shall be~~  
25 ~~deposited into the Healthy Local Food Incentives Fund.~~

26 (d) Subject to appropriation, the Department of Human

1 Services shall make an annual grant of \$500,000 ~~from the Fund~~  
2 to a qualified Illinois non-profit organization or agency,  
3 which shall be distributed to participating Illinois farmers  
4 markets for the purpose of providing matching dollar  
5 incentives (up to a specified amount) for the dollar value of  
6 SNAP benefits spent on FINI eligible fruits and vegetables at  
7 participating Illinois farmers markets and direct  
8 producer-to-consumer venues.

9 (e) The designated qualified non-profit organization or  
10 agency shall have a demonstrated track record of:

11 (1) building a statewide network;

12 (2) designing and implementing successful healthy food  
13 incentive programs that connect SNAP recipients with local  
14 producers;

15 (3) implementing funds distribution and reporting  
16 processes;

17 (4) providing training and technical assistance to  
18 farmers markets;

19 (5) conducting community outreach and data collection;  
20 and

21 (6) providing full accounting and administration of  
22 funds distributed to farmers markets.

23 (f) 100% of the grant funds ~~moneys deposited into the Fund~~  
24 shall be distributed to participating Illinois farmers markets  
25 for healthy local food incentives.

26 (g) Within 90 days after the end of a grant cycle, the

1 designated qualified non-profit organization or agency shall  
2 submit a progress report to the Department of Human Services.  
3 The progress report shall include the following information:

4 (1) the names and locations of Illinois farmers  
5 markets and direct producer-to-consumer venues that  
6 received funds distributed under the Program;

7 (2) the dollar amount of funds awarded to each  
8 participating Illinois farmers market and direct  
9 producer-to-consumer venue;

10 (3) the dollar amount of SNAP benefits, and funds  
11 provided under the Program, that were spent at Illinois  
12 farmers markets participating in the Program, as well as  
13 the dollar amount of any unspent funds available under the  
14 Program;

15 (4) the number of SNAP transactions carried out  
16 annually at participating Illinois farmers markets;

17 (5) the impact of the Program on increasing the  
18 quantity of fresh fruits and vegetables consumed by SNAP  
19 families, as determined by customer surveys.

20 (h) No later than December 31, 2017, the Department of  
21 Human Services shall adopt rules to implement the provisions  
22 of this Section.

23 (i) (Blank).

24 (Source: P.A. 99-928, eff. 1-20-17; 100-636, eff. 1-1-19.)

25 (305 ILCS 5/12-10.6a rep.)

1 Section 10-60. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by  
2 repealing Section 12-10.6a.

3 Section 10-65. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
4 changing Sections 2-119 and 6-118 as follows:

5 (625 ILCS 5/2-119) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 2-119)

6 Sec. 2-119. Disposition of fees and taxes.

7 (a) All moneys received from Salvage Certificates shall be  
8 deposited in the Common School Fund in the State treasury.

9 (b) Of the money collected for each certificate of title,  
10 duplicate certificate of title, and corrected certificate of  
11 title:

12 (1) \$2.60 shall be deposited in the Park and  
13 Conservation Fund;

14 (2) \$0.65 shall be deposited in the Illinois Fisheries  
15 Management Fund;

16 (3) \$48 shall be disbursed under subsection (g) of  
17 this Section;

18 (4) \$4 shall be deposited into the Motor Vehicle  
19 License Plate Fund;

20 (5) \$30 shall be deposited into the Capital Projects  
21 Fund; and

22 (6) \$10 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State  
23 Special Services Fund.

24 All remaining moneys collected for certificates of title,

1 and all moneys collected for filing of security interests,  
2 shall be deposited in the General Revenue Fund.

3 The \$20 collected for each delinquent vehicle registration  
4 renewal fee shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.

5 The moneys deposited in the Park and Conservation Fund  
6 under this Section shall be used for the acquisition and  
7 development of bike paths as provided for in Section 805-420  
8 of the Department of Natural Resources (Conservation) Law of  
9 the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. The moneys  
10 deposited into the Park and Conservation Fund under this  
11 subsection shall not be subject to administrative charges or  
12 chargebacks, unless otherwise authorized by this Code.

13 If the balance in the Motor Vehicle License Plate Fund  
14 exceeds \$40,000,000 on the last day of a calendar month, then  
15 during the next calendar month, the \$4 that otherwise would be  
16 deposited in that fund shall instead be deposited into the  
17 Road Fund.

18 (c) All moneys collected for that portion of a driver's  
19 license fee designated for driver education under Section  
20 6-118 shall be placed in the Drivers Education Fund in the  
21 State treasury.

22 (d) Of the moneys collected as a registration fee for each  
23 motorcycle, motor driven cycle, and moped, 27% shall be  
24 deposited in the Cycle Rider Safety Training Fund.

25 (e) (Blank).

26 (f) Of the total money collected for a commercial

1 learner's permit (CLP) or original or renewal issuance of a  
2 commercial driver's license (CDL) pursuant to the Uniform  
3 Commercial Driver's License Act (UCDLA): (i) \$6 of the total  
4 fee for an original or renewal CDL, and \$6 of the total CLP fee  
5 when such permit is issued to any person holding a valid  
6 Illinois driver's license, shall be paid into the  
7 CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund ~~(Commercial Driver's License  
8 Information System/American Association of Motor Vehicle  
9 Administrators network/National Motor Vehicle Title  
10 Information Service Trust Fund)~~ and shall be used for the  
11 purposes provided in Section 6z-23 of the State Finance Act  
12 and (ii) \$20 of the total fee for an original or renewal CDL or  
13 CLP shall be paid into the Motor Carrier Safety Inspection  
14 Fund, which is hereby created as a special fund in the State  
15 treasury, to be used by the Illinois State Police, subject to  
16 appropriation, to hire additional officers to conduct motor  
17 carrier safety inspections pursuant to Chapter 18b of this  
18 Code.

19 (g) Of the moneys received by the Secretary of State as  
20 registration fees or taxes, certificates of title, duplicate  
21 certificates of title, corrected certificates of title, or as  
22 payment of any other fee under this Code, when those moneys are  
23 not otherwise distributed by this Code, 37% shall be deposited  
24 into the State Construction Account Fund, and 63% shall be  
25 deposited in the Road Fund. Moneys in the Road Fund shall be  
26 used for the purposes provided in Section 8.3 of the State

1 Finance Act.

2 (h) (Blank).

3 (i) (Blank).

4 (j) (Blank).

5 (k) There is created in the State treasury a special fund  
6 to be known as the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
7 Fund. Money deposited into the Fund shall, subject to  
8 appropriation, be used by the Office of the Secretary of State  
9 (i) to help defray plate manufacturing and plate processing  
10 costs for the issuance and, when applicable, renewal of any  
11 new or existing registration plates authorized under this Code  
12 and (ii) for grants made by the Secretary of State to benefit  
13 Illinois Veterans Home libraries.

14 (l) The Motor Vehicle Review Board Fund is created as a  
15 special fund in the State treasury. Moneys deposited into the  
16 Fund under paragraph (7) of subsection (b) of Section 5-101  
17 and Section 5-109 shall, subject to appropriation, be used by  
18 the Office of the Secretary of State to administer the Motor  
19 Vehicle Review Board, including, without limitation, payment  
20 of compensation and all necessary expenses incurred in  
21 administering the Motor Vehicle Review Board under the Motor  
22 Vehicle Franchise Act.

23 (m) Effective July 1, 1996, there is created in the State  
24 treasury a special fund to be known as the Family  
25 Responsibility Fund. Moneys deposited into the Fund shall,  
26 subject to appropriation, be used by the Office of the

1 Secretary of State for the purpose of enforcing the Illinois  
2 Safety and Family Financial Responsibility Law.

3 (n) The Illinois Fire Fighters' Memorial Fund is created  
4 as a special fund in the State treasury. Moneys deposited into  
5 the Fund shall, subject to appropriation, be used by the  
6 Office of the State Fire Marshal for construction of the  
7 Illinois Fire Fighters' Memorial to be located at the State  
8 Capitol grounds in Springfield, Illinois. Upon the completion  
9 of the Memorial, moneys in the Fund shall be used in accordance  
10 with Section 3-634.

11 (o) Of the money collected for each certificate of title  
12 for all-terrain vehicles and off-highway motorcycles, \$17  
13 shall be deposited into the Off-Highway Vehicle Trails Fund.

14 (p) For audits conducted on or after July 1, 2003 pursuant  
15 to Section 2-124(d) of this Code, 50% of the money collected as  
16 audit fees shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.

17 (q) Beginning July 1, 2023, the additional fees imposed by  
18 Public Act 103-8 in Sections 2-123, 3-821, and 6-118 shall be  
19 deposited into the Secretary of State Special Services Fund.

20 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; 103-8, eff. 7-1-23;  
21 103-605, eff. 7-1-24.)

22 (625 ILCS 5/6-118)

23 Sec. 6-118. Fees.

24 (a) The fees for licenses and permits under this Article  
25 are as follows:

1	Original 4-year driver's license .....	\$30
2	Original 8-year driver's license issued under	
3	subsection (a-3) of Section 6-115 .....	<u>\$60</u>
4	Original driver's license issued	
5	to 18, 19, and 20 year olds .....	\$5
6	All driver's licenses for persons	
7	age 69 through age 80 .....	\$5
8	All driver's licenses for persons	
9	age 81 through age 86 .....	\$2
10	All driver's licenses for persons	
11	age 87 or older .....	\$0
12	Renewal 4-year driver's license (except for	
13	applicants <del>7</del> age 69 and older) .....	\$30
14	Renewal 8-year driver's license issued under	
15	subsection (a-3) of Section 6-115 (except	
16	for applicants age 69 and older) .....	<u>\$60</u>
17	Original instruction permit issued to	
18	persons (except those age 69 and older)	
19	who do not hold or have not previously	
20	held an Illinois instruction permit or	
21	driver's license .....	\$20
22	Instruction permit issued to any person	
23	holding an Illinois driver's license	
24	who wishes a change in classifications,	
25	other than at the time of renewal .....	\$5
26	Any instruction permit issued to a person	

1	age 69 and older .....	\$5
2	Instruction permit issued to any person,	
3	under age 69, not currently holding a	
4	valid Illinois driver's license or	
5	instruction permit but who has	
6	previously been issued either document	
7	in Illinois.....	\$10
8	Restricted driving permit.....	\$8
9	Monitoring device driving permit .....	\$8
10	Duplicate or corrected driver's license	
11	or permit.....	\$5
12	Duplicate or corrected restricted	
13	driving permit .....	\$5
14	Duplicate or corrected monitoring	
15	device driving permit.....	\$5
16	Duplicate driver's license or permit issued to	
17	an active-duty member of the	
18	United States Armed Forces,	
19	the member's spouse, or	
20	the dependent children living	
21	with the member.....	\$0
22	Original or renewal M or L endorsement .....	\$5

23 SPECIAL FEES FOR COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE

24 The fees for commercial driver licenses and permits  
25 under Article V shall be as follows:

26 Commercial driver's license:

1           \$6 for the CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund;  
2           ~~(Commercial Driver's License Information~~  
3           ~~System/American Association of Motor Vehicle~~  
4           ~~Administrators network/National Motor Vehicle~~  
5           ~~Title Information Service Trust Fund);~~  
6           \$20 for the Motor Carrier Safety Inspection Fund;  
7           \$10 for the driver's license;  
8           and \$24 for the CDL: ..... \$60

9           Renewal commercial driver's license:

10           \$6 for the CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund;  
11           \$20 for the Motor Carrier Safety Inspection Fund;  
12           \$10 for the driver's license; and  
13           \$24 for the CDL: ..... \$60

14           Commercial learner's permit

15           issued to any person holding a valid  
16           Illinois driver's license for the  
17           purpose of changing to a  
18           CDL classification:  
19           \$6 for the CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund;  
20           \$20 for the Motor Carrier Safety Inspection Fund; and  
21           \$24 for the CDL classification ..... \$50

22           Commercial learner's permit

23           issued to any person holding a valid  
24           Illinois CDL for the purpose of  
25           making a change in a classification,  
26           endorsement or restriction ..... \$5

1 CDL duplicate or corrected license ..... \$5

2 In order to ensure the proper implementation of the  
3 Uniform Commercial Driver License Act, Article V of this  
4 Chapter, the Secretary of State is empowered to prorate the  
5 \$24 fee for the commercial driver's license proportionate to  
6 the expiration date of the applicant's Illinois driver's  
7 license.

8 The fee for any duplicate license or permit shall be  
9 waived for any person who presents the Secretary of State's  
10 office with a police report showing that his license or permit  
11 was stolen.

12 The fee for any duplicate license or permit shall be  
13 waived for any person age 60 or older whose driver's license or  
14 permit has been lost or stolen.

15 No additional fee shall be charged for a driver's license,  
16 or for a commercial driver's license, when issued to the  
17 holder of an instruction permit for the same classification or  
18 type of license who becomes eligible for such license.

19 The fee for a restricted driving permit under this  
20 subsection (a) shall be imposed annually until the expiration  
21 of the permit.

22 (a-5) The fee for a driver's record or data contained  
23 therein is \$20 and shall be disbursed as set forth in  
24 subsection (k) of Section 2-123 of this Code.

25 (b) Any person whose license or privilege to operate a  
26 motor vehicle in this State has been suspended or revoked

1 under Section 3-707, any provision of Chapter 6, Chapter 11,  
 2 or Section 7-205, 7-303, or 7-702 of the Illinois Safety and  
 3 Family Financial Responsibility Law of this Code, shall in  
 4 addition to any other fees required by this Code, pay a  
 5 reinstatement fee as follows:

6	Suspension under Section 3-707 .....	\$100
7	Suspension under Section 11-1431 .....	\$100
8	Summary suspension under Section 11-501.1 .....	\$250
9	Suspension under Section 11-501.9 .....	\$250
10	Summary revocation under Section 11-501.1 .....	\$500
11	Other suspension .....	\$70
12	Revocation .....	\$500

13 However, any person whose license or privilege to operate  
 14 a motor vehicle in this State has been suspended or revoked for  
 15 a second or subsequent time for a violation of Section 11-501,  
 16 11-501.1, or 11-501.9 of this Code or a similar provision of a  
 17 local ordinance or a similar out-of-state offense or Section  
 18 9-3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012  
 19 and each suspension or revocation was for a violation of  
 20 Section 11-501, 11-501.1, or 11-501.9 of this Code or a  
 21 similar provision of a local ordinance or a similar  
 22 out-of-state offense or Section 9-3 of the Criminal Code of  
 23 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 shall pay, in addition to any  
 24 other fees required by this Code, a reinstatement fee as  
 25 follows:

26	Summary suspension under Section 11-501.1 .....	\$500
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1           Suspension under Section 11-501.9..... \$500  
 2           Summary revocation under Section 11-501.1..... \$500  
 3           Revocation ..... \$500

4           (c) All fees collected under the provisions of this  
 5 Chapter 6 shall be disbursed under subsection (g) of Section  
 6 2-119 of this Code, except as follows:

7           1. The following amounts shall be paid into the  
 8 Drivers Education Fund:

9                   (A) \$16 of the \$20 fee for an original driver's  
 10 instruction permit;

11                   (B) one-sixth of the fee for an original driver's  
 12 license;

13                   (C) one-sixth of the fee for a renewal driver's  
 14 license;

15                   (D) \$4 of the \$8 fee for a restricted driving  
 16 permit; and

17                   (E) \$4 of the \$8 fee for a monitoring device  
 18 driving permit.

19           2. \$30 of the \$250 fee for reinstatement of a license  
 20 summarily suspended under Section 11-501.1 or suspended  
 21 under Section 11-501.9 shall be deposited into the Drunk  
 22 and Drugged Driving Prevention Fund. However, for a person  
 23 whose license or privilege to operate a motor vehicle in  
 24 this State has been suspended or revoked for a second or  
 25 subsequent time for a violation of Section 11-501,  
 26 11-501.1, or 11-501.9 of this Code or Section 9-3 of the

1 Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, \$190 of  
2 the \$500 fee for reinstatement of a license summarily  
3 suspended under Section 11-501.1 or suspended under  
4 Section 11-501.9, and \$190 of the \$500 fee for  
5 reinstatement of a revoked license shall be deposited into  
6 the Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Fund. \$190 of the  
7 \$500 fee for reinstatement of a license summarily revoked  
8 pursuant to Section 11-501.1 shall be deposited into the  
9 Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Fund.

10 3. \$6 of the original or renewal fee for a commercial  
11 driver's license and \$6 of the commercial learner's permit  
12 fee when the permit is issued to any person holding a valid  
13 Illinois driver's license, shall be paid into the  
14 CDLIS/AAMVAnet/NMVTIS Trust Fund.

15 4. \$30 of the \$70 fee for reinstatement of a license  
16 suspended under the Illinois Safety and Family Financial  
17 Responsibility Law shall be paid into the Family  
18 Responsibility Fund.

19 5. The \$5 fee for each original or renewal M or L  
20 endorsement shall be deposited into the Cycle Rider Safety  
21 Training Fund.

22 6. \$20 of any original or renewal fee for a commercial  
23 driver's license or commercial learner's permit shall be  
24 paid into the Motor Carrier Safety Inspection Fund.

25 7. The following amounts shall be paid into the  
26 General Revenue Fund:

1 (A) \$190 of the \$250 reinstatement fee for a  
2 summary suspension under Section 11-501.1 or a  
3 suspension under Section 11-501.9;

4 (B) \$40 of the \$70 reinstatement fee for any other  
5 suspension provided in subsection (b) of this Section;  
6 and

7 (C) \$440 of the \$500 reinstatement fee for a first  
8 offense revocation and \$310 of the \$500 reinstatement  
9 fee for a second or subsequent revocation.

10 8. Fees collected under paragraph (4) of subsection  
11 (d) and subsection (h) of Section 6-205 of this Code;  
12 subparagraph (C) of paragraph 3 of subsection (c) of  
13 Section 6-206 of this Code; and paragraph (4) of  
14 subsection (a) of Section 6-206.1 of this Code, shall be  
15 paid into the funds set forth in those Sections.

16 (d) All of the proceeds of the additional fees imposed by  
17 Public Act 96-34 ~~this amendatory Act of the 96th General~~  
18 ~~Assembly~~ shall be deposited into the Capital Projects Fund.

19 (e) The additional fees imposed by Public Act 96-38 ~~this~~  
20 ~~amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly~~ shall become  
21 effective 90 days after becoming law. The additional fees  
22 imposed by Public Act 103-8 ~~this amendatory Act of the 103rd~~  
23 ~~General Assembly~~ shall become effective July 1, 2023 and shall  
24 be paid into the Secretary of State Special Services Fund.

25 (f) As used in this Section, "active-duty member of the  
26 United States Armed Forces" means a member of the Armed

1 Services or Reserve Forces of the United States or a member of  
2 the Illinois National Guard who is called to active duty  
3 pursuant to an executive order of the President of the United  
4 States, an act of the Congress of the United States, or an  
5 order of the Governor.

6 (Source: P.A. 103-8, eff. 7-1-23; 103-605, eff. 7-1-24;  
7 103-872, eff. 1-1-25; revised 11-26-24.)

8 (805 ILCS 8/5-6 rep.)

9 Section 10-70. The Franchise Tax and License Fee Amnesty  
10 Act of 2007 is amended by repealing Section 5-6.

11 Section 10-75. The Day and Temporary Labor Services Act is  
12 amended by changing Section 80 as follows:

13 (820 ILCS 175/80)

14 Sec. 80. Child Labor and Day and Temporary Labor Services  
15 Enforcement Fund. All moneys received as fees and civil  
16 penalties under this Act shall be deposited into the Child  
17 Labor and Day and Temporary Labor Services Enforcement Fund  
18 and may be used for the purposes set forth in Section 75 ~~17.3~~  
19 of the Child Labor Law of 2024.

20 (Source: P.A. 98-463, eff. 8-16-13.)

21 Section 10-80. The Unemployment Insurance Act is amended  
22 by changing Section 1403 as follows:

1 (820 ILCS 405/1403) (from Ch. 48, par. 553)

2 Sec. 1403. Financing benefits paid to state employees.  
3 Benefits paid to individuals with respect to whom this State  
4 or any of its wholly owned instrumentalities is the last  
5 employer as provided in Section 1502.1 shall be financed by  
6 appropriations to the Department of Employment Security.

7 The State Treasurer shall be liable on his general  
8 official bond for the faithful performance of his duties with  
9 regard to such moneys as may come into his hands by virtue of  
10 this Section. Such liability on his official bond shall exist  
11 in addition to the liability upon any separate bond given by  
12 him. All sums recovered for losses sustained by the clearing  
13 account herein described shall be deposited therein.

14 In lieu of contributions required of other employers under  
15 this Act, the State Treasurer shall transfer to and deposit in  
16 the clearing account an amount equal to 100% of regular  
17 benefits, including dependents' allowances, and 100% of  
18 extended benefits, including dependents' allowances paid to an  
19 individual, but only if the State: (a) is the last employer as  
20 provided in Section 1502.1 and (b) paid, to the individual  
21 receiving benefits, wages for insured work during his base  
22 period. If the State meets the requirements of (a) but not (b),  
23 it shall be required to make payments in an amount equal to 50%  
24 of regular benefits, including dependents' allowances, and 50%  
25 of extended benefits, including dependents' allowances, paid

1 to an individual.

2 Transfers ~~On and after July 1, 2005, transfers~~ to the  
3 clearing account pursuant to this Section shall be made  
4 directly from such funds and accounts as the appropriations to  
5 the Department authorize, as designated by the Director. ~~On~~  
6 ~~July 1, 2005, or as soon thereafter as may be reasonably~~  
7 ~~practicable, all remaining funds in the State Employees'~~  
8 ~~Unemployment Benefit Fund shall be transferred to the clearing~~  
9 ~~account, and, upon the transfer of those funds, the State~~  
10 ~~Employees' Unemployment Benefit Fund is abolished.~~

11 The Director shall ascertain the amount to be so  
12 transferred and deposited by the State Treasurer as soon as  
13 practicable after the end of each calendar quarter. The  
14 provisions of paragraphs 4 and 5 of Section 1404B shall be  
15 applicable to a determination of the amount to be so  
16 transferred and deposited. Such deposit shall be made by the  
17 State Treasurer at such times and in such manner as the  
18 Director may determine and direct.

19 Every department, institution, agency and instrumentality  
20 of the State of Illinois shall make available to the Director  
21 such information with respect to any individual who has  
22 performed insured work for it as the Director may find  
23 practicable and necessary for the determination of such  
24 individual's rights under this Act. Each such department,  
25 institution, agency and instrumentality shall file such  
26 reports with the Director as he may by regulation prescribe.

1 (Source: P.A. 94-233, eff. 7-14-05.)

2 Article 20.

3 Section 20-5. The State Finance Act is amended by changing  
4 Sections 5.565, 5.746, 5.770, 5.835, 5.841, 5.842, 5.847,  
5 5.848, 5.853, 5.877, 5.880, 5.909, and 5.910 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/5.565)

7 Sec. 5.565. The Chicago and Northeast Illinois District  
8 Council of Carpenters Fund. This Section is repealed on  
9 January 1, 2026.

10 (Source: P.A. 92-477, eff. 1-1-02; 92-651, eff. 7-11-02.)

11 (30 ILCS 105/5.746)

12 Sec. 5.746. The United Auto Workers' Fund. This Section is  
13 repealed on January 1, 2026.

14 (Source: P.A. 96-687, eff. 1-1-10; 96-1000, eff. 7-2-10.)

15 (30 ILCS 105/5.770)

16 Sec. 5.770. The 4-H Fund. This Section is repealed on  
17 January 1, 2026.

18 (Source: P.A. 96-1449, eff. 1-1-11; 97-333, eff. 8-12-11.)

19 (30 ILCS 105/5.835)

20 Sec. 5.835. The National Wild Turkey Federation Fund. This

1 Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

2 (Source: P.A. 98-66, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

3 (30 ILCS 105/5.841)

4 Sec. 5.841. The American Red Cross Fund. This Section is  
5 repealed on January 1, 2026.

6 (Source: P.A. 98-151, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

7 (30 ILCS 105/5.842)

8 Sec. 5.842. The Illinois Police Benevolent and Protective  
9 Association Fund. This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

10 (Source: P.A. 98-233, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

11 (30 ILCS 105/5.847)

12 Sec. 5.847. The Public Safety Diver Fund. This Section is  
13 repealed on January 1, 2026.

14 (Source: P.A. 98-376, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

15 (30 ILCS 105/5.848)

16 Sec. 5.848. The Committed to a Cure Fund. This Section is  
17 repealed on January 1, 2026.

18 (Source: P.A. 98-382, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

19 (30 ILCS 105/5.853)

20 Sec. 5.853. The Curing Childhood Cancer Fund. This Section  
21 is repealed on January 1, 2026.

1 (Source: P.A. 98-66, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

2 (30 ILCS 105/5.877)

3 Sec. 5.877. The Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund. This  
4 Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

5 (Source: P.A. 100-78, eff. 1-1-18; 100-863, eff. 8-14-18.)

6 (30 ILCS 105/5.880)

7 Sec. 5.880. The Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund. This  
8 Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

9 (Source: P.A. 100-60, eff. 1-1-18; 100-863, eff. 8-14-18.)

10 (30 ILCS 105/5.909)

11 Sec. 5.909. The Theresa Tracy Trot-Illinois CancerCare  
12 Foundation Fund. This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

13 (Source: P.A. 101-276, eff. 8-9-19; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21.)

14 (30 ILCS 105/5.910)

15 Sec. 5.910. The Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund.  
16 This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

17 (Source: P.A. 101-282, eff. 1-1-20; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21.)

18 (30 ILCS 105/5.579 rep.)

19 (30 ILCS 105/5.585 rep.)

20 Section 20-10. The State Finance Act is amended by  
21 repealing Sections 5.579 and 5.585.

1           Section 20-15. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
2 changing Sections 3-610.1, 3-652, 3-685, 3-694, 3-699,  
3 3-699.1, 3-699.4, 3-699.5, 3-699.9, 3-699.10, and 3-699.14 as  
4 follows:

5           (625 ILCS 5/3-610.1)

6           Sec. 3-610.1. Retired members of the Illinois  
7 congressional delegation. Upon receipt of a request from a  
8 retired member of the Illinois congressional delegation,  
9 accompanied by the appropriate application and fee, the  
10 Secretary of State shall issue to the retired member special  
11 registration plates bearing appropriate wording or  
12 abbreviations indicating that the holder is a retired member  
13 of the Illinois congressional delegation. The plates may be  
14 issued for a 2-year period beginning January 1st of each  
15 odd-numbered year and ending December 31st of the subsequent  
16 even-numbered year. The special plates issued under this  
17 Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the  
18 first division, motorcycles, autocycles, and motor vehicles of  
19 the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds.

20           An applicant shall be charged a \$15 fee for original  
21 issuance in addition to the applicable registration fee. This  
22 additional fee shall be deposited into the Secretary of State  
23 Special License Plate Fund. For each registration renewal  
24 period, a \$2 fee, in addition to the appropriate registration

1 fee, shall be charged and shall be deposited into the  
2 Secretary of State Special License Plate ~~Retired Members of~~  
3 ~~the Illinois Congressional Delegation~~ Fund.

4 A retired member of the Illinois Congressional delegation  
5 who has a disability as defined under Section 1-159.1 may  
6 request one set of specialized plates which display the  
7 International Symbol of Access and shall be subject to the  
8 provisions within Section 3-616. The set of specialized plates  
9 displaying the International Symbol of Access shall only be  
10 issued along with the assignment of a corresponding disability  
11 placard that must be displayed in the vehicle. The surviving  
12 spouse of the retired member shall not be entitled to retain  
13 this plate.

14 "Retired member of the Illinois congressional delegation"  
15 means any individual who has served as a member of the U.S.  
16 Senate or U.S. House of Representatives representing the State  
17 of Illinois. The term does not include an individual who is  
18 serving in the U.S. Senate or U.S. House of Representatives.

19 (Source: P.A. 103-195, eff. 1-1-24; 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

20 (625 ILCS 5/3-652)

21 Sec. 3-652. Chicago and Northeast Illinois District  
22 Council of Carpenters license plates.

23 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
24 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
25 issue special registration plates designated as Chicago and

1 Northeast Illinois District Council of Carpenters license  
2 plates.

3 The special plates issued under this Section shall be  
4 affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division,  
5 motorcycles, autocycles, or motor vehicles of the second  
6 division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds.

7 Plates issued under this Section shall expire according to  
8 the multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of  
9 this Code.

10 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
11 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. Appropriate  
12 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
13 each application. The Secretary may allow the plates to be  
14 issued as vanity plates or personalized plates under Section  
15 3-405.1 of this Code. The Secretary shall prescribe stickers  
16 or decals as provided under Section 3-412 of this Code.

17 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
18 \$25 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
19 registration fee. Of this fee, \$10 shall be deposited into the  
20 Chicago and Northeast Illinois District Council of Carpenters  
21 Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State  
22 Special License Plate Fund, to be used by the Secretary to help  
23 defray the administrative processing costs.

24 For each registration renewal period, a \$25 fee, in  
25 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
26 charged. Of this fee, \$23 shall be deposited into the Chicago

1 and Northeast Illinois District Council of Carpenters Fund and  
2 \$2 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special  
3 License Plate Fund.

4 (d) The Chicago and Northeast Illinois District Council of  
5 Carpenters Fund is created as a special fund in the State  
6 treasury. All moneys in the Chicago and Northeast Illinois  
7 District Council of Carpenters Fund shall be paid, subject to  
8 appropriation by the General Assembly and distribution by the  
9 Secretary, as grants to charitable entities designated by the  
10 Chicago and Northeast Illinois District Council of Carpenters.

11 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
12 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
13 shall transfer the remaining balance from the Chicago and  
14 Northeast Illinois District Council of Carpenters Fund into  
15 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund. Upon  
16 completion of the transfer, the Chicago and Northeast Illinois  
17 District Council of Carpenters Fund is dissolved, and any  
18 future deposits due to that Fund and any outstanding  
19 obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall pass to the  
20 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

21 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

22 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

23 (625 ILCS 5/3-685)

24 Sec. 3-685. United Auto Workers license plates.

25 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and

1 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
2 issue special registration plates designated as United Auto  
3 Workers license plates. The special plates issued under this  
4 Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the  
5 first division, motorcycles, autocycles, or motor vehicles of  
6 the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds.  
7 Plates issued under this Section shall expire according to the  
8 multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this  
9 Code.

10 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
11 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. Appropriate  
12 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
13 each application. The Secretary may allow the plates to be  
14 issued as vanity plates or personalized plates under Section  
15 3-405.1 of this Code. The Secretary shall prescribe stickers  
16 or decals as provided under Section 3-412 of this Code.

17 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
18 \$25 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
19 registration fee. Of this fee, \$10 shall be deposited into the  
20 United Auto Workers' Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the  
21 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund, to be used by  
22 the Secretary to help defray the administrative processing  
23 costs.

24 For each registration renewal period, a \$25 fee, in  
25 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
26 charged. Of this fee, \$23 shall be deposited into the United

1 Auto Workers' Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the  
2 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

3 (d) The United Auto Workers' Fund is created as a special  
4 fund in the State treasury. All moneys in the United Auto  
5 Workers' Fund shall be paid, subject to appropriation by the  
6 General Assembly and distribution by the Secretary, as grants  
7 to charitable entities designated by Illinois local unions  
8 affiliated with the United Auto Workers.

9 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
10 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
11 shall transfer the remaining balance from the United Auto  
12 Workers' Fund into the Secretary of State Special License  
13 Plate Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the United Auto  
14 Workers' Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to  
15 that Fund and any outstanding obligations or liabilities of  
16 that Fund shall pass to the Secretary of State Special License  
17 Plate Fund.

18 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

19 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

20 (625 ILCS 5/3-694)

21 Sec. 3-694. 4-H license plates.

22 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
23 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
24 issue special registration plates designated as 4-H license  
25 plates. The special plates issued under this Section shall be

1 affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division,  
2 motorcycles, autocycles, and motor vehicles of the second  
3 division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates issued  
4 under this Section shall expire according to the multi-year  
5 procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

6 (b) The design and color of the plates is wholly within the  
7 discretion of the Secretary of State. Appropriate  
8 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
9 the application. The Secretary, in his or her discretion, may  
10 allow the plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates  
11 under Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The Secretary shall  
12 prescribe stickers or decals as provided under Section 3-412  
13 of this Code.

14 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
15 \$40 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
16 registration fee. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the  
17 4-H Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State  
18 Special License Plate Fund, to be used by the Secretary to help  
19 defray the administrative processing costs.

20 For each registration renewal period, a \$12 fee, in  
21 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
22 charged. Of this fee, \$10 shall be deposited into the 4-H Fund  
23 and \$2 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special  
24 License Plate Fund.

25 (d) The 4-H Fund is created as a special fund in the State  
26 treasury. All money in the 4-H Fund shall be paid, subject to

1 appropriation by the General Assembly and distribution by the  
2 Secretary of State, as grants to the Illinois 4-H Foundation,  
3 a ~~tax-exempt tax-exempt~~ entity under Section 501(c)(3) of the  
4 Internal Revenue Code, for the funding of 4-H programs in  
5 Illinois.

6 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
7 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
8 shall transfer the remaining balance from the 4-H Fund into  
9 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund. Upon  
10 completion of the transfer, the 4-H Fund is dissolved, and any  
11 future deposits due to that Fund and any outstanding  
12 obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall pass to the  
13 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

14 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

15 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

16 (625 ILCS 5/3-699)

17 Sec. 3-699. National Wild Turkey Federation license  
18 plates.

19 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
20 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
21 issue special registration plates designated as National Wild  
22 Turkey Federation license plates. The special plates issued  
23 under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles  
24 of the first division, motorcycles, autocycles, or motor  
25 vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000

1 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire  
2 according to the multi-year procedure established by Section  
3 3-414.1 of this Code.

4 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
5 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. The Secretary  
6 may allow the plates to be issued as vanity plates or  
7 personalized plates under Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The  
8 Secretary shall prescribe stickers or decals as provided under  
9 Section 3-412 of this Code.

10 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
11 \$40 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
12 registration fee. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the  
13 National Wild Turkey Federation Fund and \$15 shall be  
14 deposited into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
15 Fund, to be used by the Secretary to help defray the  
16 administrative processing costs.

17 For each registration renewal period, a \$27 fee, in  
18 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
19 charged. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the National  
20 Wild Turkey Federation Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the  
21 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

22 (d) The National Wild Turkey Federation Fund is created as  
23 a special fund in the State treasury. All moneys in the  
24 National Wild Turkey Federation Fund shall be paid, subject to  
25 appropriation by the General Assembly and distribution by the  
26 Secretary, as grants to National Wild Turkey Federation, Inc.,

1 a ~~tax-exempt tax-exempt~~ entity under Section 501(c)(3) of the  
2 Internal Revenue Code, to fund turkey habitat protection,  
3 enhancement, and restoration projects in the State of  
4 Illinois, to fund education and outreach for media,  
5 volunteers, members, and the general public regarding turkeys  
6 and turkey habitat conservation in the State of Illinois, and  
7 to cover the reasonable cost for National Wild Turkey  
8 Federation special plate advertising and administration of the  
9 conservation projects and education program.

10 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
11 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
12 shall transfer the remaining balance from the National Wild  
13 Turkey Federation Fund into the Secretary of State Special  
14 License Plate Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the  
15 National Wild Turkey Federation Fund is dissolved, and any  
16 future deposits due to that Fund and any outstanding  
17 obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall pass to the  
18 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

19 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

20 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

21 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.1)

22 Sec. 3-699.1. Curing Childhood Cancer Plates.

23 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
24 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
25 issue special registration plates designated as Curing

1 Childhood Cancer license plates. The special plates issued  
2 under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles  
3 of the first division, motorcycles, autocycles, or motor  
4 vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000  
5 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire  
6 according to the multi-year procedure established by Section  
7 3-414.1 of this Code.

8 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
9 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. Appropriate  
10 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
11 each application.

12 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
13 \$65 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
14 registration fee. Of this fee, \$50 shall be deposited into the  
15 Curing Childhood Cancer Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into  
16 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund, to be used  
17 by the Secretary to help defray the administrative processing  
18 costs. For each registration renewal period, a \$52 fee, in  
19 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
20 charged. Of this fee, \$50 shall be deposited into the Curing  
21 Childhood Cancer Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the  
22 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

23 (d) The Curing Childhood Cancer Fund is created as a  
24 special fund in the State treasury. All money in the Curing  
25 Childhood Cancer Fund shall be paid, subject to appropriation  
26 by the General Assembly and distribution by the Secretary, in

1 equal share as grants to the St. Jude Children's Research  
2 Hospital and the Children's Oncology Group for the purpose of  
3 funding scientific research on cancer.

4 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
5 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
6 shall transfer the remaining balance from the Curing Childhood  
7 Cancer Fund into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
8 Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the Curing Childhood  
9 Cancer Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to that  
10 Fund and any outstanding obligations or liabilities of that  
11 Fund shall pass to the Secretary of State Special License  
12 Plate Fund.

13 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

14 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

15 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.4)

16 Sec. 3-699.4. American Red Cross license plates.

17 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
18 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
19 issue special registration plates designated as American Red  
20 Cross license plates. The special plates issued under this  
21 Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the  
22 first division, motorcycles, autocycles, or motor vehicles of  
23 the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds.  
24 Plates issued under this Section shall expire according to the  
25 multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this

1 Code.

2 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
3 within the discretion of the Secretary, but shall include the  
4 American Red Cross official logo. Appropriate documentation,  
5 as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany each  
6 application. The Secretary may allow the plates to be issued  
7 as vanity plates or personalized plates under Section 3-405.1  
8 of this Code. The Secretary shall prescribe stickers or decals  
9 as provided under Section 3-412 of this Code.

10 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
11 \$40 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
12 registration fee. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the  
13 American Red Cross Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the  
14 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund, to be used by  
15 the Secretary to help defray the administrative processing  
16 costs. For each registration renewal period, a \$27 fee, in  
17 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
18 charged. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the American  
19 Red Cross Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the Secretary of  
20 State Special License Plate Fund.

21 (d) The American Red Cross Fund is created as a special  
22 fund in the State treasury. All moneys in the American Red  
23 Cross Fund shall be paid, subject to appropriation by the  
24 General Assembly and distribution by the Secretary, as grants  
25 to the American Red Cross or to charitable entities designated  
26 by the American Red Cross.

1       (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
2 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
3 shall transfer the remaining balance from the American Red  
4 Cross Fund into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
5 Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the American Red Cross  
6 Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to that Fund and  
7 any outstanding obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall  
8 pass to the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

9       (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

10       (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

11       (625 ILCS 5/3-699.5)

12       Sec. 3-699.5. Illinois Police Benevolent and Protective  
13 Association license plates.

14       (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of an application made in  
15 the form prescribed by the Secretary, may issue special  
16 registration plates designated as Illinois Police Benevolent  
17 and Protective Association license plates. The special plates  
18 issued under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger  
19 vehicles of the first division, motorcycles, autocycles, and  
20 motor vehicles of the second division weighing not more than  
21 8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire  
22 according to the multi-year procedure established by Section  
23 3-414.1 of this Code.

24       (b) The design and color of the plates is wholly within the  
25 discretion of the Secretary. The Secretary may allow the

1 plates to be issued as vanity plates or personalized under  
2 Section 3-405.1 of the Code. The Secretary shall prescribe  
3 stickers or decals as provided under Section 3-412 of this  
4 Code. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the  
5 plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates in  
6 accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code.

7 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
8 \$25 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
9 registration fee. Of this fee, \$10 shall be deposited into the  
10 Illinois Police Benevolent and Protective Association Fund and  
11 \$15 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special  
12 License Plate Fund, to be used by the Secretary to help defray  
13 the administrative processing costs.

14 For each registration renewal period, a \$25 fee, in  
15 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
16 charged. Of this fee, \$23 shall be deposited into the Illinois  
17 Police Benevolent and Protective Association Fund and \$2 shall  
18 be deposited into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
19 Fund.

20 (d) The Illinois Police Benevolent and Protective  
21 Association Fund is created as a special fund in the State  
22 treasury. All money in the Illinois Police Benevolent and  
23 Protective Association Fund shall be paid, subject to  
24 appropriation by the General Assembly and distribution by the  
25 Secretary, as grants to the Illinois Police Benevolent and  
26 Protective Association for the purposes of providing death

1 benefits for the families of police officers killed in the  
2 line of duty, providing scholarships for undergraduate study  
3 to children and spouses of police officers killed in the line  
4 of duty, and educating the public and police officers  
5 regarding policing and public safety.

6 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
7 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
8 shall transfer the remaining balance from the Illinois Police  
9 Benevolent and Protective Association Fund into the Secretary  
10 of State Special License Plate Fund. Upon completion of the  
11 transfer, the Illinois Police Benevolent and Protective  
12 Association Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to  
13 that Fund and any outstanding obligations or liabilities of  
14 that Fund shall pass to the Secretary of State Special License  
15 Plate Fund.

16 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

17 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

18 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.9)

19 Sec. 3-699.9. Public Safety Diver license plates.

20 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of an application made in  
21 the form prescribed by the Secretary of State, may issue  
22 special registration plates designated to be Public Safety  
23 Diver license plates. The special plates issued under this  
24 Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the  
25 first division, motorcycle, autocycles, motor vehicles of the

1 second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds, and  
2 recreational vehicles as defined by Section 1-169 of this  
3 Code. Plates issued under this Section shall expire according  
4 to the multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of  
5 this Code.

6 (b) The design and color of the plates shall be wholly  
7 within the discretion of the Secretary of State. Appropriate  
8 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
9 the application. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion,  
10 allow the plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates  
11 in accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code.

12 (c) An applicant shall be charged a \$45 fee for original  
13 issuance in addition to the appropriate registration fee, if  
14 applicable. Of this fee, \$30 shall be deposited into the  
15 Public Safety Diver Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the  
16 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund. For each  
17 registration renewal period, a \$27 fee, in addition to the  
18 appropriate registration fee, shall be charged. Of this fee,  
19 \$25 shall be deposited into the Public Safety Diver Fund and \$2  
20 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special License  
21 Plate Fund.

22 (d) The Public Safety Diver Fund is created as a special  
23 fund in the State treasury. All moneys in the Public Safety  
24 Diver Fund shall be paid, subject to appropriation by the  
25 General Assembly and distribution by the Secretary, to the  
26 Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board for the

1 purposes of providing grants based on need for training,  
2 standards, and equipment to public safety disciplines within  
3 the State and to units of local government involved in public  
4 safety diving and water rescue services.

5 (e) The Public Safety Diver Advisory Committee shall  
6 recommend grant rewards with the intent of achieving  
7 reasonably equitable distribution of funds between police,  
8 firefighting, and public safety diving services making  
9 application for grants under this Section.

10 (f) The administrative costs related to management of  
11 grants made from the Public Safety Diver Fund shall be paid  
12 from the Public Safety Diver Fund to the Illinois Law  
13 Enforcement Training Standards Board.

14 (g) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
15 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
16 shall transfer the remaining balance from the Public Safety  
17 Diver Fund into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
18 Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the Public Safety Diver  
19 Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to that Fund and  
20 any outstanding obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall  
21 pass to the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

22 (h) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

23 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

24 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.10)

25 Sec. 3-699.10. The H Foundation - Committed to a Cure for

1 Cancer plates.

2 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
3 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
4 issue special registration plates designated as The H  
5 Foundation - Committed to a Cure for Cancer license plates.  
6 The special plates issued under this Section shall be affixed  
7 only to passenger vehicles of the first division, motorcycles,  
8 autocycles, or motor vehicles of the second division weighing  
9 not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section  
10 shall expire according to the multi-year procedure established  
11 by Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

12 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be  
13 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. Appropriate  
14 documentation, as determined by the Secretary, shall accompany  
15 each application.

16 (c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a  
17 \$40 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate  
18 registration fee. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the  
19 Committed to a Cure Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the  
20 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund, to be used by  
21 the Secretary to help defray the administrative processing  
22 costs. For each registration renewal period, a \$27 fee, in  
23 addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be  
24 charged. Of this fee, \$25 shall be deposited into the  
25 Committed to a Cure Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the  
26 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

1 (d) The Committed to a Cure Fund is created as a special  
2 fund in the State treasury. All money in the Committed to a  
3 Cure Fund shall be paid, subject to appropriation by the  
4 General Assembly and distribution by the Secretary, as grants  
5 to the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of  
6 Northwestern University for the purpose of funding scientific  
7 research on cancer.

8 (e) On July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as practical,  
9 the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer  
10 shall transfer the remaining balance from the Committed to a  
11 Cure Fund into the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
12 Fund. Upon completion of the transfer, the Committed to a Cure  
13 Fund is dissolved, and any future deposits due to that Fund and  
14 any outstanding obligations or liabilities of that Fund shall  
15 pass to the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

16 (f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.

17 (Source: P.A. 103-843, eff. 1-1-25.)

18 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.14)

19 Sec. 3-699.14. Universal special license plates.

20 (a) In addition to any other special license plate, the  
21 Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and  
22 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
23 issue Universal special license plates to residents of  
24 Illinois on behalf of organizations that have been authorized  
25 by the General Assembly to issue decals for Universal special

1 license plates. Appropriate documentation, as determined by  
2 the Secretary, shall accompany each application. Authorized  
3 organizations shall be designated by amendment to this  
4 Section. When applying for a Universal special license plate  
5 the applicant shall inform the Secretary of the name of the  
6 authorized organization from which the applicant will obtain a  
7 decal to place on the plate. The Secretary shall make a record  
8 of that organization and that organization shall remain  
9 affiliated with that plate until the plate is surrendered,  
10 revoked, or otherwise cancelled. The authorized organization  
11 may charge a fee to offset the cost of producing and  
12 distributing the decal, but that fee shall be retained by the  
13 authorized organization and shall be separate and distinct  
14 from any registration fees charged by the Secretary. No decal,  
15 sticker, or other material may be affixed to a Universal  
16 special license plate other than a decal authorized by the  
17 General Assembly in this Section or a registration renewal  
18 sticker. The special plates issued under this Section shall be  
19 affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division,  
20 including motorcycles and autocycles, or motor vehicles of the  
21 second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates  
22 issued under this Section shall expire according to the  
23 multi-year procedure under Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

24 (b) The design, color, and format of the Universal special  
25 license plate shall be wholly within the discretion of the  
26 Secretary. Universal special license plates are not required

1 to designate "Land of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection  
2 (b) of Section 3-412 of this Code. The design shall allow for  
3 the application of a decal to the plate. Organizations  
4 authorized by the General Assembly to issue decals for  
5 Universal special license plates shall comply with rules  
6 adopted by the Secretary governing the requirements for and  
7 approval of Universal special license plate decals. The  
8 Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow Universal  
9 special license plates to be issued as vanity or personalized  
10 plates in accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The  
11 Secretary of State must make a version of the special  
12 registration plates authorized under this Section in a form  
13 appropriate for motorcycles and autocycles.

14 (c) When authorizing a Universal special license plate,  
15 the General Assembly shall set forth whether an additional fee  
16 is to be charged for the plate and, if a fee is to be charged,  
17 the amount of the fee and how the fee is to be distributed.  
18 When necessary, the authorizing language shall create a  
19 special fund in the State treasury into which fees may be  
20 deposited for an authorized Universal special license plate.  
21 Additional fees may only be charged if the fee is to be paid  
22 over to a State agency or to a charitable entity that is in  
23 compliance with the registration and reporting requirements of  
24 the Charitable Trust Act and the Solicitation for Charity Act.  
25 Any charitable entity receiving fees for the sale of Universal  
26 special license plates shall annually provide the Secretary of

1 State a letter of compliance issued by the Attorney General  
2 verifying that the entity is in compliance with the Charitable  
3 Trust Act and the Solicitation for Charity Act.

4 (d) Upon original issuance and for each registration  
5 renewal period, in addition to the appropriate registration  
6 fee, if applicable, the Secretary shall collect any additional  
7 fees, if required, for issuance of Universal special license  
8 plates. The fees shall be collected on behalf of the  
9 organization designated by the applicant when applying for the  
10 plate. All fees collected shall be transferred to the State  
11 agency on whose behalf the fees were collected, or paid into  
12 the special fund designated in the law authorizing the  
13 organization to issue decals for Universal special license  
14 plates. All money in the designated fund shall be distributed  
15 by the Secretary subject to appropriation by the General  
16 Assembly.

17 (e) The following organizations may issue decals for  
18 Universal special license plates with the original and renewal  
19 fees and fee distribution as follows:

20 (1) The Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

21 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
22 Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund and \$15 to the Secretary  
23 of State Special License Plate Fund.

24 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Roadside Monarch  
25 Habitat Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State Special  
26 License Plate Fund.

1 (2) Illinois Veterans' Homes.

2 (A) Original issuance: \$26, which shall be  
3 deposited into the Illinois Veterans' Homes Fund.

4 (B) Renewal: \$26, which shall be deposited into  
5 the Illinois Veterans' Homes Fund.

6 (3) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
7 volunteerism decals.

8 (A) Original issuance: \$25, which shall be  
9 deposited into the Secretary of State Special License  
10 Plate Fund.

11 (B) Renewal: \$25, which shall be deposited into  
12 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

13 (4) ~~(Blank). The Illinois Department of Public Health.~~

14 ~~(A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the~~  
15 ~~Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund and \$15 to the~~  
16 ~~Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.~~

17 ~~(B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Prostate Cancer~~  
18 ~~Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State~~  
19 ~~Special License Plate Fund.~~

20 (5) ~~(Blank). Horsemen's Council of Illinois.~~

21 ~~(A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the~~  
22 ~~Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund and \$15 to the~~  
23 ~~Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.~~

24 ~~(B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Horsemen's~~  
25 ~~Council of Illinois Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of~~  
26 ~~State Special License Plate Fund.~~

1 (6) K9s for Veterans, NFP.

2 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
3 Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Fund and \$15  
4 to the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

5 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Post-Traumatic  
6 Stress Disorder Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
7 of State Special License Plate Fund.

8 (7) The International Association of Machinists and  
9 Aerospace Workers.

10 (A) Original issuance: \$35; with \$20 to the Guide  
11 Dogs of America Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State  
12 Special License Plate Fund.

13 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 going to the Guide Dogs  
14 of America Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
15 Special License Plate Fund.

16 (8) Local Lodge 701 of the International Association  
17 of Machinists and Aerospace Workers.

18 (A) Original issuance: \$35; with \$10 to the Guide  
19 Dogs of America Fund, \$10 to the Mechanics Training  
20 Fund, and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special  
21 License Plate Fund.

22 (B) Renewal: \$30; with \$13 to the Guide Dogs of  
23 America Fund, \$15 to the Mechanics Training Fund, and  
24 \$2 to the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
25 Fund.

26 (9) (Blank). ~~Illinois Department of Human Services.~~

1           ~~(A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the~~  
2           ~~Theresa Tracy Trot - Illinois CancerCare Foundation~~  
3           ~~Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special License~~  
4           ~~Plate Fund.~~

5           ~~(B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Theresa Tracy~~  
6           ~~Trot - Illinois CancerCare Foundation Fund and \$2 to~~  
7           ~~the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.~~

8           (10) (Blank). ~~The Illinois Department of Human~~  
9           ~~Services for developmental disabilities awareness decals.~~

10           ~~(A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the~~  
11           ~~Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund and \$15 to~~  
12           ~~the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.~~

13           ~~(B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Developmental~~  
14           ~~Disabilities Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of~~  
15           ~~State Special License Plate Fund.~~

16           (11) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
17           pediatric cancer awareness decals.

18           (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
19           Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund and \$15 to the  
20           Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

21           (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Pediatric Cancer  
22           Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
23           Special License Plate Fund.

24           (12) The Department of Veterans' Affairs for Fold of  
25           Honor decals.

26           (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Folds

1 of Honor Foundation Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of  
2 State Special License Plate Fund.

3 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Folds of Honor  
4 Foundation Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
5 Special License Plate Fund.

6 (13) The Illinois chapters of the Experimental  
7 Aircraft Association for aviation enthusiast decals.

8 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
9 Experimental Aircraft Association Fund and \$15 to the  
10 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

11 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Experimental  
12 Aircraft Association Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
13 State Special License Plate Fund.

14 (14) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
15 Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities decals.

16 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Child  
17 Abuse Council of the Quad Cities Fund and \$15 to the  
18 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

19 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Child Abuse  
20 Council of the Quad Cities Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
21 of State Special License Plate Fund.

22 (15) The Illinois Department of Public Health for  
23 health care worker decals.

24 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
25 Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund, and \$15 to  
26 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

1 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Illinois Health  
2 Care Workers Benefit Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
3 State Special License Plate Fund.

4 (16) The Department of Agriculture for Future Farmers  
5 of America decals.

6 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Future  
7 Farmers of America Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of  
8 State Special License Plate Fund.

9 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Future Farmers  
10 of America Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
11 Special License Plate Fund.

12 (17) The Illinois Department of Public Health for  
13 autism awareness decals that are designed with input from  
14 autism advocacy organizations.

15 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Autism  
16 Awareness Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State  
17 Special License Plate Fund.

18 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Autism Awareness  
19 Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State Special License  
20 Plate Fund.

21 (18) The Department of Natural Resources for Lyme  
22 disease research decals.

23 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Tick  
24 Research, Education, and Evaluation Fund and \$15 to  
25 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

26 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Tick Research,

1 Education, and Evaluation Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
2 of State Special License Plate Fund.

3 (19) The IBEW Thank a Line Worker decal.

4 (A) Original issuance: \$15, which shall be  
5 deposited into the Secretary of State Special License  
6 Plate Fund.

7 (B) Renewal: \$2, which shall be deposited into the  
8 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

9 (20) An Illinois chapter of the Navy Club for Navy  
10 Club decals.

11 (A) Original issuance: \$5; which shall be  
12 deposited into the Navy Club Fund.

13 (B) Renewal: \$18; which shall be deposited into  
14 the Navy Club Fund.

15 (21) ~~(20)~~ An Illinois chapter of the International  
16 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for International  
17 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers decal.

18 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
19 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Fund  
20 and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special License  
21 Plate Fund.

22 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the International  
23 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Fund and \$2 to the  
24 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

25 (22) ~~(20)~~ The 100 Club of Illinois decal.

26 (A) Original issuance: \$45; with \$30 to the 100

1 Club of Illinois Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State  
2 Special License Plate Fund.

3 (B) Renewal: \$27; with \$25 to the 100 Club of  
4 Illinois Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State Special  
5 License Plate Fund.

6 (23) ~~(20)~~ The Illinois USTA/Midwest Youth Tennis  
7 Foundation decal.

8 (A) Original issuance: \$40; with \$25 to the  
9 Illinois USTA/Midwest Youth Tennis Foundation Fund and  
10 \$15 to the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
11 Fund.

12 (B) Renewal: \$40; with \$38 to the Illinois  
13 USTA/Midwest Youth Tennis Foundation Fund and \$2 to  
14 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

15 (24) ~~(20)~~ The Sons of the American Legion decal.

16 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Sons  
17 of the American Legion Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of  
18 State Special License Plate Fund.

19 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Sons of the  
20 American Legion Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
21 Special License Plate Fund.

22 (f) The following funds are created as special funds in  
23 the State treasury:

24 (1) The Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund. All money in  
25 the Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund shall be paid as grants  
26 to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to fund

1 roadside monarch and other pollinator habitat development,  
2 enhancement, and restoration projects in this State.

3 (2) (Blank). ~~The Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund. All~~  
4 ~~money in the Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund shall be paid~~  
5 ~~as grants to the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Chicago.~~

6 (3) (Blank). ~~The Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund.~~  
7 ~~All money in the Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund shall~~  
8 ~~be paid as grants to the Horsemen's Council of Illinois.~~

9 (4) The Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Fund.  
10 All money in the Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness  
11 Fund shall be paid as grants to K9s for Veterans, NFP for  
12 support, education, and awareness of veterans with  
13 post-traumatic stress disorder.

14 (5) The Guide Dogs of America Fund. All money in the  
15 Guide Dogs of America Fund shall be paid as grants to the  
16 International Guiding Eyes, Inc., doing business as Guide  
17 Dogs of America.

18 (6) The Mechanics Training Fund. All money in the  
19 Mechanics Training Fund shall be paid as grants to the  
20 Mechanics Local 701 Training Fund.

21 (7) (Blank). ~~The Theresa Tracy Trot - Illinois~~  
22 ~~CancerCare Foundation Fund. All money in the Theresa Tracy~~  
23 ~~Trot - Illinois CancerCare Foundation Fund shall be paid~~  
24 ~~to the Illinois CancerCare Foundation for the purpose of~~  
25 ~~furthering pancreatic cancer research.~~

26 (8) (Blank). ~~The Developmental Disabilities Awareness~~

1 ~~Fund. All money in the Developmental Disabilities~~  
2 ~~Awareness Fund shall be paid as grants to the Illinois~~  
3 ~~Department of Human Services to fund legal aid groups to~~  
4 ~~assist with guardianship fees for private citizens willing~~  
5 ~~to become guardians for individuals with developmental~~  
6 ~~disabilities but who are unable to pay the legal fees~~  
7 ~~associated with becoming a guardian.~~

8 (9) The Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund. All money in  
9 the Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund shall be paid as  
10 grants to the Cancer Center at Illinois for pediatric  
11 cancer treatment and research.

12 (10) The Folds of Honor Foundation Fund. All money in  
13 the Folds of Honor Foundation Fund shall be paid as grants  
14 to the Folds of Honor Foundation to aid in providing  
15 educational scholarships to military families.

16 (11) The Experimental Aircraft Association Fund. All  
17 money in the Experimental Aircraft Association Fund shall  
18 be paid, subject to appropriation by the General Assembly  
19 and distribution by the Secretary, as grants to promote  
20 recreational aviation.

21 (12) The Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities Fund.  
22 All money in the Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities  
23 Fund shall be paid as grants to benefit the Child Abuse  
24 Council of the Quad Cities.

25 (13) The Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund.  
26 All money in the Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund

1 shall be paid as grants to the Trinity Health Foundation  
2 for the benefit of health care workers, doctors, nurses,  
3 and others who work in the health care industry in this  
4 State.

5 (14) The Future Farmers of America Fund. All money in  
6 the Future Farmers of America Fund shall be paid as grants  
7 to the Illinois Association of Future Farmers of America.

8 (15) The Tick Research, Education, and Evaluation  
9 Fund. All money in the Tick Research, Education, and  
10 Evaluation Fund shall be paid as grants to the Illinois  
11 Lyme Association.

12 (16) The Navy Club Fund. All money in the Navy Club  
13 Fund shall be paid as grants to any local chapter of the  
14 Navy Club that is located in this State.

15 (17) ~~(16)~~ The International Brotherhood of Electrical  
16 Workers Fund. All money in the International Brotherhood  
17 of Electrical Workers Fund shall be paid as grants to any  
18 local chapter of the International Brotherhood of  
19 Electrical Workers that is located in this State.

20 (18) ~~(16)~~ The 100 Club of Illinois Fund. All money in  
21 the 100 Club of Illinois Fund shall be paid as grants to  
22 the 100 Club of Illinois for the purpose of giving  
23 financial support to children and spouses of first  
24 responders killed in the line of duty and mental health  
25 resources for active duty first responders.

26 (19) ~~(16)~~ The Illinois USTA/Midwest Youth Tennis

1 Foundation Fund. All money in the Illinois USTA/Midwest  
2 Youth Tennis Foundation Fund shall be paid as grants to  
3 Illinois USTA/Midwest Youth Tennis Foundation to aid  
4 USTA/Midwest districts in the State with exposing youth to  
5 the game of tennis.

6 (20) ~~(16)~~ The Sons of the American Legion Fund. All  
7 money in the Sons of the American Legion Fund shall be paid  
8 as grants to the Illinois Detachment of the Sons of the  
9 American Legion.

10 (g) The following funds are dissolved on July 1, 2025:

11 (1) The Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund.

12 (2) The Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund.

13 (3) The Theresa Tracy Trot-Illinois CancerCare  
14 Foundation Fund.

15 (4) The Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund.

16 (Source: P.A. 102-383, eff. 1-1-22; 102-422, eff. 8-20-21;  
17 102-423, eff. 8-20-21; 102-515, eff. 1-1-22; 102-558, eff.  
18 8-20-21; 102-809, eff. 1-1-23; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22; 103-112,  
19 eff. 1-1-24; 103-163, eff. 1-1-24; 103-349, eff. 1-1-24;  
20 103-605, eff. 7-1-24; 103-664, eff. 1-1-25; 103-665, eff.  
21 1-1-25; 103-855, eff. 1-1-25; 103-911, eff. 1-1-25; 103-933,  
22 eff. 1-1-25; revised 11-26-24.)

23 (625 ILCS 5/3-636 rep.)

24 (625 ILCS 5/3-637 rep.)

25 (625 ILCS 5/3-654 rep.)

1 (625 ILCS 5/3-662 rep.)

2 Section 20-20. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
3 repealing Sections 3-636, 3-637, 3-654, and 3-662.

4 Article 25.

5 Section 25-5. The State Employee Housing Act is amended by  
6 changing Sections 5-20 and 5-30 as follows:

7 (5 ILCS 412/5-20)

8 Sec. 5-20. Security deposit. The Department of  
9 Corrections, ~~the Department of Transportation,~~ the Department  
10 of Natural Resources, the University of Illinois, and the  
11 University of Illinois Foundation shall each analyze the need  
12 for all employee and non-employee tenants of State-owned  
13 housing to pay a reasonable security deposit and may each  
14 collect security deposits and maintain them in  
15 interest-bearing accounts.

16 (Source: P.A. 100-695, eff. 8-3-18.)

17 (5 ILCS 412/5-30)

18 Sec. 5-30. Tenant selection. The Department of  
19 Corrections, the Department of Natural Resources, ~~the~~  
20 ~~Department of Transportation,~~ the University of Illinois, and  
21 the University of Illinois Foundation shall each develop and  
22 maintain application forms for its State-owned housing,

1 written criteria for selecting employee tenants, and records  
2 of decisions as to who was selected to receive State housing  
3 and why they were selected.

4 (Source: P.A. 100-695, eff. 8-3-18.)

5 Section 25-10. The State Budget Law of the Civil  
6 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section  
7 50-5 as follows:

8 (15 ILCS 20/50-5)

9 Sec. 50-5. Governor to submit State budget.

10 (a) The Governor shall, as soon as possible and not later  
11 than the second Wednesday in March in 2010 (March 10, 2010),  
12 the third Wednesday in February in 2011, the fourth Wednesday  
13 in February in 2012 (February 22, 2012), the first Wednesday  
14 in March in 2013 (March 6, 2013), the fourth Wednesday in March  
15 in 2014 (March 26, 2014), the first Wednesday in February in  
16 2022 (February 2, 2022), and the third Wednesday in February  
17 of each year thereafter, except as otherwise provided in this  
18 Section, submit a State budget, embracing therein the amounts  
19 recommended by the Governor to be appropriated to the  
20 respective departments, offices, and institutions, and for all  
21 other public purposes, the estimated revenues from taxation,  
22 and the estimated revenues from sources other than taxation.  
23 Except with respect to the capital development provisions of  
24 the State budget, beginning with the revenue estimates

1 prepared for fiscal year 2012, revenue estimates shall be  
2 based solely on: (i) revenue sources (including non-income  
3 resources), rates, and levels that exist as of the date of the  
4 submission of the State budget for the fiscal year and (ii)  
5 revenue sources (including non-income resources), rates, and  
6 levels that have been passed by the General Assembly as of the  
7 date of the submission of the State budget for the fiscal year  
8 and that are authorized to take effect in that fiscal year.  
9 Except with respect to the capital development provisions of  
10 the State budget, the Governor shall determine available  
11 revenue, deduct the cost of essential government services,  
12 including, but not limited to, pension payments and debt  
13 service, and assign a percentage of the remaining revenue to  
14 each statewide prioritized goal, as established in Section  
15 50-25 of this Law, taking into consideration the proposed  
16 goals set forth in the report of the Commission established  
17 under that Section. The Governor shall also demonstrate how  
18 spending priorities for the fiscal year fulfill those  
19 statewide goals. The amounts recommended by the Governor for  
20 appropriation to the respective departments, offices and  
21 institutions shall be formulated according to each  
22 department's, office's, and institution's ability to  
23 effectively deliver services that meet the established  
24 statewide goals. The amounts relating to particular functions  
25 and activities shall be further formulated in accordance with  
26 the object classification specified in Section 13 of the State

1 Finance Act. In addition, the amounts recommended by the  
2 Governor for appropriation shall take into account each State  
3 agency's effectiveness in achieving its prioritized goals for  
4 the previous fiscal year, as set forth in Section 50-25 of this  
5 Law, giving priority to agencies and programs that have  
6 demonstrated a focus on the prevention of waste and the  
7 maximum yield from resources.

8 ~~Beginning in fiscal year 2011, the Governor shall~~  
9 ~~distribute written quarterly financial reports on operating~~  
10 ~~funds, which may include general, State, or federal funds and~~  
11 ~~may include funds related to agencies that have significant~~  
12 ~~impacts on State operations, and budget statements on all~~  
13 ~~appropriated funds to the General Assembly and the State~~  
14 ~~Comptroller. The reports shall be submitted no later than 45~~  
15 ~~days after the last day of each quarter of the fiscal year and~~  
16 ~~shall be posted on the Governor's Office of Management and~~  
17 ~~Budget's website on the same day. The reports shall be~~  
18 ~~prepared and presented for each State agency and on a~~  
19 ~~statewide level in an executive summary format that may~~  
20 ~~include, for the fiscal year to date, individual itemizations~~  
21 ~~for each significant revenue type as well as itemizations of~~  
22 ~~expenditures and obligations, by agency, with an appropriate~~  
23 ~~level of detail. The reports shall include a calculation of~~  
24 ~~the actual total budget surplus or deficit for the fiscal year~~  
25 ~~to date.~~ The Governor shall also present periodic budget  
26 addresses throughout the fiscal year at the invitation of the

1 General Assembly.

2 The Governor shall not propose expenditures and the  
3 General Assembly shall not enact appropriations that exceed  
4 the resources estimated to be available, as provided in this  
5 Section. Appropriations may be adjusted during the fiscal year  
6 by means of one or more supplemental appropriation bills if  
7 any State agency either fails to meet or exceeds the goals set  
8 forth in Section 50-25 of this Law.

9 For the purposes of Article VIII, Section 2 of the 1970  
10 Illinois Constitution, the State budget for the following  
11 funds shall be prepared on the basis of revenue and  
12 expenditure measurement concepts that are in concert with  
13 generally accepted accounting principles for governments:

- 14 (1) General Revenue Fund.
- 15 (2) Common School Fund.
- 16 (3) Educational Assistance Fund.
- 17 (4) Road Fund.
- 18 (5) Motor Fuel Tax Fund.
- 19 (6) Agricultural Premium Fund.

20 These funds shall be known as the "budgeted funds". The  
21 revenue estimates used in the State budget for the budgeted  
22 funds shall include the estimated beginning fund balance, plus  
23 revenues estimated to be received during the budgeted year,  
24 plus the estimated receipts due the State as of June 30 of the  
25 budgeted year that are expected to be collected during the  
26 lapse period following the budgeted year, minus the receipts

1 collected during the first 2 months of the budgeted year that  
2 became due to the State in the year before the budgeted year.  
3 Revenues shall also include estimated federal reimbursements  
4 associated with the recognition of Section 25 of the State  
5 Finance Act liabilities. For any budgeted fund for which  
6 current year revenues are anticipated to exceed expenditures,  
7 the surplus shall be considered to be a resource available for  
8 expenditure in the budgeted fiscal year.

9 Expenditure estimates for the budgeted funds included in  
10 the State budget shall include the costs to be incurred by the  
11 State for the budgeted year, to be paid in the next fiscal  
12 year, excluding costs paid in the budgeted year which were  
13 carried over from the prior year, where the payment is  
14 authorized by Section 25 of the State Finance Act. For any  
15 budgeted fund for which expenditures are expected to exceed  
16 revenues in the current fiscal year, the deficit shall be  
17 considered as a use of funds in the budgeted fiscal year.

18 Revenues and expenditures shall also include transfers  
19 between funds that are based on revenues received or costs  
20 incurred during the budget year.

21 Appropriations for expenditures shall also include all  
22 anticipated statutory continuing appropriation obligations  
23 that are expected to be incurred during the budgeted fiscal  
24 year.

25 By March 15 of each year, the Commission on Government  
26 Forecasting and Accountability shall prepare revenue and fund

1 transfer estimates in accordance with the requirements of this  
2 Section and report those estimates to the General Assembly and  
3 the Governor.

4 For all funds other than the budgeted funds, the proposed  
5 expenditures shall not exceed funds estimated to be available  
6 for the fiscal year as shown in the budget. Appropriation for a  
7 fiscal year shall not exceed funds estimated by the General  
8 Assembly to be available during that year.

9 (b) By February 24, 2010, the Governor must file a written  
10 report with the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the  
11 House of Representatives containing the following:

12 (1) for fiscal year 2010, the revenues for all  
13 budgeted funds, both actual to date and estimated for the  
14 full fiscal year;

15 (2) for fiscal year 2010, the expenditures for all  
16 budgeted funds, both actual to date and estimated for the  
17 full fiscal year;

18 (3) for fiscal year 2011, the estimated revenues for  
19 all budgeted funds, including without limitation the  
20 affordable General Revenue Fund appropriations, for the  
21 full fiscal year; and

22 (4) for fiscal year 2011, an estimate of the  
23 anticipated liabilities for all budgeted funds, including  
24 without limitation the affordable General Revenue Fund  
25 appropriations, debt service on bonds issued, and the  
26 State's contributions to the pension systems, for the full

1 fiscal year.

2 Between July 1 and August 31 of each fiscal year, the  
3 members of the General Assembly and members of the public may  
4 make written budget recommendations to the Governor.

5 Beginning with budgets prepared for fiscal year 2013, the  
6 budgets submitted by the Governor and appropriations made by  
7 the General Assembly for all executive branch State agencies  
8 must adhere to a method of budgeting where each priority must  
9 be justified each year according to merit rather than  
10 according to the amount appropriated for the preceding year.

11 (Source: P.A. 102-671, eff. 11-30-21.)

12 (20 ILCS 2305/8 rep.)

13 Section 25-15. The Department of Public Health Act is  
14 amended by repealing Section 8.

15 Section 25-20. The Department of Transportation Law of the  
16 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing  
17 Section 2705-200 as follows:

18 (20 ILCS 2705/2705-200) (was 20 ILCS 2705/49.16)

19 Sec. 2705-200. Master plan; reporting requirements.

20 (a) The Department has the power to develop and maintain a  
21 continuing, comprehensive, and integrated planning process  
22 that shall develop and periodically revise a statewide master  
23 plan for transportation to guide program development and to

1 foster efficient and economical transportation services in  
2 ground, air, water, and all other modes of transportation  
3 throughout the State. The Department shall coordinate its  
4 transportation planning activities with those of other State  
5 agencies and authorities and shall supervise and review any  
6 transportation planning performed by other Executive agencies  
7 under the direction of the Governor. The Department shall  
8 cooperate and participate with federal, regional, interstate,  
9 State, and local agencies, in accordance with Sections 5-301  
10 and 7-301 of the Illinois Highway Code, and with interested  
11 private individuals and organizations in the coordination of  
12 plans and policies for development of the state's  
13 transportation system.

14 To meet the provisions of this Section, the Department  
15 shall publish and deliver to the Governor and General Assembly  
16 by December 31, 2012 and every 5 years thereafter, its master  
17 plan for highway, waterway, aeronautic, mass transportation,  
18 and railroad systems. The plan shall identify priority  
19 subsystems or components of each system that are critical to  
20 the economic and general welfare of this State regardless of  
21 public jurisdictional responsibility or private ownership.

22 The master plan shall include a comprehensive and  
23 multimodal freight mobility plan which shall analyze commodity  
24 flows, assess the freight transportation network, and identify  
25 significant freight system trends, needs, and economic  
26 opportunities. It shall recommend improvements in the

1 operation and management of the freight system, projects that  
2 will eliminate inefficiencies in the State's freight network,  
3 methods of funding needed for freight system improvements, and  
4 policies to ensure the safe, reliable, and efficient movement  
5 of goods within and through the State and to ensure the State's  
6 economic vitality. The freight mobility plan shall incorporate  
7 and maintain compatibility with any federally required rail  
8 plan affecting this State.

9 The master plan shall provide particular emphasis and  
10 detail of at least the 5-year period in the immediate future.

11 Annual and 5-year, or longer, project programs for each  
12 State system in this Section shall be published and furnished  
13 the General Assembly on the first Wednesday in April of each  
14 year.

15 Identified needs included in the project programs shall be  
16 listed and mapped in a distinctive fashion to clearly identify  
17 the priority status of the projects: (1) projects to be  
18 committed for execution; (2) tentative projects that are  
19 dependent upon funding or other constraints; and (3) needed  
20 projects that are not programmed due to lack of funding or  
21 other constraints.

22 All projects shall be related to the priority systems of  
23 the master plan, and the priority criteria identified. Cost  
24 and estimated completion dates shall be included for work  
25 required to complete a usable ~~useable~~ segment or component  
26 beyond the period of the program.

1 (b) The Department shall publish and deliver to the  
2 Governor and General Assembly on the first Wednesday in April  
3 of each year a 5-year, or longer, Highway Improvement Program  
4 reporting the number of fiscal years each project has been on  
5 previous plans submitted by the Department.

6 (c) The Department shall publish on its website ~~and~~  
7 ~~deliver to the Governor and the General Assembly~~ by January  
8 ~~November~~ 1 of each year a For the Record report that shall  
9 include the following:

10 (1) All the projects accomplished in the previous  
11 fiscal year listed by each Illinois Department of  
12 Transportation District.

13 (2) The award cost and the beginning dates of each  
14 listed project.

15 (Source: P.A. 97-32, eff. 6-28-11.)

16 (30 ILCS 105/8j rep.)

17 Section 25-25. The State Finance Act is amended by  
18 repealing Section 8j.

19 Section 25-30. The School Code is amended by changing  
20 Section 13-44.4 as follows:

21 (105 ILCS 5/13-44.4) (from Ch. 122, par. 13-44.4)

22 Sec. 13-44.4. Department of Corrections Reimbursement and  
23 Education Fund; budget. All moneys received from the Common

1 School Fund, federal aid and grants, vocational and  
2 educational funds and grants, and gifts and grants by  
3 individuals, foundations and corporations for educational  
4 purposes shall be deposited into the Department of Corrections  
5 Reimbursement and Education Fund in the State Treasury. Moneys  
6 in the Department of Corrections Reimbursement and Education  
7 Fund may be used, subject to appropriation, to pay the expense  
8 of the schools and school district of the Department of  
9 Corrections together with and supplemental to regular  
10 appropriations to the Department for educational purposes,  
11 including, but not limited to, the cost of teacher salaries,  
12 supplies and materials, building upkeep and costs,  
13 transportation, scholarships, non-academic salaries,  
14 equipment and other school costs.

15 ~~Beginning in 1972, the Board of Education shall, by~~  
16 ~~November 15, adopt an annual budget for the use of education~~  
17 ~~moneys for the next school year which it deems necessary to~~  
18 ~~defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of the district,~~  
19 ~~and in such annual budget shall specify the objects and~~  
20 ~~purposes of each item and the amount needed for each object or~~  
21 ~~purpose. The budget shall contain a statement of cash on hand~~  
22 ~~at the beginning of the fiscal year, an estimate of the cash~~  
23 ~~expected to be received during such fiscal year from all~~  
24 ~~sources, an estimate of the expenditure contemplated for such~~  
25 ~~fiscal year, and a statement of the estimated cash expected to~~  
26 ~~be on hand at the end of such year. Prior to the adoption of~~

1 ~~the annual educational budget, this budget shall be submitted~~  
2 ~~to the Department of Corrections and the State Board of~~  
3 ~~Education for incorporation.~~

4 (Source: P.A. 90-9, eff. 7-1-97; 90-587, eff. 7-1-98.)

5 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.136 rep.)

6 Section 25-35. The School Code is amended by repealing  
7 Section 2-3.136.

8 Section 25-40. The Higher Education Veterans Service Act  
9 is amended by changing Section 15 as follows:

10 (110 ILCS 49/15)

11 Sec. 15. Survey; coordinator; best practices report; best  
12 efforts.

13 (a) (Blank). ~~All public colleges and universities shall,~~  
14 ~~within 60 days after the effective date of this Act, conduct a~~  
15 ~~survey of the services and programs that are provided for~~  
16 ~~veterans, active duty military personnel, and their families,~~  
17 ~~at each of their respective campuses. This survey shall~~  
18 ~~enumerate and fully describe the service or program that is~~  
19 ~~available, the number of veterans or active duty personnel~~  
20 ~~using the service or program, an estimated range for potential~~  
21 ~~use within a 5 year and 10 year period, information on the~~  
22 ~~location of the service or program, and how its administrators~~  
23 ~~may be contacted. The survey shall indicate the manner or~~

1 ~~manners in which a student veteran may avail himself or~~  
2 ~~herself of the program's services. This survey must be made~~  
3 ~~available to all veterans matriculating at the college or~~  
4 ~~university in the form of an orientation-related guidebook.~~

5 ~~Each public college and university shall make the survey~~  
6 ~~available on the homepage of all campus Internet links as soon~~  
7 ~~as practical after the completion of the survey. As soon as~~  
8 ~~possible after the completion of the survey, each public~~  
9 ~~college and university shall provide a copy of its survey to~~  
10 ~~the following:~~

11 ~~(1) the Board of Higher Education;~~

12 ~~(2) the Department of Veterans' Affairs;~~

13 ~~(3) the President and Minority Leader of the Senate~~  
14 ~~and the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of~~  
15 ~~Representatives; and~~

16 ~~(4) the Governor.~~

17 (b) Each public college and university shall, at its  
18 discretion, (i) appoint, within 6 months after August 7, 2009  
19 (the effective date of this Act), an existing employee or (ii)  
20 hire a new employee to serve as a Coordinator of Veterans and  
21 Military Personnel Student Services on each campus of the  
22 college or university that has an onsite, daily, full-time  
23 student headcount above 1,000 students.

24 The Coordinator of Veterans and Military Personnel Student  
25 Services shall be an ombudsperson serving the specific needs  
26 of student veterans and military personnel and their families

1 and shall serve as an advocate before the administration of  
2 the college or university for the needs of student veterans.  
3 The college or university shall enable the Coordinator of  
4 Veterans and Military Personnel Student Services to  
5 communicate directly with the senior executive administration  
6 of the college or university periodically. The college or  
7 university shall retain unfettered discretion to determine the  
8 organizational management structure of its institution.

9 In addition to any responsibilities the college or  
10 university may assign, the Coordinator of Veterans and  
11 Military Personnel Student Services shall make its best  
12 efforts to create a centralized source for student veterans  
13 and military personnel to learn how to receive all benefit  
14 programs and services for which they are eligible.

15 Each college and university campus that is required to  
16 have a Coordinator of Veterans and Military Personnel Student  
17 Services shall regularly and conspicuously advertise the  
18 office location and phone number of and Internet access to the  
19 Coordinator of Veterans and Military Personnel Student  
20 Services, along with a brief summary of the manner in which he  
21 or she can assist student veterans. The advertisement shall  
22 include, but is not necessarily limited to, the following:

23 (1) advertisements on each campus' Internet home page;

24 (2) any promotional mailings for student application;

25 and

26 (3) the website and any social media accounts of the

1 public college or university.

2 The Coordinator of Veterans and Military Personnel Student  
3 Services shall facilitate other campus offices with the  
4 promotion of programs and services that are available.

5 (c) (Blank). ~~Upon receipt of all of the surveys under~~  
6 ~~subsection (a) of this Section, the Board of Higher Education~~  
7 ~~and the Department of Veterans' Affairs shall conduct a joint~~  
8 ~~review of the surveys. The Department of Veterans' Affairs~~  
9 ~~shall post, on any Internet home page it may operate, a link to~~  
10 ~~each survey as posted on the Internet website for the college~~  
11 ~~or university. The Board of Higher Education shall post, on~~  
12 ~~any Internet home page it may operate, a link to each survey as~~  
13 ~~posted on the Internet website for the college or university~~  
14 ~~or an annual report or document containing survey information~~  
15 ~~for each college or university. Upon receipt of all of the~~  
16 ~~surveys, the Office of the Governor, through its military~~  
17 ~~affairs advisors, shall similarly conduct a review of the~~  
18 ~~surveys. Following its review of the surveys, the Office of~~  
19 ~~the Governor shall submit an evaluation report to each college~~  
20 ~~and university offering suggestions and insight on the conduct~~  
21 ~~of student veteran-related policies and programs.~~

22 (d) (Blank). ~~The Board of Higher Education and the~~  
23 ~~Department of Veterans' Affairs may issue a best practices~~  
24 ~~report to highlight those programs and services that are most~~  
25 ~~beneficial to veterans and active duty military personnel. The~~  
26 ~~report shall contain a fiscal needs assessment in conjunction~~

1 ~~with any program recommendations.~~

2 (e) Each college and university campus that is required to  
3 have a Coordinator of Veterans and Military Personnel Student  
4 Services under subsection (b) of this Section shall make its  
5 best efforts to create academic and social programs and  
6 services for veterans and active duty military personnel that  
7 will provide reasonable opportunities for academic performance  
8 and success.

9 Each public college and university shall make its best  
10 efforts to determine how its online educational curricula can  
11 be expanded or altered to serve the needs of student veterans  
12 and currently deployed military, including a determination of  
13 whether and to what extent the public colleges and  
14 universities can share existing technologies to improve the  
15 online curricula of peer institutions, provided such efforts  
16 are both practically and economically feasible.

17 (Source: P.A. 102-278, eff. 8-6-21; 102-295, eff. 8-6-21;  
18 102-558, eff. 8-20-21; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22.)

19 (110 ILCS 335/Act rep.)

20 Section 25-45. The Institution for Tuberculosis Research  
21 Act is repealed.

22 Section 25-50. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by  
23 changing Section 11-5.2 as follows:

1 (305 ILCS 5/11-5.2)

2 Sec. 11-5.2. Income, Residency, and Identity Verification  
3 System.

4 (a) The Department shall ensure that its proposed  
5 integrated eligibility system shall include the computerized  
6 functions of income, residency, and identity eligibility  
7 verification to verify eligibility, eliminate duplication of  
8 medical assistance, and deter fraud. Until the integrated  
9 eligibility system is operational, the Department may enter  
10 into a contract with the vendor selected pursuant to Section  
11 11-5.3 as necessary to obtain the electronic data matching  
12 described in this Section. This contract shall be exempt from  
13 the Illinois Procurement Code pursuant to subsection (h) of  
14 Section 1-10 of that Code.

15 (b) Prior to awarding medical assistance at application  
16 under Article V of this Code, the Department shall, to the  
17 extent such databases are available to the Department, conduct  
18 data matches using the name, date of birth, address, and  
19 Social Security Number of each applicant or recipient or  
20 responsible relative of an applicant or recipient against the  
21 following:

22 (1) Income tax information.

23 (2) Employer reports of income and unemployment  
24 insurance payment information maintained by the Department  
25 of Employment Security.

26 (3) Earned and unearned income, citizenship and death,

1 and other relevant information maintained by the Social  
2 Security Administration.

3 (4) Immigration status information maintained by the  
4 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services.

5 (5) Wage reporting and similar information maintained  
6 by states contiguous to this State.

7 (6) Employment information maintained by the  
8 Department of Employment Security in its New Hire  
9 Directory database.

10 (7) Employment information maintained by the United  
11 States Department of Health and Human Services in its  
12 National Directory of New Hires database.

13 (8) Veterans' benefits information maintained by the  
14 United States Department of Health and Human Services, in  
15 coordination with the Department of Health and Human  
16 Services and the United States Department of Veterans  
17 ~~Veterans~~ Affairs, in the federal Public Assistance  
18 Reporting Information System (PARIS) database.

19 (9) Residency information maintained by the Illinois  
20 Secretary of State.

21 (10) A database which is substantially similar to or a  
22 successor of a database described in this Section that  
23 contains information relevant for verifying eligibility  
24 for medical assistance.

25 (c) (Blank).

26 (d) If a discrepancy results between information provided

1 by an applicant, recipient, or responsible relative and  
2 information contained in one or more of the databases or  
3 information tools listed under subsection (b) of this Section  
4 or subsection (c) of Section 11-5.3 and that discrepancy calls  
5 into question the accuracy of information relevant to a  
6 condition of eligibility provided by the applicant, recipient,  
7 or responsible relative, the Department or its contractor  
8 shall review the applicant's or recipient's case using the  
9 following procedures:

10 (1) If the information discovered under subsection (b)  
11 of this Section or subsection (c) of Section 11-5.3 does  
12 not result in the Department finding the applicant or  
13 recipient ineligible for assistance under Article V of  
14 this Code, the Department shall finalize the determination  
15 or redetermination of eligibility.

16 (2) If the information discovered results in the  
17 Department finding the applicant or recipient ineligible  
18 for assistance, the Department shall provide notice as set  
19 forth in Section 11-7 of this Article.

20 (3) If the information discovered is insufficient to  
21 determine that the applicant or recipient is eligible or  
22 ineligible, the Department shall provide written notice to  
23 the applicant or recipient which shall describe in  
24 sufficient detail the circumstances of the discrepancy,  
25 the information or documentation required, the manner in  
26 which the applicant or recipient may respond, and the

1 consequences of failing to take action. The applicant or  
2 recipient shall have 10 business days to respond.

3 (4) If the applicant or recipient does not respond to  
4 the notice, the Department shall deny assistance for  
5 failure to cooperate, in which case the Department shall  
6 provide notice as set forth in Section 11-7. Eligibility  
7 for assistance shall not be established until the  
8 discrepancy has been resolved.

9 (5) If an applicant or recipient responds to the  
10 notice, the Department shall determine the effect of the  
11 information or documentation provided on the applicant's  
12 or recipient's case and shall take appropriate action.  
13 Written notice of the Department's action shall be  
14 provided as set forth in Section 11-7 of this Article.

15 (6) Suspected cases of fraud shall be referred to the  
16 Department's Inspector General.

17 (e) The Department shall adopt any rules necessary to  
18 implement this Section.

19 (Source: P.A. 97-689, eff. 6-14-12; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14.)

20 Section 25-55. The Older Adult Services Act is amended by  
21 changing Section 35 as follows:

22 (320 ILCS 42/35)

23 Sec. 35. Older Adult Services Advisory Committee.

24 (a) The Older Adult Services Advisory Committee is created

1 to advise the directors of Aging, Healthcare and Family  
2 Services, and Public Health on all matters related to this Act  
3 and the delivery of services to older adults in general.

4 (b) The Advisory Committee shall be comprised of the  
5 following:

6 (1) The Director of Aging or the Director's ~~his or her~~  
7 designee, who shall serve as chair and shall be an ex  
8 officio and nonvoting member.

9 (2) The Director of Healthcare and Family Services and  
10 the Director of Public Health or their designees, who  
11 shall serve as vice-chairs and shall be ex officio and  
12 nonvoting members.

13 (3) One representative each of the Governor's Office,  
14 the Department of Healthcare and Family Services, the  
15 Department of Public Health, the Department of Veterans'  
16 Affairs, the Department of Human Services, the Department  
17 on Aging's Senior Health Insurance Program ~~Department of~~  
18 ~~Insurance~~, the Department on Aging, the Department on  
19 Aging's State Long Term Care Ombudsman, the Illinois  
20 Housing Finance Authority, and the Illinois Housing  
21 Development Authority, each of whom shall be selected by  
22 his or her respective director and shall be an ex officio  
23 and nonvoting member.

24 (4) Thirty-one ~~Thirty~~ members appointed by the  
25 Director of Aging in collaboration with the directors of  
26 Public Health and Healthcare and Family Services, and

1 selected from the recommendations of statewide  
2 associations and organizations, as follows:

3 (A) One member representing the Area Agencies on  
4 Aging;

5 (B) Four members representing nursing homes or  
6 licensed assisted living establishments;

7 (C) One member representing home health agencies;

8 (D) One member representing case management  
9 services;

10 (E) One member representing statewide senior  
11 center associations;

12 (F) One member representing Community Care Program  
13 homemaker services;

14 (G) One member representing Community Care Program  
15 adult day services;

16 (H) One member representing nutrition project  
17 directors;

18 (I) One member representing hospice programs;

19 (J) One member representing individuals with  
20 Alzheimer's disease and related dementias;

21 (K) Two members representing statewide trade or  
22 labor unions;

23 (L) One advanced practice registered nurse with  
24 experience in gerontological nursing;

25 (M) One physician specializing in gerontology;

26 (N) One member representing regional long-term

1 care ombudsmen;

2 (O) One member representing municipal, ~~township,~~  
3 ~~or county~~ officials;

4 (P) (Blank);

5 (Q) (Blank);

6 (R) One member representing a nurse from a  
7 Community Care Program provider ~~the parish nurse~~  
8 ~~movement~~;

9 (S) One member representing pharmacists;

10 (T) Two members representing statewide  
11 organizations engaging in advocacy or legal  
12 representation on behalf of the senior population;

13 (U) Two family caregivers;

14 (V) Two citizen members over the age of 60;

15 (W) One citizen with knowledge in the area of  
16 gerontology research or health care law;

17 (X) One representative of health care facilities  
18 licensed under the Hospital Licensing Act; ~~and~~

19 (Y) One representative of primary care service  
20 providers; and -

21 (Z) One member representing townships or county  
22 officials.

23 The Director of Aging, in collaboration with the Directors  
24 of Public Health and Healthcare and Family Services, may  
25 appoint additional citizen members to the Older Adult Services  
26 Advisory Committee. Each such additional member must be either

1 an individual age 60 or older or an uncompensated caregiver  
2 for a family member or friend who is age 60 or older.

3 (c) Voting members of the Advisory Committee shall serve  
4 for a term of 3 years or until a replacement is named. All  
5 members shall be appointed no later than January 1, 2005. Of  
6 the initial appointees, as determined by lot, 10 members shall  
7 serve a term of one year; 10 shall serve for a term of 2 years;  
8 and 12 shall serve for a term of 3 years. Any member appointed  
9 to fill a vacancy occurring prior to the expiration of the term  
10 for which his or her predecessor was appointed shall be  
11 appointed for the remainder of that term. The Advisory  
12 Committee shall meet at least quarterly and may meet more  
13 frequently at the call of the Chair. A simple majority of those  
14 appointed shall constitute a quorum. The affirmative vote of a  
15 majority of those present and voting shall be necessary for  
16 Advisory Committee action. Members of the Advisory Committee  
17 shall receive no compensation for their services.

18 (d) The Advisory Committee shall have an Executive  
19 Committee comprised of the Chair, the Vice Chairs, and up to 15  
20 members of the Advisory Committee appointed by the Chair who  
21 have demonstrated expertise in developing, implementing, or  
22 coordinating the system restructuring initiatives defined in  
23 Section 25. The Executive Committee shall have responsibility  
24 to oversee and structure the operations of the Advisory  
25 Committee and to create and appoint necessary subcommittees  
26 and subcommittee members. The Advisory Committee's Community

1 Care Program Medicaid Enrollment Oversight Subcommittee shall  
2 have the membership and powers and duties set forth in Section  
3 4.02 of the Illinois Act on the Aging.

4 (e) The Advisory Committee shall study and make  
5 recommendations related to the implementation of this Act,  
6 including, but not limited to, system restructuring  
7 initiatives as defined in Section 25 or otherwise related to  
8 this Act.

9 (Source: P.A. 100-513, eff. 1-1-18; 100-587, eff. 6-4-18;  
10 100-621, eff. 7-20-18; 101-81, eff. 7-12-19.)

11 (410 ILCS 230/Act rep.)

12 Section 25-60. The Problem Pregnancy Health Services and  
13 Care Act is repealed.

14 Section 25-65. The Fish and Aquatic Life Code is amended  
15 by changing Sections 15-5 and 20-5 as follows:

16 (515 ILCS 5/15-5) (from Ch. 56, par. 15-5)

17 Sec. 15-5. Commercial fisherman; license requirement.

18 (a) A "commercial fisherman" is defined as any individual  
19 who uses any of the commercial fishing devices as defined by  
20 this Code for the taking of any aquatic life, except mussels,  
21 protected by the terms of this Code.

22 (b) All commercial fishermen shall have a commercial  
23 fishing license. In addition to a commercial fishing license,

1 a commercial fisherman shall also obtain a sport fishing  
2 license. All individuals assisting a licensed commercial  
3 fisherman in taking aquatic life, except mussels, from any  
4 waters of the State must have a commercial fishing license  
5 unless these individuals are under the direct supervision of  
6 and aboard the same watercraft as the licensed commercial  
7 fisherman. An individual assisting a licensed commercial  
8 fisherman must first obtain a sport fishing license.

9 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
10 contrary, blind residents or residents with a disability may  
11 fish with commercial fishing devices without holding a sports  
12 fishing license. For the purpose of this Section, an  
13 individual is blind or has a disability if that individual has  
14 a Class 2 disability as defined in Section 4A of the Illinois  
15 Identification Card Act. For the purposes of this Section, an  
16 Illinois person with a Disability Identification Card issued  
17 under the Illinois Identification Card Act indicating that the  
18 individual named on the card has a Class 2 disability shall be  
19 adequate documentation of a disability.

20 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
21 contrary, a veteran who, ~~according to the determination of the~~  
22 ~~federal Veterans' Administration~~ as certified by the United  
23 States Department of Veterans ~~Veterans'~~ Affairs, is at least  
24 10% disabled with service-related disabilities or in receipt  
25 of total disability pensions may fish with commercial fishing  
26 devices without holding a sports fishing license during those

1 periods of the year that it is lawful to fish with commercial  
2 fishing devices, if the respective disabilities do not prevent  
3 the veteran from fishing in a manner that is safe to him or  
4 herself and others.

5 (e) A "Lake Michigan commercial fisherman" is defined as  
6 an individual who resides in this State or an Illinois  
7 corporation who uses any of the commercial fishing devices as  
8 defined by this Code for the taking of aquatic life, except  
9 mussels, protected by the terms of this Code.

10 (f) For purposes of this Section, an act or omission that  
11 constitutes a violation committed by an officer, employee, or  
12 agent of a corporation shall be deemed the act or omission of  
13 the corporation.

14 (Source: P.A. 98-336, eff. 1-1-14; 98-898, eff. 1-1-15;  
15 99-143, eff. 7-27-15.)

16 (515 ILCS 5/20-5) (from Ch. 56, par. 20-5)

17 Sec. 20-5. Necessity of license; exemptions.

18 (a) Any person taking or attempting to take any fish,  
19 including minnows for commercial purposes, turtles, mussels,  
20 crayfish, or frogs by any means whatever in any waters or lands  
21 wholly or in part within the jurisdiction of the State,  
22 including that part of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of  
23 this State, shall first obtain a license to do so, and shall do  
24 so only during the respective periods of the year when it shall  
25 be lawful as provided in this Code. Individuals under 16,

1 blind residents or residents with a disability, or individuals  
2 fishing at fee fishing areas licensed by the Department,  
3 however, may fish with sport fishing devices without being  
4 required to have a license. For the purpose of this Section an  
5 individual is blind or has a disability if that individual has  
6 a Class 2 disability as defined in Section 4A of the Illinois  
7 Identification Card Act. For purposes of this Section an  
8 Illinois Person with a Disability Identification Card issued  
9 under the Illinois Identification Card Act indicating that the  
10 individual named on the card has a Class 2 disability shall be  
11 adequate documentation of a disability.

12 (b) A courtesy non-resident sport fishing license or stamp  
13 may be issued at the discretion of the Director, without fee,  
14 to (i) any individual officially employed in the wildlife and  
15 fish or conservation department of another state or of the  
16 United States who is within the State to assist or consult or  
17 cooperate with the Director or (ii) the officials of other  
18 states, the United States, foreign countries, or officers or  
19 representatives of conservation organizations or publications  
20 while in the State as guests of the Governor or Director.

21 (c) The Director may issue special fishing permits without  
22 cost to groups of hospital patients or to individuals with  
23 disabilities for use on specified dates in connection with  
24 supervised fishing for therapy.

25 (d) Veterans who, ~~according to the determination of the~~  
26 ~~Veterans' Administration~~ as certified by the United States

1 Department of Veterans ~~Veterans~~ Affairs, are at least 10%  
2 disabled with service-related disabilities or in receipt of  
3 total disability pensions may fish with sport fishing devices  
4 during those periods of the year it is lawful to do so without  
5 being required to have a license, on the condition that their  
6 respective disabilities do not prevent them from fishing in a  
7 manner which is safe to themselves and others.

8 (e) Each year the Director may designate a period, not to  
9 exceed 4 days in duration, when sport fishermen may fish  
10 waters wholly or in part within the jurisdiction of the State,  
11 including that part of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of  
12 the State, and not be required to obtain the license or stamp  
13 required by subsection (a) of this Section, Section 20-10 or  
14 subsection (a) of Section 20-55. The term of any such period  
15 shall be established by administrative rule. This subsection  
16 shall not apply to commercial fishing.

17 (f) The Director may issue special fishing permits without  
18 cost for a group event, restricted to specific dates and  
19 locations if it is determined by the Department that the event  
20 is beneficial in promoting sport fishing in Illinois.

21 (Source: P.A. 99-143, eff. 7-27-15.)

22 Section 25-70. The Wildlife Code is amended by changing  
23 Section 3.1-2 as follows:

24 (520 ILCS 5/3.1-2) (from Ch. 61, par. 3.1-2)



1 to ensure the educational development of all persons to  
2 the limits of their capacities in accordance with Section  
3 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of  
4 Illinois. To accomplish that objective, this Section  
5 creates a method of funding public education that is  
6 evidence-based; is sufficient to ensure every student  
7 receives a meaningful opportunity to learn irrespective of  
8 race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender, or  
9 community-income level; and is sustainable and  
10 predictable. When fully funded under this Section, every  
11 school shall have the resources, based on what the  
12 evidence indicates is needed, to:

13 (A) provide all students with a high quality  
14 education that offers the academic, enrichment, social  
15 and emotional support, technical, and career-focused  
16 programs that will allow them to become competitive  
17 workers, responsible parents, productive citizens of  
18 this State, and active members of our national  
19 democracy;

20 (B) ensure all students receive the education they  
21 need to graduate from high school with the skills  
22 required to pursue post-secondary education and  
23 training for a rewarding career;

24 (C) reduce, with a goal of eliminating, the  
25 achievement gap between at-risk and non-at-risk  
26 students by raising the performance of at-risk

1 students and not by reducing standards; and

2 (D) ensure this State satisfies its obligation to  
3 assume the primary responsibility to fund public  
4 education and simultaneously relieve the  
5 disproportionate burden placed on local property taxes  
6 to fund schools.

7 (2) The Evidence-Based Funding formula under this  
8 Section shall be applied to all Organizational Units in  
9 this State. The Evidence-Based Funding formula outlined in  
10 this Act is based on the formula outlined in Senate Bill 1  
11 of the 100th General Assembly, as passed by both  
12 legislative chambers. As further defined and described in  
13 this Section, there are 4 major components of the  
14 Evidence-Based Funding model:

15 (A) First, the model calculates a unique Adequacy  
16 Target for each Organizational Unit in this State that  
17 considers the costs to implement research-based  
18 activities, the unit's student demographics, and  
19 regional wage differences.

20 (B) Second, the model calculates each  
21 Organizational Unit's Local Capacity, or the amount  
22 each Organizational Unit is assumed to contribute  
23 toward its Adequacy Target from local resources.

24 (C) Third, the model calculates how much funding  
25 the State currently contributes to the Organizational  
26 Unit and adds that to the unit's Local Capacity to

1 determine the unit's overall current adequacy of  
2 funding.

3 (D) Finally, the model's distribution method  
4 allocates new State funding to those Organizational  
5 Units that are least well-funded, considering both  
6 Local Capacity and State funding, in relation to their  
7 Adequacy Target.

8 (3) An Organizational Unit receiving any funding under  
9 this Section may apply those funds to any fund so received  
10 for which that Organizational Unit is authorized to make  
11 expenditures by law.

12 (4) As used in this Section, the following terms shall  
13 have the meanings ascribed in this paragraph (4):

14 "Adequacy Target" is defined in paragraph (1) of  
15 subsection (b) of this Section.

16 "Adjusted EAV" is defined in paragraph (4) of  
17 subsection (d) of this Section.

18 "Adjusted Local Capacity Target" is defined in  
19 paragraph (3) of subsection (c) of this Section.

20 "Adjusted Operating Tax Rate" means a tax rate for all  
21 Organizational Units, for which the State Superintendent  
22 shall calculate and subtract for the Operating Tax Rate a  
23 transportation rate based on total expenses for  
24 transportation services under this Code, as reported on  
25 the most recent Annual Financial Report in Pupil  
26 Transportation Services, function 2550 in both the

1 Education and Transportation funds and functions 4110 and  
2 4120 in the Transportation fund, less any corresponding  
3 fiscal year State of Illinois scheduled payments excluding  
4 net adjustments for prior years for regular, vocational,  
5 or special education transportation reimbursement pursuant  
6 to Section 29-5 or subsection (b) of Section 14-13.01 of  
7 this Code divided by the Adjusted EAV. If an  
8 Organizational Unit's corresponding fiscal year State of  
9 Illinois scheduled payments excluding net adjustments for  
10 prior years for regular, vocational, or special education  
11 transportation reimbursement pursuant to Section 29-5 or  
12 subsection (b) of Section 14-13.01 of this Code exceed the  
13 total transportation expenses, as defined in this  
14 paragraph, no transportation rate shall be subtracted from  
15 the Operating Tax Rate.

16 "Allocation Rate" is defined in paragraph (3) of  
17 subsection (g) of this Section.

18 "Alternative School" means a public school that is  
19 created and operated by a regional superintendent of  
20 schools and approved by the State Board.

21 "Applicable Tax Rate" is defined in paragraph (1) of  
22 subsection (d) of this Section.

23 "Assessment" means any of those benchmark, progress  
24 monitoring, formative, diagnostic, and other assessments,  
25 in addition to the State accountability assessment, that  
26 assist teachers' needs in understanding the skills and

1 meeting the needs of the students they serve.

2 "Assistant principal" means a school administrator  
3 duly endorsed to be employed as an assistant principal in  
4 this State.

5 "At-risk student" means a student who is at risk of  
6 not meeting the Illinois Learning Standards or not  
7 graduating from elementary or high school and who  
8 demonstrates a need for vocational support or social  
9 services beyond that provided by the regular school  
10 program. All students included in an Organizational Unit's  
11 Low-Income Count, as well as all English learner and  
12 disabled students attending the Organizational Unit, shall  
13 be considered at-risk students under this Section.

14 "Average Student Enrollment" or "ASE" for fiscal year  
15 2018 means, for an Organizational Unit, the greater of the  
16 average number of students (grades K through 12) reported  
17 to the State Board as enrolled in the Organizational Unit  
18 on October 1 in the immediately preceding school year,  
19 plus the pre-kindergarten students who receive special  
20 education services of 2 or more hours a day as reported to  
21 the State Board on December 1 in the immediately preceding  
22 school year, or the average number of students (grades K  
23 through 12) reported to the State Board as enrolled in the  
24 Organizational Unit on October 1, plus the  
25 pre-kindergarten students who receive special education  
26 services of 2 or more hours a day as reported to the State

1 Board on December 1, for each of the immediately preceding  
2 3 school years. For fiscal year 2019 and each subsequent  
3 fiscal year, "Average Student Enrollment" or "ASE" means,  
4 for an Organizational Unit, the greater of the average  
5 number of students (grades K through 12) reported to the  
6 State Board as enrolled in the Organizational Unit on  
7 October 1 and March 1 in the immediately preceding school  
8 year, plus the pre-kindergarten students who receive  
9 special education services as reported to the State Board  
10 on October 1 and March 1 in the immediately preceding  
11 school year, or the average number of students (grades K  
12 through 12) reported to the State Board as enrolled in the  
13 Organizational Unit on October 1 and March 1, plus the  
14 pre-kindergarten students who receive special education  
15 services as reported to the State Board on October 1 and  
16 March 1, for each of the immediately preceding 3 school  
17 years. For the purposes of this definition, "enrolled in  
18 the Organizational Unit" means the number of students  
19 reported to the State Board who are enrolled in schools  
20 within the Organizational Unit that the student attends or  
21 would attend if not placed or transferred to another  
22 school or program to receive needed services. For the  
23 purposes of calculating "ASE", all students, grades K  
24 through 12, excluding those attending kindergarten for a  
25 half day and students attending an alternative education  
26 program operated by a regional office of education or

1 intermediate service center, shall be counted as 1.0. All  
2 students attending kindergarten for a half day shall be  
3 counted as 0.5, unless in 2017 by June 15 or by March 1 in  
4 subsequent years, the school district reports to the State  
5 Board of Education the intent to implement full-day  
6 kindergarten district-wide for all students, then all  
7 students attending kindergarten shall be counted as 1.0.  
8 Special education pre-kindergarten students shall be  
9 counted as 0.5 each. If the State Board does not collect or  
10 has not collected both an October 1 and March 1 enrollment  
11 count by grade or a December 1 collection of special  
12 education pre-kindergarten students as of August 31, 2017  
13 (the effective date of Public Act 100-465), it shall  
14 establish such collection for all future years. For any  
15 year in which a count by grade level was collected only  
16 once, that count shall be used as the single count  
17 available for computing a 3-year average ASE. Funding for  
18 programs operated by a regional office of education or an  
19 intermediate service center must be calculated using the  
20 Evidence-Based Funding formula under this Section for the  
21 2019-2020 school year and each subsequent school year  
22 until separate adequacy formulas are developed and adopted  
23 for each type of program. ASE for a program operated by a  
24 regional office of education or an intermediate service  
25 center must be determined by the March 1 enrollment for  
26 the program. For the 2019-2020 school year, the ASE used

1 in the calculation must be the first-year ASE and, in that  
2 year only, the assignment of students served by a regional  
3 office of education or intermediate service center shall  
4 not result in a reduction of the March enrollment for any  
5 school district. For the 2020-2021 school year, the ASE  
6 must be the greater of the current-year ASE or the 2-year  
7 average ASE. Beginning with the 2021-2022 school year, the  
8 ASE must be the greater of the current-year ASE or the  
9 3-year average ASE. School districts shall submit the data  
10 for the ASE calculation to the State Board within 45 days  
11 of the dates required in this Section for submission of  
12 enrollment data in order for it to be included in the ASE  
13 calculation. For fiscal year 2018 only, the ASE  
14 calculation shall include only enrollment taken on October  
15 1. In recognition of the impact of COVID-19, the  
16 definition of "Average Student Enrollment" or "ASE" shall  
17 be adjusted for calculations under this Section for fiscal  
18 years 2022 through 2024. For fiscal years 2022 through  
19 2024, the enrollment used in the calculation of ASE  
20 representing the 2020-2021 school year shall be the  
21 greater of the enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year or  
22 the 2019-2020 school year.

23 "Base Funding Guarantee" is defined in paragraph (10)  
24 of subsection (g) of this Section.

25 "Base Funding Minimum" is defined in subsection (e) of  
26 this Section.

1 "Base Tax Year" means the property tax levy year used  
2 to calculate the Budget Year allocation of primary State  
3 aid.

4 "Base Tax Year's Extension" means the product of the  
5 equalized assessed valuation utilized by the county clerk  
6 in the Base Tax Year multiplied by the limiting rate as  
7 calculated by the county clerk and defined in PTELL.

8 "Bilingual Education Allocation" means the amount of  
9 an Organizational Unit's final Adequacy Target  
10 attributable to bilingual education divided by the  
11 Organizational Unit's final Adequacy Target, the product  
12 of which shall be multiplied by the amount of new funding  
13 received pursuant to this Section. An Organizational  
14 Unit's final Adequacy Target attributable to bilingual  
15 education shall include all additional investments in  
16 English learner students' adequacy elements.

17 "Budget Year" means the school year for which primary  
18 State aid is calculated and awarded under this Section.

19 "Central office" means individual administrators and  
20 support service personnel charged with managing the  
21 instructional programs, business and operations, and  
22 security of the Organizational Unit.

23 "Comparable Wage Index" or "CWI" means a regional cost  
24 differentiation metric that measures systemic, regional  
25 variations in the salaries of college graduates who are  
26 not educators. The CWI utilized for this Section shall,

1 for the first 3 years of Evidence-Based Funding  
2 implementation, be the CWI initially developed by the  
3 National Center for Education Statistics, as most recently  
4 updated by Texas A & M University. In the fourth and  
5 subsequent years of Evidence-Based Funding implementation,  
6 the State Superintendent shall re-determine the CWI using  
7 a similar methodology to that identified in the Texas A & M  
8 University study, with adjustments made no less frequently  
9 than once every 5 years.

10 "Computer technology and equipment" means computers  
11 servers, notebooks, network equipment, copiers, printers,  
12 instructional software, security software, curriculum  
13 management courseware, and other similar materials and  
14 equipment.

15 "Computer technology and equipment investment  
16 allocation" means the final Adequacy Target amount of an  
17 Organizational Unit assigned to Tier 1 or Tier 2 in the  
18 prior school year attributable to the additional \$285.50  
19 per student computer technology and equipment investment  
20 grant divided by the Organizational Unit's final Adequacy  
21 Target, the result of which shall be multiplied by the  
22 amount of new funding received pursuant to this Section.  
23 An Organizational Unit assigned to a Tier 1 or Tier 2 final  
24 Adequacy Target attributable to the received computer  
25 technology and equipment investment grant shall include  
26 all additional investments in computer technology and

1 equipment adequacy elements.

2 "Core subject" means mathematics; science; reading,  
3 English, writing, and language arts; history and social  
4 studies; world languages; and subjects taught as Advanced  
5 Placement in high schools.

6 "Core teacher" means a regular classroom teacher in  
7 elementary schools and teachers of a core subject in  
8 middle and high schools.

9 "Core Intervention teacher (tutor)" means a licensed  
10 teacher providing one-on-one or small group tutoring to  
11 students struggling to meet proficiency in core subjects.

12 "CPPRT" means corporate personal property replacement  
13 tax funds paid to an Organizational Unit during the  
14 calendar year one year before the calendar year in which a  
15 school year begins, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the  
16 abolition of ad valorem personal property tax and the  
17 replacement of revenues lost thereby, and amending and  
18 repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts in connection  
19 therewith", certified August 14, 1979, as amended (Public  
20 Act 81-1st S.S.-1).

21 "EAV" means equalized assessed valuation as defined in  
22 paragraph (2) of subsection (d) of this Section and  
23 calculated in accordance with paragraph (3) of subsection  
24 (d) of this Section.

25 "ECI" means the Bureau of Labor Statistics' national  
26 employment cost index for civilian workers in educational

1 services in elementary and secondary schools on a  
2 cumulative basis for the 12-month calendar year preceding  
3 the fiscal year of the Evidence-Based Funding calculation.

4 "EIS Data" means the employment information system  
5 data maintained by the State Board on educators within  
6 Organizational Units.

7 "Employee benefits" means health, dental, and vision  
8 insurance offered to employees of an Organizational Unit,  
9 the costs associated with the statutorily required payment  
10 of the normal cost of the Organizational Unit's teacher  
11 pensions, Social Security employer contributions, and  
12 Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund employer contributions.

13 "English learner" or "EL" means a child included in  
14 the definition of "English learners" under Section 14C-2  
15 of this Code participating in a program of transitional  
16 bilingual education or a transitional program of  
17 instruction meeting the requirements and program  
18 application procedures of Article 14C of this Code. For  
19 the purposes of collecting the number of EL students  
20 enrolled, the same collection and calculation methodology  
21 as defined above for "ASE" shall apply to English  
22 learners, with the exception that EL student enrollment  
23 shall include students in grades pre-kindergarten through  
24 12.

25 "Essential Elements" means those elements, resources,  
26 and educational programs that have been identified through

1 academic research as necessary to improve student success,  
2 improve academic performance, close achievement gaps, and  
3 provide for other per student costs related to the  
4 delivery and leadership of the Organizational Unit, as  
5 well as the maintenance and operations of the unit, and  
6 which are specified in paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of  
7 this Section.

8 "Evidence-Based Funding" means State funding provided  
9 to an Organizational Unit pursuant to this Section.

10 "Extended day" means academic and enrichment programs  
11 provided to students outside the regular school day before  
12 and after school or during non-instructional times during  
13 the school day.

14 "Extension Limitation Ratio" means a numerical ratio  
15 in which the numerator is the Base Tax Year's Extension  
16 and the denominator is the Preceding Tax Year's Extension.

17 "Final Percent of Adequacy" is defined in paragraph  
18 (4) of subsection (f) of this Section.

19 "Final Resources" is defined in paragraph (3) of  
20 subsection (f) of this Section.

21 "Full-time equivalent" or "FTE" means the full-time  
22 equivalency compensation for staffing the relevant  
23 position at an Organizational Unit.

24 "Funding Gap" is defined in paragraph (1) of  
25 subsection (g).

26 "Hybrid District" means a partial elementary unit

1 district created pursuant to Article 11E of this Code.

2 "Instructional assistant" means a core or special  
3 education, non-licensed employee who assists a teacher in  
4 the classroom and provides academic support to students.

5 "Instructional facilitator" means a qualified teacher  
6 or licensed teacher leader who facilitates and coaches  
7 continuous improvement in classroom instruction; provides  
8 instructional support to teachers in the elements of  
9 research-based instruction or demonstrates the alignment  
10 of instruction with curriculum standards and assessment  
11 tools; develops or coordinates instructional programs or  
12 strategies; develops and implements training; chooses  
13 standards-based instructional materials; provides  
14 teachers with an understanding of current research; serves  
15 as a mentor, site coach, curriculum specialist, or lead  
16 teacher; or otherwise works with fellow teachers, in  
17 collaboration, to use data to improve instructional  
18 practice or develop model lessons.

19 "Instructional materials" means relevant  
20 instructional materials for student instruction,  
21 including, but not limited to, textbooks, consumable  
22 workbooks, laboratory equipment, library books, and other  
23 similar materials.

24 "Laboratory School" means a public school that is  
25 created and operated by a public university and approved  
26 by the State Board.

1           "Librarian" means a teacher with an endorsement as a  
2 library information specialist or another individual whose  
3 primary responsibility is overseeing library resources  
4 within an Organizational Unit.

5           "Limiting rate for Hybrid Districts" means the  
6 combined elementary school and high school limiting rates.

7           "Local Capacity" is defined in paragraph (1) of  
8 subsection (c) of this Section.

9           "Local Capacity Percentage" is defined in subparagraph  
10 (A) of paragraph (2) of subsection (c) of this Section.

11           "Local Capacity Ratio" is defined in subparagraph (B)  
12 of paragraph (2) of subsection (c) of this Section.

13           "Local Capacity Target" is defined in paragraph (2) of  
14 subsection (c) of this Section.

15           "Low-Income Count" means, for an Organizational Unit  
16 in a fiscal year, the higher of the average number of  
17 students for the prior school year or the immediately  
18 preceding 3 school years who, as of July 1 of the  
19 immediately preceding fiscal year (as determined by the  
20 Department of Human Services), are eligible for at least  
21 one of the following low-income programs: Medicaid, the  
22 Children's Health Insurance Program, Temporary Assistance  
23 for Needy Families (TANF), or the Supplemental Nutrition  
24 Assistance Program, excluding pupils who are eligible for  
25 services provided by the Department of Children and Family  
26 Services. Until such time that grade level low-income

1 populations become available, grade level low-income  
2 populations shall be determined by applying the low-income  
3 percentage to total student enrollments by grade level.  
4 The low-income percentage is determined by dividing the  
5 Low-Income Count by the Average Student Enrollment. The  
6 low-income percentage for a regional office of education  
7 or an intermediate service center operating one or more  
8 alternative education programs must be set to the weighted  
9 average of the low-income percentages of all of the school  
10 districts in the service region. The weighted low-income  
11 percentage is the result of multiplying the low-income  
12 percentage of each school district served by the regional  
13 office of education or intermediate service center by each  
14 school district's Average Student Enrollment, summarizing  
15 those products and dividing the total by the total Average  
16 Student Enrollment for the service region.

17 "Maintenance and operations" means custodial services,  
18 facility and ground maintenance, facility operations,  
19 facility security, routine facility repairs, and other  
20 similar services and functions.

21 "Minimum Funding Level" is defined in paragraph (9) of  
22 subsection (g) of this Section.

23 "New Property Tax Relief Pool Funds" means, for any  
24 given fiscal year, all State funds appropriated under  
25 Section 2-3.170 of this Code.

26 "New State Funds" means, for a given school year, all

1 State funds appropriated for Evidence-Based Funding in  
2 excess of the amount needed to fund the Base Funding  
3 Minimum for all Organizational Units in that school year.

4 "Nurse" means an individual licensed as a certified  
5 school nurse, in accordance with the rules established for  
6 nursing services by the State Board, who is an employee of  
7 and is available to provide health care-related services  
8 for students of an Organizational Unit.

9 "Operating Tax Rate" means the rate utilized in the  
10 previous year to extend property taxes for all purposes,  
11 except Bond and Interest, Summer School, Rent, Capital  
12 Improvement, and Vocational Education Building purposes.  
13 For Hybrid Districts, the Operating Tax Rate shall be the  
14 combined elementary and high school rates utilized in the  
15 previous year to extend property taxes for all purposes,  
16 except Bond and Interest, Summer School, Rent, Capital  
17 Improvement, and Vocational Education Building purposes.

18 "Organizational Unit" means a Laboratory School or any  
19 public school district that is recognized as such by the  
20 State Board and that contains elementary schools typically  
21 serving kindergarten through 5th grades, middle schools  
22 typically serving 6th through 8th grades, high schools  
23 typically serving 9th through 12th grades, a program  
24 established under Section 2-3.66 or 2-3.41, or a program  
25 operated by a regional office of education or an  
26 intermediate service center under Article 13A or 13B. The

1 General Assembly acknowledges that the actual grade levels  
2 served by a particular Organizational Unit may vary  
3 slightly from what is typical.

4 "Organizational Unit CWI" is determined by calculating  
5 the CWI in the region and original county in which an  
6 Organizational Unit's primary administrative office is  
7 located as set forth in this paragraph, provided that if  
8 the Organizational Unit CWI as calculated in accordance  
9 with this paragraph is less than 0.9, the Organizational  
10 Unit CWI shall be increased to 0.9. Each county's current  
11 CWI value shall be adjusted based on the CWI value of that  
12 county's neighboring Illinois counties, to create a  
13 "weighted adjusted index value". This shall be calculated  
14 by summing the CWI values of all of a county's adjacent  
15 Illinois counties and dividing by the number of adjacent  
16 Illinois counties, then taking the weighted value of the  
17 original county's CWI value and the adjacent Illinois  
18 county average. To calculate this weighted value, if the  
19 number of adjacent Illinois counties is greater than 2,  
20 the original county's CWI value will be weighted at 0.25  
21 and the adjacent Illinois county average will be weighted  
22 at 0.75. If the number of adjacent Illinois counties is 2,  
23 the original county's CWI value will be weighted at 0.33  
24 and the adjacent Illinois county average will be weighted  
25 at 0.66. The greater of the county's current CWI value and  
26 its weighted adjusted index value shall be used as the

1 Organizational Unit CWI.

2 "Preceding Tax Year" means the property tax levy year  
3 immediately preceding the Base Tax Year.

4 "Preceding Tax Year's Extension" means the product of  
5 the equalized assessed valuation utilized by the county  
6 clerk in the Preceding Tax Year multiplied by the  
7 Operating Tax Rate.

8 "Preliminary Percent of Adequacy" is defined in  
9 paragraph (2) of subsection (f) of this Section.

10 "Preliminary Resources" is defined in paragraph (2) of  
11 subsection (f) of this Section.

12 "Principal" means a school administrator duly endorsed  
13 to be employed as a principal in this State.

14 "Professional development" means training programs for  
15 licensed staff in schools, including, but not limited to,  
16 programs that assist in implementing new curriculum  
17 programs, provide data focused or academic assessment data  
18 training to help staff identify a student's weaknesses and  
19 strengths, target interventions, improve instruction,  
20 encompass instructional strategies for English learner,  
21 gifted, or at-risk students, address inclusivity, cultural  
22 sensitivity, or implicit bias, or otherwise provide  
23 professional support for licensed staff.

24 "Prototypical" means 450 special education  
25 pre-kindergarten and kindergarten through grade 5 students  
26 for an elementary school, 450 grade 6 through 8 students

1 for a middle school, and 600 grade 9 through 12 students  
2 for a high school.

3 "PTELL" means the Property Tax Extension Limitation  
4 Law.

5 "PTELL EAV" is defined in paragraph (4) of subsection  
6 (d) of this Section.

7 "Pupil support staff" means a nurse, psychologist,  
8 social worker, family liaison personnel, or other staff  
9 member who provides support to at-risk or struggling  
10 students.

11 "Real Receipts" is defined in paragraph (1) of  
12 subsection (d) of this Section.

13 "Regionalization Factor" means, for a particular  
14 Organizational Unit, the figure derived by dividing the  
15 Organizational Unit CWI by the Statewide Weighted CWI.

16 "School counselor" means a licensed school counselor  
17 who provides guidance and counseling support for students  
18 within an Organizational Unit.

19 "School site staff" means the primary school secretary  
20 and any additional clerical personnel assigned to a  
21 school.

22 "Special education" means special educational  
23 facilities and services, as defined in Section 14-1.08 of  
24 this Code.

25 "Special Education Allocation" means the amount of an  
26 Organizational Unit's final Adequacy Target attributable

1 to special education divided by the Organizational Unit's  
2 final Adequacy Target, the product of which shall be  
3 multiplied by the amount of new funding received pursuant  
4 to this Section. An Organizational Unit's final Adequacy  
5 Target attributable to special education shall include all  
6 special education investment adequacy elements.

7 "Specialist teacher" means a teacher who provides  
8 instruction in subject areas not included in core  
9 subjects, including, but not limited to, art, music,  
10 physical education, health, driver education,  
11 career-technical education, and such other subject areas  
12 as may be mandated by State law or provided by an  
13 Organizational Unit.

14 "Specially Funded Unit" means an Alternative School,  
15 safe school, Department of Juvenile Justice school,  
16 special education cooperative or entity recognized by the  
17 State Board as a special education cooperative,  
18 State-approved charter school, or alternative learning  
19 opportunities program that received direct funding from  
20 the State Board during the 2016-2017 school year through  
21 any of the funding sources included within the calculation  
22 of the Base Funding Minimum or Glenwood Academy.

23 "Supplemental Grant Funding" means supplemental  
24 general State aid funding received by an Organizational  
25 Unit during the 2016-2017 school year pursuant to  
26 subsection (H) of Section 18-8.05 of this Code (now

1 repealed).

2 "State Adequacy Level" is the sum of the Adequacy  
3 Targets of all Organizational Units.

4 "State Board" means the State Board of Education.

5 "State Superintendent" means the State Superintendent  
6 of Education.

7 "Statewide Weighted CWI" means a figure determined by  
8 multiplying each Organizational Unit CWI times the ASE for  
9 that Organizational Unit creating a weighted value,  
10 summing all Organizational Units' weighted values, and  
11 dividing by the total ASE of all Organizational Units,  
12 thereby creating an average weighted index.

13 "Student activities" means non-credit producing  
14 after-school programs, including, but not limited to,  
15 clubs, bands, sports, and other activities authorized by  
16 the school board of the Organizational Unit.

17 "Substitute teacher" means an individual teacher or  
18 teaching assistant who is employed by an Organizational  
19 Unit and is temporarily serving the Organizational Unit on  
20 a per diem or per period-assignment basis to replace  
21 another staff member.

22 "Summer school" means academic and enrichment programs  
23 provided to students during the summer months outside of  
24 the regular school year.

25 "Supervisory aide" means a non-licensed staff member  
26 who helps in supervising students of an Organizational

1 Unit, but does so outside of the classroom, in situations  
2 such as, but not limited to, monitoring hallways and  
3 playgrounds, supervising lunchrooms, or supervising  
4 students when being transported in buses serving the  
5 Organizational Unit.

6 "Target Ratio" is defined in paragraph (4) of  
7 subsection (g).

8 "Tier 1", "Tier 2", "Tier 3", and "Tier 4" are defined  
9 in paragraph (3) of subsection (g).

10 "Tier 1 Aggregate Funding", "Tier 2 Aggregate  
11 Funding", "Tier 3 Aggregate Funding", and "Tier 4  
12 Aggregate Funding" are defined in paragraph (1) of  
13 subsection (g).

14 (b) Adequacy Target calculation.

15 (1) Each Organizational Unit's Adequacy Target is the  
16 sum of the Organizational Unit's cost of providing  
17 Essential Elements, as calculated in accordance with this  
18 subsection (b), with the salary amounts in the Essential  
19 Elements multiplied by a Regionalization Factor calculated  
20 pursuant to paragraph (3) of this subsection (b).

21 (2) The Essential Elements are attributable on a pro  
22 rata basis related to defined subgroups of the ASE of each  
23 Organizational Unit as specified in this paragraph (2),  
24 with investments and FTE positions pro rata funded based  
25 on ASE counts in excess of or less than the thresholds set  
26 forth in this paragraph (2). The method for calculating

1       attributable pro rata costs and the defined subgroups  
2       thereto are as follows:

3               (A)     Core     class     size     investments.     Each  
4       Organizational Unit shall receive the funding required  
5       to support that number of FTE core teacher positions  
6       as is needed to keep the respective class sizes of the  
7       Organizational Unit to the following maximum numbers:

8               (i)     For grades kindergarten through 3, the  
9       Organizational Unit shall receive funding required  
10       to support one FTE core teacher position for every  
11       15 Low-Income Count students in those grades and  
12       one FTE core teacher position for every 20  
13       non-Low-Income Count students in those grades.

14              (ii)    For grades 4 through 12, the  
15       Organizational Unit shall receive funding required  
16       to support one FTE core teacher position for every  
17       20 Low-Income Count students in those grades and  
18       one FTE core teacher position for every 25  
19       non-Low-Income Count students in those grades.

20       The number of non-Low-Income Count students in a  
21       grade shall be determined by subtracting the  
22       Low-Income students in that grade from the ASE of the  
23       Organizational Unit for that grade.

24              (B)     Specialist     teacher     investments.     Each  
25       Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
26       to cover that number of FTE specialist teacher

1 positions that correspond to the following  
2 percentages:

3 (i) if the Organizational Unit operates an  
4 elementary or middle school, then 20.00% of the  
5 number of the Organizational Unit's core teachers,  
6 as determined under subparagraph (A) of this  
7 paragraph (2); and

8 (ii) if such Organizational Unit operates a  
9 high school, then 33.33% of the number of the  
10 Organizational Unit's core teachers.

11 (C) Instructional facilitator investments. Each  
12 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
13 to cover one FTE instructional facilitator position  
14 for every 200 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten  
15 children with disabilities and all kindergarten  
16 through grade 12 students of the Organizational Unit.

17 (D) Core intervention teacher (tutor) investments.  
18 Each Organizational Unit shall receive the funding  
19 needed to cover one FTE teacher position for each  
20 prototypical elementary, middle, and high school.

21 (E) Substitute teacher investments. Each  
22 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
23 to cover substitute teacher costs that is equal to  
24 5.70% of the minimum pupil attendance days required  
25 under Section 10-19 of this Code for all full-time  
26 equivalent core, specialist, and intervention

1 teachers, school nurses, special education teachers  
2 and instructional assistants, instructional  
3 facilitators, and summer school and extended day  
4 teacher positions, as determined under this paragraph  
5 (2), at a salary rate of 33.33% of the average salary  
6 for grade K through 12 teachers and 33.33% of the  
7 average salary of each instructional assistant  
8 position.

9 (F) Core school counselor investments. Each  
10 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
11 to cover one FTE school counselor for each 450  
12 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
13 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 5  
14 students, plus one FTE school counselor for each 250  
15 grades 6 through 8 ASE middle school students, plus  
16 one FTE school counselor for each 250 grades 9 through  
17 12 ASE high school students.

18 (G) Nurse investments. Each Organizational Unit  
19 shall receive the funding needed to cover one FTE  
20 nurse for each 750 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten  
21 children with disabilities and all kindergarten  
22 through grade 12 students across all grade levels it  
23 serves.

24 (H) Supervisory aide investments. Each  
25 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
26 to cover one FTE for each 225 combined ASE of

1 pre-kindergarten children with disabilities and all  
2 kindergarten through grade 5 students, plus one FTE  
3 for each 225 ASE middle school students, plus one FTE  
4 for each 200 ASE high school students.

5 (I) Librarian investments. Each Organizational  
6 Unit shall receive the funding needed to cover one FTE  
7 librarian for each prototypical elementary school,  
8 middle school, and high school and one FTE aide or  
9 media technician for every 300 combined ASE of  
10 pre-kindergarten children with disabilities and all  
11 kindergarten through grade 12 students.

12 (J) Principal investments. Each Organizational  
13 Unit shall receive the funding needed to cover one FTE  
14 principal position for each prototypical elementary  
15 school, plus one FTE principal position for each  
16 prototypical middle school, plus one FTE principal  
17 position for each prototypical high school.

18 (K) Assistant principal investments. Each  
19 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed  
20 to cover one FTE assistant principal position for each  
21 prototypical elementary school, plus one FTE assistant  
22 principal position for each prototypical middle  
23 school, plus one FTE assistant principal position for  
24 each prototypical high school.

25 (L) School site staff investments. Each  
26 Organizational Unit shall receive the funding needed

1 for one FTE position for each 225 ASE of  
2 pre-kindergarten children with disabilities and all  
3 kindergarten through grade 5 students, plus one FTE  
4 position for each 225 ASE middle school students, plus  
5 one FTE position for each 200 ASE high school  
6 students.

7 (M) Gifted investments. Each Organizational Unit  
8 shall receive \$40 per kindergarten through grade 12  
9 ASE.

10 (N) Professional development investments. Each  
11 Organizational Unit shall receive \$125 per student of  
12 the combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
13 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
14 students for trainers and other professional  
15 development-related expenses for supplies and  
16 materials.

17 (O) Instructional material investments. Each  
18 Organizational Unit shall receive \$190 per student of  
19 the combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
20 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
21 students to cover instructional material costs.

22 (P) Assessment investments. Each Organizational  
23 Unit shall receive \$25 per student of the combined ASE  
24 of pre-kindergarten children with disabilities and all  
25 kindergarten through grade 12 students to cover  
26 assessment costs.

1           (Q) Computer technology and equipment investments.  
2           Each Organizational Unit shall receive \$285.50 per  
3           student of the combined ASE of pre-kindergarten  
4           children with disabilities and all kindergarten  
5           through grade 12 students to cover computer technology  
6           and equipment costs. For the 2018-2019 school year and  
7           subsequent school years, Organizational Units assigned  
8           to Tier 1 and Tier 2 in the prior school year shall  
9           receive an additional \$285.50 per student of the  
10          combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
11          disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
12          students to cover computer technology and equipment  
13          costs in the Organizational Unit's Adequacy Target.  
14          The State Board may establish additional requirements  
15          for Organizational Unit expenditures of funds received  
16          pursuant to this subparagraph (Q), including a  
17          requirement that funds received pursuant to this  
18          subparagraph (Q) may be used only for serving the  
19          technology needs of the district. It is the intent of  
20          Public Act 100-465 that all Tier 1 and Tier 2 districts  
21          receive the addition to their Adequacy Target in the  
22          following year, subject to compliance with the  
23          requirements of the State Board.

24          (R) Student activities investments. Each  
25          Organizational Unit shall receive the following  
26          funding amounts to cover student activities: \$100 per

1 kindergarten through grade 5 ASE student in elementary  
2 school, plus \$200 per ASE student in middle school,  
3 plus \$675 per ASE student in high school.

4 (S) Maintenance and operations investments. Each  
5 Organizational Unit shall receive \$1,038 per student  
6 of the combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
7 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
8 students for day-to-day maintenance and operations  
9 expenditures, including salary, supplies, and  
10 materials, as well as purchased services, but  
11 excluding employee benefits. The proportion of salary  
12 for the application of a Regionalization Factor and  
13 the calculation of benefits is equal to \$352.92.

14 (T) Central office investments. Each  
15 Organizational Unit shall receive \$742 per student of  
16 the combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
17 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
18 students to cover central office operations, including  
19 administrators and classified personnel charged with  
20 managing the instructional programs, business and  
21 operations of the school district, and security  
22 personnel. The proportion of salary for the  
23 application of a Regionalization Factor and the  
24 calculation of benefits is equal to \$368.48.

25 (U) Employee benefit investments. Each  
26 Organizational Unit shall receive 30% of the total of

1 all salary-calculated elements of the Adequacy Target,  
2 excluding substitute teachers and student activities  
3 investments, to cover benefit costs. For central  
4 office and maintenance and operations investments, the  
5 benefit calculation shall be based upon the salary  
6 proportion of each investment. If at any time the  
7 responsibility for funding the employer normal cost of  
8 teacher pensions is assigned to school districts, then  
9 that amount certified by the Teachers' Retirement  
10 System of the State of Illinois to be paid by the  
11 Organizational Unit for the preceding school year  
12 shall be added to the benefit investment. For any  
13 fiscal year in which a school district organized under  
14 Article 34 of this Code is responsible for paying the  
15 employer normal cost of teacher pensions, then that  
16 amount of its employer normal cost plus the amount for  
17 retiree health insurance as certified by the Public  
18 School Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund of  
19 Chicago to be paid by the school district for the  
20 preceding school year that is statutorily required to  
21 cover employer normal costs and the amount for retiree  
22 health insurance shall be added to the 30% specified  
23 in this subparagraph (U). The Teachers' Retirement  
24 System of the State of Illinois and the Public School  
25 Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund of Chicago shall  
26 submit such information as the State Superintendent

1           may require for the calculations set forth in this  
2           subparagraph (U).

3           (V) Additional investments in low-income students.  
4           In addition to and not in lieu of all other funding  
5           under this paragraph (2), each Organizational Unit  
6           shall receive funding based on the average teacher  
7           salary for grades K through 12 to cover the costs of:

8                   (i) one FTE intervention teacher (tutor)  
9                   position for every 125 Low-Income Count students;

10                   (ii) one FTE pupil support staff position for  
11                   every 125 Low-Income Count students;

12                   (iii) one FTE extended day teacher position  
13                   for every 120 Low-Income Count students; and

14                   (iv) one FTE summer school teacher position  
15                   for every 120 Low-Income Count students.

16           (W) Additional investments in English learner  
17           students. In addition to and not in lieu of all other  
18           funding under this paragraph (2), each Organizational  
19           Unit shall receive funding based on the average  
20           teacher salary for grades K through 12 to cover the  
21           costs of:

22                   (i) one FTE intervention teacher (tutor)  
23                   position for every 125 English learner students;

24                   (ii) one FTE pupil support staff position for  
25                   every 125 English learner students;

26                   (iii) one FTE extended day teacher position

1 for every 120 English learner students;

2 (iv) one FTE summer school teacher position  
3 for every 120 English learner students; and

4 (v) one FTE core teacher position for every  
5 100 English learner students.

6 (X) Special education investments. Each  
7 Organizational Unit shall receive funding based on the  
8 average teacher salary for grades K through 12 to  
9 cover special education as follows:

10 (i) one FTE teacher position for every 141  
11 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
12 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
13 students;

14 (ii) one FTE instructional assistant for every  
15 141 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children with  
16 disabilities and all kindergarten through grade 12  
17 students; and

18 (iii) one FTE psychologist position for every  
19 1,000 combined ASE of pre-kindergarten children  
20 with disabilities and all kindergarten through  
21 grade 12 students.

22 (3) For calculating the salaries included within the  
23 Essential Elements, the State Superintendent shall  
24 annually calculate average salaries to the nearest dollar  
25 using the employment information system data maintained by  
26 the State Board, limited to public schools only and

1 excluding special education and vocational cooperatives,  
2 schools operated by the Department of Juvenile Justice,  
3 and charter schools, for the following positions:

4 (A) Teacher for grades K through 8.

5 (B) Teacher for grades 9 through 12.

6 (C) Teacher for grades K through 12.

7 (D) School counselor for grades K through 8.

8 (E) School counselor for grades 9 through 12.

9 (F) School counselor for grades K through 12.

10 (G) Social worker.

11 (H) Psychologist.

12 (I) Librarian.

13 (J) Nurse.

14 (K) Principal.

15 (L) Assistant principal.

16 For the purposes of this paragraph (3), "teacher"  
17 includes core teachers, specialist and elective teachers,  
18 instructional facilitators, tutors, special education  
19 teachers, pupil support staff teachers, English learner  
20 teachers, extended day teachers, and summer school  
21 teachers. Where specific grade data is not required for  
22 the Essential Elements, the average salary for  
23 corresponding positions shall apply. For substitute  
24 teachers, the average teacher salary for grades K through  
25 12 shall apply.

26 For calculating the salaries included within the

1 Essential Elements for positions not included within EIS  
2 Data, the following salaries shall be used in the first  
3 year of implementation of Evidence-Based Funding:

4 (i) school site staff, \$30,000; and

5 (ii) non-instructional assistant, instructional  
6 assistant, library aide, library media tech, or  
7 supervisory aide: \$25,000.

8 In the second and subsequent years of implementation  
9 of Evidence-Based Funding, the amounts in items (i) and  
10 (ii) of this paragraph (3) shall annually increase by the  
11 ECI.

12 The salary amounts for the Essential Elements  
13 determined pursuant to subparagraphs (A) through (L), (S)  
14 and (T), and (V) through (X) of paragraph (2) of  
15 subsection (b) of this Section shall be multiplied by a  
16 Regionalization Factor.

17 (c) Local Capacity calculation.

18 (1) Each Organizational Unit's Local Capacity  
19 represents an amount of funding it is assumed to  
20 contribute toward its Adequacy Target for purposes of the  
21 Evidence-Based Funding formula calculation. "Local  
22 Capacity" means either (i) the Organizational Unit's Local  
23 Capacity Target as calculated in accordance with paragraph  
24 (2) of this subsection (c) if its Real Receipts are equal  
25 to or less than its Local Capacity Target or (ii) the  
26 Organizational Unit's Adjusted Local Capacity, as

1 calculated in accordance with paragraph (3) of this  
2 subsection (c) if Real Receipts are more than its Local  
3 Capacity Target.

4 (2) "Local Capacity Target" means, for an  
5 Organizational Unit, that dollar amount that is obtained  
6 by multiplying its Adequacy Target by its Local Capacity  
7 Ratio.

8 (A) An Organizational Unit's Local Capacity  
9 Percentage is the conversion of the Organizational  
10 Unit's Local Capacity Ratio, as such ratio is  
11 determined in accordance with subparagraph (B) of this  
12 paragraph (2), into a cumulative distribution  
13 resulting in a percentile ranking to determine each  
14 Organizational Unit's relative position to all other  
15 Organizational Units in this State. The calculation of  
16 Local Capacity Percentage is described in subparagraph  
17 (C) of this paragraph (2).

18 (B) An Organizational Unit's Local Capacity Ratio  
19 in a given year is the percentage obtained by dividing  
20 its Adjusted EAV or PTELL EAV, whichever is less, by  
21 its Adequacy Target, with the resulting ratio further  
22 adjusted as follows:

23 (i) for Organizational Units serving grades  
24 kindergarten through 12 and Hybrid Districts, no  
25 further adjustments shall be made;

26 (ii) for Organizational Units serving grades

1 kindergarten through 8, the ratio shall be  
2 multiplied by 9/13;

3 (iii) for Organizational Units serving grades  
4 9 through 12, the Local Capacity Ratio shall be  
5 multiplied by 4/13; and

6 (iv) for an Organizational Unit with a  
7 different grade configuration than those specified  
8 in items (i) through (iii) of this subparagraph  
9 (B), the State Superintendent shall determine a  
10 comparable adjustment based on the grades served.

11 (C) The Local Capacity Percentage is equal to the  
12 percentile ranking of the district. Local Capacity  
13 Percentage converts each Organizational Unit's Local  
14 Capacity Ratio to a cumulative distribution resulting  
15 in a percentile ranking to determine each  
16 Organizational Unit's relative position to all other  
17 Organizational Units in this State. The Local Capacity  
18 Percentage cumulative distribution resulting in a  
19 percentile ranking for each Organizational Unit shall  
20 be calculated using the standard normal distribution  
21 of the score in relation to the weighted mean and  
22 weighted standard deviation and Local Capacity Ratios  
23 of all Organizational Units. If the value assigned to  
24 any Organizational Unit is in excess of 90%, the value  
25 shall be adjusted to 90%. For Laboratory Schools, the  
26 Local Capacity Percentage shall be set at 10% in

1 recognition of the absence of EAV and resources from  
2 the public university that are allocated to the  
3 Laboratory School. For a regional office of education  
4 or an intermediate service center operating one or  
5 more alternative education programs, the Local  
6 Capacity Percentage must be set at 10% in recognition  
7 of the absence of EAV and resources from school  
8 districts that are allocated to the regional office of  
9 education or intermediate service center. The weighted  
10 mean for the Local Capacity Percentage shall be  
11 determined by multiplying each Organizational Unit's  
12 Local Capacity Ratio times the ASE for the unit  
13 creating a weighted value, summing the weighted values  
14 of all Organizational Units, and dividing by the total  
15 ASE of all Organizational Units. The weighted standard  
16 deviation shall be determined by taking the square  
17 root of the weighted variance of all Organizational  
18 Units' Local Capacity Ratio, where the variance is  
19 calculated by squaring the difference between each  
20 unit's Local Capacity Ratio and the weighted mean,  
21 then multiplying the variance for each unit times the  
22 ASE for the unit to create a weighted variance for each  
23 unit, then summing all units' weighted variance and  
24 dividing by the total ASE of all units.

25 (D) For any Organizational Unit, the  
26 Organizational Unit's Adjusted Local Capacity Target

1 shall be reduced by either (i) the school board's  
2 remaining contribution pursuant to paragraph (ii) of  
3 subsection (b-4) of Section 16-158 of the Illinois  
4 Pension Code in a given year or (ii) the board of  
5 education's remaining contribution pursuant to  
6 paragraph (iv) of subsection (b) of Section 17-129 of  
7 the Illinois Pension Code absent the employer normal  
8 cost portion of the required contribution and amount  
9 allowed pursuant to subdivision (3) of Section  
10 17-142.1 of the Illinois Pension Code in a given year.  
11 In the preceding sentence, item (i) shall be certified  
12 to the State Board of Education by the Teachers'  
13 Retirement System of the State of Illinois and item  
14 (ii) shall be certified to the State Board of  
15 Education by the Public School Teachers' Pension and  
16 Retirement Fund of the City of Chicago.

17 (3) If an Organizational Unit's Real Receipts are more  
18 than its Local Capacity Target, then its Local Capacity  
19 shall equal an Adjusted Local Capacity Target as  
20 calculated in accordance with this paragraph (3). The  
21 Adjusted Local Capacity Target is calculated as the sum of  
22 the Organizational Unit's Local Capacity Target and its  
23 Real Receipts Adjustment. The Real Receipts Adjustment  
24 equals the Organizational Unit's Real Receipts less its  
25 Local Capacity Target, with the resulting figure  
26 multiplied by the Local Capacity Percentage.

1           As used in this paragraph (3), "Real Percent of  
2 Adequacy" means the sum of an Organizational Unit's Real  
3 Receipts, CPPRT, and Base Funding Minimum, with the  
4 resulting figure divided by the Organizational Unit's  
5 Adequacy Target.

6           (d) Calculation of Real Receipts, EAV, and Adjusted EAV  
7 for purposes of the Local Capacity calculation.

8           (1) An Organizational Unit's Real Receipts are the  
9 product of its Applicable Tax Rate and its Adjusted EAV.  
10 An Organizational Unit's Applicable Tax Rate is its  
11 Adjusted Operating Tax Rate for property within the  
12 Organizational Unit.

13           (2) The State Superintendent shall calculate the  
14 equalized assessed valuation, or EAV, of all taxable  
15 property of each Organizational Unit as of September 30 of  
16 the previous year in accordance with paragraph (3) of this  
17 subsection (d). The State Superintendent shall then  
18 determine the Adjusted EAV of each Organizational Unit in  
19 accordance with paragraph (4) of this subsection (d),  
20 which Adjusted EAV figure shall be used for the purposes  
21 of calculating Local Capacity.

22           (3) To calculate Real Receipts and EAV, the Department  
23 of Revenue shall supply to the State Superintendent the  
24 value as equalized or assessed by the Department of  
25 Revenue of all taxable property of every Organizational  
26 Unit, together with (i) the applicable tax rate used in

1 extending taxes for the funds of the Organizational Unit  
2 as of September 30 of the previous year and (ii) the  
3 limiting rate for all Organizational Units subject to  
4 property tax extension limitations as imposed under PTELL.

5 (A) The Department of Revenue shall add to the  
6 equalized assessed value of all taxable property of  
7 each Organizational Unit situated entirely or  
8 partially within a county that is or was subject to the  
9 provisions of Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property  
10 Tax Code (i) an amount equal to the total amount by  
11 which the homestead exemption allowed under Section  
12 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code for real  
13 property situated in that Organizational Unit exceeds  
14 the total amount that would have been allowed in that  
15 Organizational Unit if the maximum reduction under  
16 Section 15-176 was (I) \$4,500 in Cook County or \$3,500  
17 in all other counties in tax year 2003 or (II) \$5,000  
18 in all counties in tax year 2004 and thereafter and  
19 (ii) an amount equal to the aggregate amount for the  
20 taxable year of all additional exemptions under  
21 Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code for owners  
22 with a household income of \$30,000 or less. The county  
23 clerk of any county that is or was subject to the  
24 provisions of Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property  
25 Tax Code shall annually calculate and certify to the  
26 Department of Revenue for each Organizational Unit all

1 homestead exemption amounts under Section 15-176 or  
2 15-177 of the Property Tax Code and all amounts of  
3 additional exemptions under Section 15-175 of the  
4 Property Tax Code for owners with a household income  
5 of \$30,000 or less. It is the intent of this  
6 subparagraph (A) that if the general homestead  
7 exemption for a parcel of property is determined under  
8 Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code  
9 rather than Section 15-175, then the calculation of  
10 EAV shall not be affected by the difference, if any,  
11 between the amount of the general homestead exemption  
12 allowed for that parcel of property under Section  
13 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code and the  
14 amount that would have been allowed had the general  
15 homestead exemption for that parcel of property been  
16 determined under Section 15-175 of the Property Tax  
17 Code. It is further the intent of this subparagraph  
18 (A) that if additional exemptions are allowed under  
19 Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code for owners  
20 with a household income of less than \$30,000, then the  
21 calculation of EAV shall not be affected by the  
22 difference, if any, because of those additional  
23 exemptions.

24 (B) With respect to any part of an Organizational  
25 Unit within a redevelopment project area in respect to  
26 which a municipality has adopted tax increment

1 allocation financing pursuant to the Tax Increment  
2 Allocation Redevelopment Act, Division 74.4 of Article  
3 11 of the Illinois Municipal Code, or the Industrial  
4 Jobs Recovery Law, Division 74.6 of Article 11 of the  
5 Illinois Municipal Code, no part of the current EAV of  
6 real property located in any such project area that is  
7 attributable to an increase above the total initial  
8 EAV of such property shall be used as part of the EAV  
9 of the Organizational Unit, until such time as all  
10 redevelopment project costs have been paid, as  
11 provided in Section 11-74.4-8 of the Tax Increment  
12 Allocation Redevelopment Act or in Section 11-74.6-35  
13 of the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law. For the purpose  
14 of the EAV of the Organizational Unit, the total  
15 initial EAV or the current EAV, whichever is lower,  
16 shall be used until such time as all redevelopment  
17 project costs have been paid.

18 (B-5) The real property equalized assessed  
19 valuation for a school district shall be adjusted by  
20 subtracting from the real property value, as equalized  
21 or assessed by the Department of Revenue, for the  
22 district an amount computed by dividing the amount of  
23 any abatement of taxes under Section 18-170 of the  
24 Property Tax Code by 3.00% for a district maintaining  
25 grades kindergarten through 12, by 2.30% for a  
26 district maintaining grades kindergarten through 8, or

1 by 1.05% for a district maintaining grades 9 through  
2 12 and adjusted by an amount computed by dividing the  
3 amount of any abatement of taxes under subsection (a)  
4 of Section 18-165 of the Property Tax Code by the same  
5 percentage rates for district type as specified in  
6 this subparagraph (B-5).

7 (C) For Organizational Units that are Hybrid  
8 Districts, the State Superintendent shall use the  
9 lesser of the adjusted equalized assessed valuation  
10 for property within the partial elementary unit  
11 district for elementary purposes, as defined in  
12 Article 11E of this Code, or the adjusted equalized  
13 assessed valuation for property within the partial  
14 elementary unit district for high school purposes, as  
15 defined in Article 11E of this Code.

16 (D) If a school district's boundaries span  
17 multiple counties, then the Department of Revenue  
18 shall send to the State Board, for the purposes of  
19 calculating Evidence-Based Funding, the limiting rate  
20 and individual rates by purpose for the county that  
21 contains the majority of the school district's  
22 equalized assessed valuation.

23 (4) An Organizational Unit's Adjusted EAV shall be the  
24 average of its EAV over the immediately preceding 3 years  
25 or the lesser of its EAV in the immediately preceding year  
26 or the average of its EAV over the immediately preceding 3

1 years if the EAV in the immediately preceding year has  
2 declined by 10% or more when comparing the 2 most recent  
3 years. In the event of Organizational Unit reorganization,  
4 consolidation, or annexation, the Organizational Unit's  
5 Adjusted EAV for the first 3 years after such change shall  
6 be as follows: the most current EAV shall be used in the  
7 first year, the average of a 2-year EAV or its EAV in the  
8 immediately preceding year if the EAV declines by 10% or  
9 more when comparing the 2 most recent years for the second  
10 year, and the lesser of a 3-year average EAV or its EAV in  
11 the immediately preceding year if the Adjusted EAV  
12 declines by 10% or more when comparing the 2 most recent  
13 years for the third year. For any school district whose  
14 EAV in the immediately preceding year is used in  
15 calculations, in the following year, the Adjusted EAV  
16 shall be the average of its EAV over the immediately  
17 preceding 2 years or the immediately preceding year if  
18 that year represents a decline of 10% or more when  
19 comparing the 2 most recent years.

20 "PTELL EAV" means a figure calculated by the State  
21 Board for Organizational Units subject to PTELL as  
22 described in this paragraph (4) for the purposes of  
23 calculating an Organizational Unit's Local Capacity Ratio.  
24 Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph (4), the  
25 PTELL EAV of an Organizational Unit shall be equal to the  
26 product of the equalized assessed valuation last used in

1 the calculation of general State aid under Section 18-8.05  
2 of this Code (now repealed) or Evidence-Based Funding  
3 under this Section and the Organizational Unit's Extension  
4 Limitation Ratio. If an Organizational Unit has approved  
5 or does approve an increase in its limiting rate, pursuant  
6 to Section 18-190 of the Property Tax Code, affecting the  
7 Base Tax Year, the PTELL EAV shall be equal to the product  
8 of the equalized assessed valuation last used in the  
9 calculation of general State aid under Section 18-8.05 of  
10 this Code (now repealed) or Evidence-Based Funding under  
11 this Section multiplied by an amount equal to one plus the  
12 percentage increase, if any, in the Consumer Price Index  
13 for All Urban Consumers for all items published by the  
14 United States Department of Labor for the 12-month  
15 calendar year preceding the Base Tax Year, plus the  
16 equalized assessed valuation of new property, annexed  
17 property, and recovered tax increment value and minus the  
18 equalized assessed valuation of disconnected property.

19 As used in this paragraph (4), "new property" and  
20 "recovered tax increment value" shall have the meanings  
21 set forth in the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

22 (e) Base Funding Minimum calculation.

23 (1) For the 2017-2018 school year, the Base Funding  
24 Minimum of an Organizational Unit or a Specially Funded  
25 Unit shall be the amount of State funds distributed to the  
26 Organizational Unit or Specially Funded Unit during the

1 2016-2017 school year prior to any adjustments and  
2 specified appropriation amounts described in this  
3 paragraph (1) from the following Sections, as calculated  
4 by the State Superintendent: Section 18-8.05 of this Code  
5 (now repealed); Section 5 of Article 224 of Public Act  
6 99-524 (equity grants); Section 14-7.02b of this Code  
7 (funding for children requiring special education  
8 services); Section 14-13.01 of this Code (special  
9 education facilities and staffing), except for  
10 reimbursement of the cost of transportation pursuant to  
11 Section 14-13.01; Section 14C-12 of this Code (English  
12 learners); and Section 18-4.3 of this Code (summer  
13 school), based on an appropriation level of \$13,121,600.  
14 For a school district organized under Article 34 of this  
15 Code, the Base Funding Minimum also includes (i) the funds  
16 allocated to the school district pursuant to Section 1D-1  
17 of this Code attributable to funding programs authorized  
18 by the Sections of this Code listed in the preceding  
19 sentence and (ii) the difference between (I) the funds  
20 allocated to the school district pursuant to Section 1D-1  
21 of this Code attributable to the funding programs  
22 authorized by Section 14-7.02 (non-public special  
23 education reimbursement), subsection (b) of Section  
24 14-13.01 (special education transportation), Section 29-5  
25 (transportation), Section 2-3.80 (agricultural  
26 education), Section 2-3.66 (truants' alternative

1 education), Section 2-3.62 (educational service centers),  
2 and Section 14-7.03 (special education - orphanage) of  
3 this Code and Section 15 of the Childhood Hunger Relief  
4 Act (free breakfast program) and (II) the school  
5 district's actual expenditures for its non-public special  
6 education, special education transportation,  
7 transportation programs, agricultural education, truants'  
8 alternative education, services that would otherwise be  
9 performed by a regional office of education, special  
10 education orphanage expenditures, and free breakfast, as  
11 most recently calculated and reported pursuant to  
12 subsection (f) of Section 1D-1 of this Code. The Base  
13 Funding Minimum for Glenwood Academy shall be \$952,014.  
14 For programs operated by a regional office of education or  
15 an intermediate service center, the Base Funding Minimum  
16 must be the total amount of State funds allocated to those  
17 programs in the 2018-2019 school year and amounts provided  
18 pursuant to Article 34 of Public Act 100-586 and Section  
19 3-16 of this Code. All programs established after June 5,  
20 2019 (the effective date of Public Act 101-10) and  
21 administered by a regional office of education or an  
22 intermediate service center must have an initial Base  
23 Funding Minimum set to an amount equal to the first-year  
24 ASE multiplied by the amount of per pupil funding received  
25 in the previous school year by the lowest funded similar  
26 existing program type. If the enrollment for a program

1 operated by a regional office of education or an  
2 intermediate service center is zero, then it may not  
3 receive Base Funding Minimum funds for that program in the  
4 next fiscal year, and those funds must be distributed to  
5 Organizational Units under subsection (g).

6 (2) For the 2018-2019 and subsequent school years, the  
7 Base Funding Minimum of Organizational Units and Specially  
8 Funded Units shall be the sum of (i) the amount of  
9 Evidence-Based Funding for the prior school year, (ii) the  
10 Base Funding Minimum for the prior school year, and (iii)  
11 any amount received by a school district pursuant to  
12 Section 7 of Article 97 of Public Act 100-21.

13 For the 2022-2023 school year, the Base Funding  
14 Minimum of Organizational Units shall be the amounts  
15 recalculated by the State Board of Education for Fiscal  
16 Year 2019 through Fiscal Year 2022 that were necessary due  
17 to average student enrollment errors for districts  
18 organized under Article 34 of this Code, plus the Fiscal  
19 Year 2022 property tax relief grants provided under  
20 Section 2-3.170 of this Code, ensuring each Organizational  
21 Unit has the correct amount of resources for Fiscal Year  
22 2023 Evidence-Based Funding calculations and that Fiscal  
23 Year 2023 Evidence-Based Funding Distributions are made in  
24 accordance with this Section.

25 (3) Subject to approval by the General Assembly as  
26 provided in this paragraph (3), an Organizational Unit

1 that meets all of the following criteria, as determined by  
2 the State Board, shall have District Intervention Money  
3 added to its Base Funding Minimum at the time the Base  
4 Funding Minimum is calculated by the State Board:

5 (A) The Organizational Unit is operating under an  
6 Independent Authority under Section 2-3.25f-5 of this  
7 Code for a minimum of 4 school years or is subject to  
8 the control of the State Board pursuant to a court  
9 order for a minimum of 4 school years.

10 (B) The Organizational Unit was designated as a  
11 Tier 1 or Tier 2 Organizational Unit in the previous  
12 school year under paragraph (3) of subsection (g) of  
13 this Section.

14 (C) The Organizational Unit demonstrates  
15 sustainability through a 5-year financial and  
16 strategic plan.

17 (D) The Organizational Unit has made sufficient  
18 progress and achieved sufficient stability in the  
19 areas of governance, academic growth, and finances.

20 As part of its determination under this paragraph (3),  
21 the State Board may consider the Organizational Unit's  
22 summative designation, any accreditations of the  
23 Organizational Unit, or the Organizational Unit's  
24 financial profile, as calculated by the State Board.

25 If the State Board determines that an Organizational  
26 Unit has met the criteria set forth in this paragraph (3),

1       it must submit a report to the General Assembly, no later  
2       than January 2 of the fiscal year in which the State Board  
3       makes its determination, on the amount of District  
4       Intervention Money to add to the Organizational Unit's  
5       Base Funding Minimum. The General Assembly must review the  
6       State Board's report and may approve or disapprove, by  
7       joint resolution, the addition of District Intervention  
8       Money. If the General Assembly fails to act on the report  
9       within 40 calendar days from the receipt of the report,  
10      the addition of District Intervention Money is deemed  
11      approved. If the General Assembly approves the amount of  
12      District Intervention Money to be added to the  
13      Organizational Unit's Base Funding Minimum, the District  
14      Intervention Money must be added to the Base Funding  
15      Minimum annually thereafter.

16             For the first 4 years following the initial year that  
17      the State Board determines that an Organizational Unit has  
18      met the criteria set forth in this paragraph (3) and has  
19      received funding under this Section, the Organizational  
20      Unit must annually submit to the State Board, on or before  
21      November 30, a progress report regarding its financial and  
22      strategic plan under subparagraph (C) of this paragraph  
23      (3). The plan shall include the financial data from the  
24      past 4 annual financial reports or financial audits that  
25      must be presented to the State Board by November 15 of each  
26      year and the approved budget financial data for the

1 current year. The plan shall be developed according to the  
2 guidelines presented to the Organizational Unit by the  
3 State Board. The plan shall further include financial  
4 projections for the next 3 fiscal years and include a  
5 discussion and financial summary of the Organizational  
6 Unit's facility needs. If the Organizational Unit does not  
7 demonstrate sufficient progress toward its 5-year plan or  
8 if it has failed to file an annual financial report, an  
9 annual budget, a financial plan, a deficit reduction plan,  
10 or other financial information as required by law, the  
11 State Board may establish a Financial Oversight Panel  
12 under Article 1H of this Code. However, if the  
13 Organizational Unit already has a Financial Oversight  
14 Panel, the State Board may extend the duration of the  
15 Panel.

16 (f) Percent of Adequacy and Final Resources calculation.

17 (1) The Evidence-Based Funding formula establishes a  
18 Percent of Adequacy for each Organizational Unit in order  
19 to place such units into tiers for the purposes of the  
20 funding distribution system described in subsection (g) of  
21 this Section. Initially, an Organizational Unit's  
22 Preliminary Resources and Preliminary Percent of Adequacy  
23 are calculated pursuant to paragraph (2) of this  
24 subsection (f). Then, an Organizational Unit's Final  
25 Resources and Final Percent of Adequacy are calculated to  
26 account for the Organizational Unit's poverty

1 concentration levels pursuant to paragraphs (3) and (4) of  
2 this subsection (f).

3 (2) An Organizational Unit's Preliminary Resources are  
4 equal to the sum of its Local Capacity Target, CPPRT, and  
5 Base Funding Minimum. An Organizational Unit's Preliminary  
6 Percent of Adequacy is the lesser of (i) its Preliminary  
7 Resources divided by its Adequacy Target or (ii) 100%.

8 (3) Except for Specially Funded Units, an  
9 Organizational Unit's Final Resources are equal to the sum  
10 of its Local Capacity, CPPRT, and Adjusted Base Funding  
11 Minimum. The Base Funding Minimum of each Specially Funded  
12 Unit shall serve as its Final Resources, except that the  
13 Base Funding Minimum for State-approved charter schools  
14 shall not include any portion of general State aid  
15 allocated in the prior year based on the per capita  
16 tuition charge times the charter school enrollment.

17 (4) An Organizational Unit's Final Percent of Adequacy  
18 is its Final Resources divided by its Adequacy Target. An  
19 Organizational Unit's Adjusted Base Funding Minimum is  
20 equal to its Base Funding Minimum less its Supplemental  
21 Grant Funding, with the resulting figure added to the  
22 product of its Supplemental Grant Funding and Preliminary  
23 Percent of Adequacy.

24 (g) Evidence-Based Funding formula distribution system.

25 (1) In each school year under the Evidence-Based  
26 Funding formula, each Organizational Unit receives funding

1 equal to the sum of its Base Funding Minimum and the unit's  
2 allocation of New State Funds determined pursuant to this  
3 subsection (g). To allocate New State Funds, the  
4 Evidence-Based Funding formula distribution system first  
5 places all Organizational Units into one of 4 tiers in  
6 accordance with paragraph (3) of this subsection (g),  
7 based on the Organizational Unit's Final Percent of  
8 Adequacy. New State Funds are allocated to each of the 4  
9 tiers as follows: Tier 1 Aggregate Funding equals 50% of  
10 all New State Funds, Tier 2 Aggregate Funding equals 49%  
11 of all New State Funds, Tier 3 Aggregate Funding equals  
12 0.9% of all New State Funds, and Tier 4 Aggregate Funding  
13 equals 0.1% of all New State Funds. Each Organizational  
14 Unit within Tier 1 or Tier 2 receives an allocation of New  
15 State Funds equal to its tier Funding Gap, as defined in  
16 the following sentence, multiplied by the tier's  
17 Allocation Rate determined pursuant to paragraph (4) of  
18 this subsection (g). For Tier 1, an Organizational Unit's  
19 Funding Gap equals the tier's Target Ratio, as specified  
20 in paragraph (5) of this subsection (g), multiplied by the  
21 Organizational Unit's Adequacy Target, with the resulting  
22 amount reduced by the Organizational Unit's Final  
23 Resources. For Tier 2, an Organizational Unit's Funding  
24 Gap equals the tier's Target Ratio, as described in  
25 paragraph (5) of this subsection (g), multiplied by the  
26 Organizational Unit's Adequacy Target, with the resulting

1 amount reduced by the Organizational Unit's Final  
2 Resources and its Tier 1 funding allocation. To determine  
3 the Organizational Unit's Funding Gap, the resulting  
4 amount is then multiplied by a factor equal to one minus  
5 the Organizational Unit's Local Capacity Target  
6 percentage. Each Organizational Unit within Tier 3 or Tier  
7 4 receives an allocation of New State Funds equal to the  
8 product of its Adequacy Target and the tier's Allocation  
9 Rate, as specified in paragraph (4) of this subsection  
10 (g).

11 (2) To ensure equitable distribution of dollars for  
12 all Tier 2 Organizational Units, no Tier 2 Organizational  
13 Unit shall receive fewer dollars per ASE than any Tier 3  
14 Organizational Unit. Each Tier 2 and Tier 3 Organizational  
15 Unit shall have its funding allocation divided by its ASE.  
16 Any Tier 2 Organizational Unit with a funding allocation  
17 per ASE below the greatest Tier 3 allocation per ASE shall  
18 get a funding allocation equal to the greatest Tier 3  
19 funding allocation per ASE multiplied by the  
20 Organizational Unit's ASE. Each Tier 2 Organizational  
21 Unit's Tier 2 funding allocation shall be multiplied by  
22 the percentage calculated by dividing the original Tier 2  
23 Aggregate Funding by the sum of all Tier 2 Organizational  
24 Units' Tier 2 funding allocation after adjusting  
25 districts' funding below Tier 3 levels.

26 (3) Organizational Units are placed into one of 4

1           tiers as follows:

2                   (A) Tier 1 consists of all Organizational Units,  
3                   except for Specially Funded Units, with a Percent of  
4                   Adequacy less than the Tier 1 Target Ratio. The Tier 1  
5                   Target Ratio is the ratio level that allows for Tier 1  
6                   Aggregate Funding to be distributed, with the Tier 1  
7                   Allocation Rate determined pursuant to paragraph (4)  
8                   of this subsection (g).

9                   (B) Tier 2 consists of all Tier 1 Units and all  
10                   other Organizational Units, except for Specially  
11                   Funded Units, with a Percent of Adequacy of less than  
12                   0.90.

13                   (C) Tier 3 consists of all Organizational Units,  
14                   except for Specially Funded Units, with a Percent of  
15                   Adequacy of at least 0.90 and less than 1.0.

16                   (D) Tier 4 consists of all Organizational Units  
17                   with a Percent of Adequacy of at least 1.0.

18           (4) The Allocation Rates for Tiers 1 through 4 are  
19           determined as follows:

20                   (A) The Tier 1 Allocation Rate is 30%.

21                   (B) The Tier 2 Allocation Rate is the result of the  
22                   following equation: Tier 2 Aggregate Funding, divided  
23                   by the sum of the Funding Gaps for all Tier 2  
24                   Organizational Units, unless the result of such  
25                   equation is higher than 1.0. If the result of such  
26                   equation is higher than 1.0, then the Tier 2

1 Allocation Rate is 1.0.

2 (C) The Tier 3 Allocation Rate is the result of the  
3 following equation: Tier 3 Aggregate Funding, divided  
4 by the sum of the Adequacy Targets of all Tier 3  
5 Organizational Units.

6 (D) The Tier 4 Allocation Rate is the result of the  
7 following equation: Tier 4 Aggregate Funding, divided  
8 by the sum of the Adequacy Targets of all Tier 4  
9 Organizational Units.

10 (5) A tier's Target Ratio is determined as follows:

11 (A) The Tier 1 Target Ratio is the ratio level that  
12 allows for Tier 1 Aggregate Funding to be distributed  
13 with the Tier 1 Allocation Rate.

14 (B) The Tier 2 Target Ratio is 0.90.

15 (C) The Tier 3 Target Ratio is 1.0.

16 (6) If, at any point, the Tier 1 Target Ratio is  
17 greater than 90%, then all Tier 1 funding shall be  
18 allocated to Tier 2 and no Tier 1 Organizational Unit's  
19 funding may be identified.

20 (7) In the event that all Tier 2 Organizational Units  
21 receive funding at the Tier 2 Target Ratio level, any  
22 remaining New State Funds shall be allocated to Tier 3 and  
23 Tier 4 Organizational Units.

24 (8) If any Specially Funded Units, excluding Glenwood  
25 Academy, recognized by the State Board do not qualify for  
26 direct funding following the implementation of Public Act

1 100-465 from any of the funding sources included within  
2 the definition of Base Funding Minimum, the unqualified  
3 portion of the Base Funding Minimum shall be transferred  
4 to one or more appropriate Organizational Units as  
5 determined by the State Superintendent based on the prior  
6 year ASE of the Organizational Units.

7 (8.5) If a school district withdraws from a special  
8 education cooperative, the portion of the Base Funding  
9 Minimum that is attributable to the school district may be  
10 redistributed to the school district upon withdrawal. The  
11 school district and the cooperative must include the  
12 amount of the Base Funding Minimum that is to be  
13 reapportioned in their withdrawal agreement and notify the  
14 State Board of the change with a copy of the agreement upon  
15 withdrawal.

16 (9) The Minimum Funding Level is intended to establish  
17 a target for State funding that will keep pace with  
18 inflation and continue to advance equity through the  
19 Evidence-Based Funding formula. The target for State  
20 funding of New Property Tax Relief Pool Funds is  
21 \$50,000,000 for State fiscal year 2019 and subsequent  
22 State fiscal years. The Minimum Funding Level is equal to  
23 \$350,000,000. In addition to any New State Funds, no more  
24 than \$50,000,000 New Property Tax Relief Pool Funds may be  
25 counted toward the Minimum Funding Level. If the sum of  
26 New State Funds and applicable New Property Tax Relief

1 Pool Funds are less than the Minimum Funding Level, than  
2 funding for tiers shall be reduced in the following  
3 manner:

4 (A) First, Tier 4 funding shall be reduced by an  
5 amount equal to the difference between the Minimum  
6 Funding Level and New State Funds until such time as  
7 Tier 4 funding is exhausted.

8 (B) Next, Tier 3 funding shall be reduced by an  
9 amount equal to the difference between the Minimum  
10 Funding Level and New State Funds and the reduction in  
11 Tier 4 funding until such time as Tier 3 funding is  
12 exhausted.

13 (C) Next, Tier 2 funding shall be reduced by an  
14 amount equal to the difference between the Minimum  
15 Funding Level and New State Funds and the reduction in  
16 Tier 4 and Tier 3.

17 (D) Finally, Tier 1 funding shall be reduced by an  
18 amount equal to the difference between the Minimum  
19 Funding level and New State Funds and the reduction in  
20 Tier 2, 3, and 4 funding. In addition, the Allocation  
21 Rate for Tier 1 shall be reduced to a percentage equal  
22 to the Tier 1 Allocation Rate set by paragraph (4) of  
23 this subsection (g), multiplied by the result of New  
24 State Funds divided by the Minimum Funding Level.

25 (9.5) For State fiscal year 2019 and subsequent State  
26 fiscal years, if New State Funds exceed \$300,000,000, then

1 any amount in excess of \$300,000,000 shall be dedicated  
2 for purposes of Section 2-3.170 of this Code up to a  
3 maximum of \$50,000,000.

4 (10) In the event of a decrease in the amount of the  
5 appropriation for this Section in any fiscal year after  
6 implementation of this Section, the Organizational Units  
7 receiving Tier 1 and Tier 2 funding, as determined under  
8 paragraph (3) of this subsection (g), shall be held  
9 harmless by establishing a Base Funding Guarantee equal to  
10 the per pupil kindergarten through grade 12 funding  
11 received in accordance with this Section in the prior  
12 fiscal year. Reductions shall be made to the Base Funding  
13 Minimum of Organizational Units in Tier 3 and Tier 4 on a  
14 per pupil basis equivalent to the total number of the ASE  
15 in Tier 3-funded and Tier 4-funded Organizational Units  
16 divided by the total reduction in State funding. The Base  
17 Funding Minimum as reduced shall continue to be applied to  
18 Tier 3 and Tier 4 Organizational Units and adjusted by the  
19 relative formula when increases in appropriations for this  
20 Section resume. In no event may State funding reductions  
21 to Organizational Units in Tier 3 or Tier 4 exceed an  
22 amount that would be less than the Base Funding Minimum  
23 established in the first year of implementation of this  
24 Section. If additional reductions are required, all school  
25 districts shall receive a reduction by a per pupil amount  
26 equal to the aggregate additional appropriation reduction

1 divided by the total ASE of all Organizational Units.

2 (11) The State Superintendent shall make minor  
3 adjustments to the distribution formula set forth in this  
4 subsection (g) to account for the rounding of percentages  
5 to the nearest tenth of a percentage and dollar amounts to  
6 the nearest whole dollar.

7 (h) State Superintendent administration of funding and  
8 district submission requirements.

9 (1) The State Superintendent shall, in accordance with  
10 appropriations made by the General Assembly, meet the  
11 funding obligations created under this Section.

12 (2) The State Superintendent shall calculate the  
13 Adequacy Target for each Organizational Unit under this  
14 Section. No Evidence-Based Funding shall be distributed  
15 within an Organizational Unit without the approval of the  
16 unit's school board.

17 (3) Annually, the State Superintendent shall calculate  
18 and report to each Organizational Unit the unit's  
19 aggregate financial adequacy amount, which shall be the  
20 sum of the Adequacy Target for each Organizational Unit.  
21 The State Superintendent shall calculate and report  
22 separately for each Organizational Unit the unit's total  
23 State funds allocated for its students with disabilities.  
24 The State Superintendent shall calculate and report  
25 separately for each Organizational Unit the amount of  
26 funding and applicable FTE calculated for each Essential

1 Element of the unit's Adequacy Target.

2 (4) Annually, the State Superintendent shall calculate  
3 and report to each Organizational Unit the amount the unit  
4 must expend on special education and bilingual education  
5 and computer technology and equipment for Organizational  
6 Units assigned to Tier 1 or Tier 2 that received an  
7 additional \$285.50 per student computer technology and  
8 equipment investment grant to their Adequacy Target  
9 pursuant to the unit's Base Funding Minimum, Special  
10 Education Allocation, Bilingual Education Allocation, and  
11 computer technology and equipment investment allocation.

12 (5) Moneys distributed under this Section shall be  
13 calculated on a school year basis, but paid on a fiscal  
14 year basis, with payments beginning in August and  
15 extending through June. Unless otherwise provided, the  
16 moneys appropriated for each fiscal year shall be  
17 distributed in 22 equal payments at least 2 times monthly  
18 to each Organizational Unit. If moneys appropriated for  
19 any fiscal year are distributed other than monthly, the  
20 distribution shall be on the same basis for each  
21 Organizational Unit.

22 (6) Any school district that fails, for any given  
23 school year, to maintain school as required by law or to  
24 maintain a recognized school is not eligible to receive  
25 Evidence-Based Funding. In case of non-recognition of one  
26 or more attendance centers in a school district otherwise

1 operating recognized schools, the claim of the district  
2 shall be reduced in the proportion that the enrollment in  
3 the attendance center or centers bears to the enrollment  
4 of the school district. "Recognized school" means any  
5 public school that meets the standards for recognition by  
6 the State Board. A school district or attendance center  
7 not having recognition status at the end of a school term  
8 is entitled to receive State aid payments due upon a legal  
9 claim that was filed while it was recognized.

10 (7) School district claims filed under this Section  
11 are subject to Sections 18-9 and 18-12 of this Code,  
12 except as otherwise provided in this Section.

13 (8) Each fiscal year, the State Superintendent shall  
14 calculate for each Organizational Unit an amount of its  
15 Base Funding Minimum and Evidence-Based Funding that shall  
16 be deemed attributable to the provision of special  
17 educational facilities and services, as defined in Section  
18 14-1.08 of this Code, in a manner that ensures compliance  
19 with maintenance of State financial support requirements  
20 under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education  
21 Act. An Organizational Unit must use such funds only for  
22 the provision of special educational facilities and  
23 services, as defined in Section 14-1.08 of this Code, and  
24 must comply with any expenditure verification procedures  
25 adopted by the State Board.

26 (9) All Organizational Units in this State must submit

1 annual spending plans, as part of the budget submission  
2 process, no later than October 31 of each year to the State  
3 Board. The spending plan shall describe how each  
4 Organizational Unit will utilize the Base Funding Minimum  
5 and Evidence-Based Funding it receives from this State  
6 under this Section with specific identification of the  
7 intended utilization of Low-Income, English learner, and  
8 special education resources. Additionally, the annual  
9 spending plans of each Organizational Unit shall describe  
10 how the Organizational Unit expects to achieve student  
11 growth and how the Organizational Unit will achieve State  
12 education goals, as defined by the State Board, and shall  
13 indicate which stakeholder groups the Organizational Unit  
14 engaged with to inform its annual spending plans. The  
15 State Superintendent may, from time to time, identify  
16 additional requisites for Organizational Units to satisfy  
17 when compiling the annual spending plans required under  
18 this subsection (h). The format and scope of annual  
19 spending plans shall be developed by the State  
20 Superintendent and the State Board of Education. School  
21 districts that serve students under Article 14C of this  
22 Code shall continue to submit information as required  
23 under Section 14C-12 of this Code. Annual spending plans  
24 required under this subsection (h) shall be integrated  
25 into annual school district budgets completed pursuant to  
26 Section 17-1 or Section 34-43. Organizational Units that

1 do not submit a budget to the State Board shall be provided  
2 with a separate planning template developed by the State  
3 Board. The State Board shall create an Evidence-Based  
4 Funding spending plan tool to make Evidence-Based Funding  
5 spending plan data for each Organizational Unit available  
6 on the State Board's website no later than December 31,  
7 2025, with annual updates thereafter. The tool shall allow  
8 for the selection and review of each Organizational Unit's  
9 planned use of Evidence-Based Funding.

10 (10) No later than January 1, 2018, the State  
11 Superintendent shall develop a 5-year strategic plan for  
12 all Organizational Units to help in planning for adequacy  
13 funding under this Section. The State Superintendent shall  
14 submit the plan to the Governor and the General Assembly,  
15 as provided in Section 3.1 of the General Assembly  
16 Organization Act. The plan shall include recommendations  
17 for:

18 (A) a framework for collaborative, professional,  
19 innovative, and 21st century learning environments  
20 using the Evidence-Based Funding model;

21 (B) ways to prepare and support this State's  
22 educators for successful instructional careers;

23 (C) application and enhancement of the current  
24 financial accountability measures, the approved State  
25 plan to comply with the federal Every Student Succeeds  
26 Act, and the Illinois Balanced Accountability Measures

1 in relation to student growth and elements of the  
2 Evidence-Based Funding model; and

3 (D) implementation of an effective school adequacy  
4 funding system based on projected and recommended  
5 funding levels from the General Assembly.

6 (11) On an annual basis, the State Superintendent must  
7 recalibrate all of the following per pupil elements of the  
8 Adequacy Target and applied to the formulas, based on the  
9 study of average expenses and as reported in the most  
10 recent annual financial report:

11 (A) Gifted under subparagraph (M) of paragraph (2)  
12 of subsection (b).

13 (B) Instructional materials under subparagraph (O)  
14 of paragraph (2) of subsection (b).

15 (C) Assessment under subparagraph (P) of paragraph  
16 (2) of subsection (b).

17 (D) Student activities under subparagraph (R) of  
18 paragraph (2) of subsection (b).

19 (E) Maintenance and operations under subparagraph  
20 (S) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b).

21 (F) Central office under subparagraph (T) of  
22 paragraph (2) of subsection (b).

23 (i) Professional Review Panel.

24 (1) A Professional Review Panel is created to study  
25 and review topics related to the implementation and effect  
26 of Evidence-Based Funding, as assigned by a joint

1 resolution or Public Act of the General Assembly or a  
2 motion passed by the State Board of Education. The Panel  
3 must provide recommendations to and serve the Governor,  
4 the General Assembly, and the State Board. The State  
5 Superintendent or his or her designee must serve as a  
6 voting member and chairperson of the Panel. The State  
7 Superintendent must appoint a vice chairperson from the  
8 membership of the Panel. The Panel must advance  
9 recommendations based on a three-fifths majority vote of  
10 Panel members present and voting. A minority opinion may  
11 also accompany any recommendation of the Panel. The Panel  
12 shall be appointed by the State Superintendent, except as  
13 otherwise provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection (i)  
14 and include the following members:

15 (A) Two appointees that represent district  
16 superintendents, recommended by a statewide  
17 organization that represents district superintendents.

18 (B) Two appointees that represent school boards,  
19 recommended by a statewide organization that  
20 represents school boards.

21 (C) Two appointees from districts that represent  
22 school business officials, recommended by a statewide  
23 organization that represents school business  
24 officials.

25 (D) Two appointees that represent school  
26 principals, recommended by a statewide organization

1 that represents school principals.

2 (E) Two appointees that represent teachers,  
3 recommended by a statewide organization that  
4 represents teachers.

5 (F) Two appointees that represent teachers,  
6 recommended by another statewide organization that  
7 represents teachers.

8 (G) Two appointees that represent regional  
9 superintendents of schools, recommended by  
10 organizations that represent regional superintendents.

11 (H) Two independent experts selected solely by the  
12 State Superintendent.

13 (I) Two independent experts recommended by public  
14 universities in this State.

15 (J) One member recommended by a statewide  
16 organization that represents parents.

17 (K) Two representatives recommended by collective  
18 impact organizations that represent major metropolitan  
19 areas or geographic areas in Illinois.

20 (L) One member from a statewide organization  
21 focused on research-based education policy to support  
22 a school system that prepares all students for  
23 college, a career, and democratic citizenship.

24 (M) One representative from a school district  
25 organized under Article 34 of this Code.

26 The State Superintendent shall ensure that the

1 membership of the Panel includes representatives from  
2 school districts and communities reflecting the  
3 geographic, socio-economic, racial, and ethnic diversity  
4 of this State. The State Superintendent shall additionally  
5 ensure that the membership of the Panel includes  
6 representatives with expertise in bilingual education and  
7 special education. Staff from the State Board shall staff  
8 the Panel.

9 (2) In addition to those Panel members appointed by  
10 the State Superintendent, 4 members of the General  
11 Assembly shall be appointed as follows: one member of the  
12 House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the  
13 House of Representatives, one member of the Senate  
14 appointed by the President of the Senate, one member of  
15 the House of Representatives appointed by the Minority  
16 Leader of the House of Representatives, and one member of  
17 the Senate appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate.  
18 There shall be one additional member appointed by the  
19 Governor. All members appointed by legislative leaders or  
20 the Governor shall be non-voting, ex officio members.

21 (3) The Panel must study topics at the direction of  
22 the General Assembly or State Board of Education, as  
23 provided under paragraph (1). The Panel may also study the  
24 following topics at the direction of the chairperson:

25 (A) The format and scope of annual spending plans  
26 referenced in paragraph (9) of subsection (h) of this

1 Section.

2 (B) The Comparable Wage Index under this Section.

3 (C) Maintenance and operations, including capital  
4 maintenance and construction costs.

5 (D) "At-risk student" definition.

6 (E) Benefits.

7 (F) Technology.

8 (G) Local Capacity Target.

9 (H) Funding for Alternative Schools, Laboratory  
10 Schools, safe schools, and alternative learning  
11 opportunities programs.

12 (I) Funding for college and career acceleration  
13 strategies.

14 (J) Special education investments.

15 (K) Early childhood investments, in collaboration  
16 with the Illinois Early Learning Council.

17 (4) (Blank).

18 (5) Within 5 years after the implementation of this  
19 Section, and every 5 years thereafter, the Panel shall  
20 complete an evaluative study of the entire Evidence-Based  
21 Funding model, including an assessment of whether or not  
22 the formula is achieving State goals. The Panel shall  
23 report to the State Board, the General Assembly, and the  
24 Governor on the findings of the study.

25 (6) (Blank).

26 (7) To ensure that (i) the Adequacy Target calculation

1 under subsection (b) accurately reflects the needs of  
2 students living in poverty or attending schools located in  
3 areas of high poverty, (ii) racial equity within the  
4 Evidence-Based Funding formula is explicitly explored and  
5 advanced, and (iii) the funding goals of the formula  
6 distribution system established under this Section are  
7 sufficient to provide adequate funding for every student  
8 and to fully fund every school in this State, the Panel  
9 shall review the Essential Elements under paragraph (2) of  
10 subsection (b). The Panel shall consider all of the  
11 following in its review:

12 (A) The financial ability of school districts to  
13 provide instruction in a foreign language to every  
14 student and whether an additional Essential Element  
15 should be added to the formula to ensure that every  
16 student has access to instruction in a foreign  
17 language.

18 (B) The adult-to-student ratio for each Essential  
19 Element in which a ratio is identified. The Panel  
20 shall consider whether the ratio accurately reflects  
21 the staffing needed to support students living in  
22 poverty or who have traumatic backgrounds.

23 (C) Changes to the Essential Elements that may be  
24 required to better promote racial equity and eliminate  
25 structural racism within schools.

26 (D) The impact of investing \$350,000,000 in

1 additional funds each year under this Section and an  
2 estimate of when the school system will become fully  
3 funded under this level of appropriation.

4 (E) Provide an overview of alternative funding  
5 structures that would enable the State to become fully  
6 funded at an earlier date.

7 (F) The potential to increase efficiency and to  
8 find cost savings within the school system to expedite  
9 the journey to a fully funded system.

10 (G) The appropriate levels for reenrolling and  
11 graduating high-risk high school students who have  
12 been previously out of school. These outcomes shall  
13 include enrollment, attendance, skill gains, credit  
14 gains, graduation or promotion to the next grade  
15 level, and the transition to college, training, or  
16 employment, with an emphasis on progressively  
17 increasing the overall attendance.

18 (H) The evidence-based or research-based practices  
19 that are shown to reduce the gaps and disparities  
20 experienced by African American students in academic  
21 achievement and educational performance, including  
22 practices that have been shown to reduce disparities  
23 in disciplinary rates, drop-out rates, graduation  
24 rates, college matriculation rates, and college  
25 completion rates.

26 On or before December 31, 2021, the Panel shall report

1 to the State Board, the General Assembly, and the Governor  
2 on the findings of its review. This paragraph (7) is  
3 inoperative on and after July 1, 2022.

4 (8) On or before April 1, 2024, the Panel must submit a  
5 report to the General Assembly on annual adjustments to  
6 Glenwood Academy's base-funding minimum in a similar  
7 fashion to school districts under this Section.

8 (9) On or before March 31, 2026, the Professional  
9 Review Panel shall make a report to the Governor and the  
10 General Assembly assessing the impact of the property tax  
11 relief pool grant program under Section 2-3.170, including  
12 the number of districts participating in the program by  
13 fiscal year since Fiscal Year 2019, the tier assignment  
14 for participating school districts, and an analysis of the  
15 operating tax rates of participating school districts to  
16 determine if the grant program is meeting the legislative  
17 intent of reducing property taxes in high-tax areas of the  
18 State.

19 (j) References. Beginning July 1, 2017, references in  
20 other laws to general State aid funds or calculations under  
21 Section 18-8.05 of this Code (now repealed) shall be deemed to  
22 be references to evidence-based model formula funds or  
23 calculations under this Section.

24 (Source: P.A. 102-33, eff. 6-25-21; 102-197, eff. 7-30-21;  
25 102-558, eff. 8-20-21; 102-699, eff. 4-19-22; 102-782, eff.  
26 1-1-23; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22; 102-894, eff. 5-20-22; 103-8,

1 eff. 6-7-23; 103-154, eff. 6-30-23; 103-175, eff. 6-30-23;  
2 103-605, eff. 7-1-24; 103-780, eff. 8-2-24; 103-802, eff.  
3 1-1-25; revised 11-26-24.)

4 ARTICLE 35.

5 (105 ILCS 5/14-15.01 rep.)

6 Section 35-5. The School Code is amended by repealing  
7 Section 14-15.01.

8 Section 35-10. The Interagency Children's Behavioral  
9 Health Services Act is amended by changing Section 10 as  
10 follows:

11 (405 ILCS 165/10)

12 Sec. 10. Interagency agreement. In order to establish the  
13 Interagency Children's Behavioral Health Services Team, within  
14 90 days after the effective date of this Act, the Department of  
15 Children and ~~of~~ Family Services, the Department of Human  
16 Services, the Department of Healthcare and Family Services,  
17 the Illinois State Board of Education, the Department of  
18 Juvenile Justice, and the Department of Public Health shall  
19 enter into an interagency agreement for the purpose of  
20 establishing the roles and responsibilities of each  
21 participating agency.

22 The interagency agreement, among other things, shall

1 address all of the following:

2 (1) Require each participating agency to assign staff  
3 to the Interagency Children's Behavioral Health Services  
4 Team who have operational knowledge of and decision-making  
5 authority over the agency's children's behavioral health  
6 programs and services.

7 (2) Set criteria to identify children whose cases will  
8 be presented to the Interagency Children's Behavioral  
9 Health Services Team for prioritized review. Criteria  
10 shall include, but not be limited to:

11 (A) the length of time the child has been  
12 clinically approved for residential services through  
13 existing funding streams but has not been admitted to  
14 an appropriate program;

15 (B) the length of time the child has been in a  
16 hospital emergency department or medical unit seeking  
17 inpatient treatment for psychiatric or behavioral  
18 health emergency;

19 (C) the length of time the child has been in a  
20 psychiatric or general acute care hospital for  
21 inpatient psychiatric treatment beyond medical  
22 necessity;

23 (D) the risk of being taken into the custody of the  
24 Department of Children and Family Services in the  
25 absence of abuse or neglect as defined by the Abused  
26 and Neglected Child Reporting Act or the Juvenile

1 Court Act of 1987 for the sole purpose of obtaining  
2 behavioral health services or residential treatment;

3 (E) other circumstances that require enhanced  
4 interagency collaboration to find appropriate services  
5 for the child.

6 (3) Require each agency, or its designee, to present  
7 each identified child's clinical case, to the extent  
8 permitted by State and federal law, to the Interagency  
9 Children's Behavioral Health Services Team during regular  
10 team meetings to outline the child's needs and to  
11 determine if any of the participating agencies have  
12 residential or other supportive services that may be  
13 available for the child to ensure that the child receives  
14 appropriate treatment, including residential treatment if  
15 necessary, as soon as possible.

16 (4) ~~Allow~~ ~~Require~~ the State Board of Education  
17 ~~Community and Residential Services Authority~~ to, with the  
18 consent of the child's parent or guardian, notify the  
19 Interagency Children's Behavioral Health Services Team of  
20 any child that has been referred for services who meets  
21 ~~meet~~ the criteria set forth in paragraph (2) and to  
22 present the clinical cases for the child to the  
23 interagency team to determine if any agency program can  
24 assist the child.

25 (5) Require the participating agencies to develop a  
26 quarterly analysis, to be submitted to the General

1 Assembly and ~~the~~ Governor's Office, ~~and the Community~~  
2 ~~and Residential Services Authority~~ including the following  
3 information, to the extent permitted by State and federal  
4 law:

5 (A) the number of children presented to the team;

6 (B) the children's clinical presentations that  
7 required enhanced agency collaboration;

8 (C) the types of services including residential  
9 treatment that were needed to appropriately support  
10 the aggregate needs of children presented;

11 (D) the timeframe it took to find placement or  
12 appropriate services; and

13 (E) any other data or information the Interagency  
14 Children's Behavioral Health Services Team deems  
15 appropriate.

16 All information collected, shared, or stored pursuant to  
17 this Section shall be handled in accordance with all State and  
18 federal privacy laws and accompanying regulations and rules,  
19 including without limitation the federal Health Insurance  
20 Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (Public Law  
21 104-191) and the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities  
22 Confidentiality Act.

23 Nothing in this Section shall be construed or applied in a  
24 manner that would conflict with, diminish, or infringe upon,  
25 any State agency's obligation to comply fully with  
26 requirements imposed under a court order or State or federal

1 consent decree applicable to that agency.

2 (Source: P.A. 103-546, eff. 8-11-23.)

3 ARTICLE 40.

4 Section 40-5. The State Officials and Employees Ethics Act  
5 is amended by changing Sections 1-5, 5-5, 25-5, and 25-10 as  
6 follows:

7 (5 ILCS 430/1-5)

8 Sec. 1-5. Definitions. As used in this Act:

9 "Appointee" means a person appointed to a position in or  
10 with a State agency, regardless of whether the position is  
11 compensated.

12 "Board members of Regional Development Authorities" means  
13 any person appointed to serve on the governing board of a  
14 Regional Development Authority.

15 "Board members of Regional Transit Boards" means any  
16 person appointed to serve on the governing board of a Regional  
17 Transit Board.

18 "Campaign for elective office" means any activity in  
19 furtherance of an effort to influence the selection,  
20 nomination, election, or appointment of any individual to any  
21 federal, State, or local public office or office in a  
22 political organization, or the selection, nomination, or  
23 election of Presidential or Vice-Presidential electors, but

1 does not include activities (i) relating to the support or  
2 opposition of any executive, legislative, or administrative  
3 action (as those terms are defined in Section 2 of the Lobbyist  
4 Registration Act), (ii) relating to collective bargaining, or  
5 (iii) that are otherwise in furtherance of the person's  
6 official State duties.

7 "Candidate" means a person who has filed nominating papers  
8 or petitions for nomination or election to an elected State  
9 office, or who has been appointed to fill a vacancy in  
10 nomination, and who remains eligible for placement on the  
11 ballot at either a general primary election or general  
12 election.

13 "Collective bargaining" has the same meaning as that term  
14 is defined in Section 3 of the Illinois Public Labor Relations  
15 Act.

16 "Commission" means an ethics commission created by this  
17 Act.

18 "Compensated time" means any time worked by or credited to  
19 a State employee that counts toward any minimum work time  
20 requirement imposed as a condition of employment with a State  
21 agency, but does not include any designated State holidays or  
22 any period when the employee is on a leave of absence.

23 "Compensatory time off" means authorized time off earned  
24 by or awarded to a State employee to compensate in whole or in  
25 part for time worked in excess of the minimum work time  
26 required of that employee as a condition of employment with a

1 State agency.

2 "Contribution" has the same meaning as that term is  
3 defined in Section 9-1.4 of the Election Code.

4 "Employee" means (i) any person employed full-time,  
5 part-time, or pursuant to a contract and whose employment  
6 duties are subject to the direction and control of an employer  
7 with regard to the material details of how the work is to be  
8 performed or (ii) any appointed or elected commissioner,  
9 trustee, director, or board member of a board of a State  
10 agency, including any retirement system or investment board  
11 subject to the Illinois Pension Code or (iii) any other  
12 appointee.

13 "Employment benefits" include but are not limited to the  
14 following: modified compensation or benefit terms; compensated  
15 time off; or change of title, job duties, or location of office  
16 or employment. An employment benefit may also include  
17 favorable treatment in determining whether to bring any  
18 disciplinary or similar action or favorable treatment during  
19 the course of any disciplinary or similar action or other  
20 performance review.

21 "Executive branch constitutional officer" means the  
22 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of  
23 State, Comptroller, and Treasurer.

24 "Gift" means any gratuity, discount, entertainment,  
25 hospitality, loan, forbearance, or other tangible or  
26 intangible item having monetary value including, but not

1 limited to, cash, food and drink, and honoraria for speaking  
2 engagements related to or attributable to government  
3 employment or the official position of an employee, member, or  
4 officer. The value of a gift may be further defined by rules  
5 adopted by the appropriate ethics commission or by the Auditor  
6 General for the Auditor General and for employees of the  
7 office of the Auditor General.

8 "Governmental entity" means a unit of local government  
9 (including a community college district) or a school district  
10 but not a State agency, a Regional Transit Board, or a Regional  
11 Development Authority.

12 "Leave of absence" means any period during which a State  
13 employee does not receive (i) compensation for State  
14 employment, (ii) service credit towards State pension  
15 benefits, and (iii) health insurance benefits paid for by the  
16 State.

17 "Legislative branch constitutional officer" means a member  
18 of the General Assembly and the Auditor General.

19 "Legislative leader" means the President and Minority  
20 Leader of the Senate and the Speaker and Minority Leader of the  
21 House of Representatives.

22 "Member" means a member of the General Assembly.

23 "Officer" means an executive branch constitutional officer  
24 or a legislative branch constitutional officer.

25 "Political" means any activity in support of or in  
26 connection with any campaign for elective office or any

1 political organization, but does not include activities (i)  
2 relating to the support or opposition of any executive,  
3 legislative, or administrative action (as those terms are  
4 defined in Section 2 of the Lobbyist Registration Act), (ii)  
5 relating to collective bargaining, or (iii) that are otherwise  
6 in furtherance of the person's official State duties or  
7 governmental and public service functions.

8 "Political organization" means a party, committee,  
9 association, fund, or other organization (whether or not  
10 incorporated) that is required to file a statement of  
11 organization with the State Board of Elections or a county  
12 clerk under Section 9-3 of the Election Code, but only with  
13 regard to those activities that require filing with the State  
14 Board of Elections or a county clerk.

15 "Prohibited political activity" means:

16 (1) Preparing for, organizing, or participating in any  
17 political meeting, political rally, political  
18 demonstration, or other political event.

19 (2) Soliciting contributions, including, but not  
20 limited to, the purchase of, selling, distributing, or  
21 receiving payment for tickets for any political  
22 fundraiser, political meeting, or other political event.

23 (3) Soliciting, planning the solicitation of, or  
24 preparing any document or report regarding any thing of  
25 value intended as a campaign contribution.

26 (4) Planning, conducting, or participating in a public

1 opinion poll in connection with a campaign for elective  
2 office or on behalf of a political organization for  
3 political purposes or for or against any referendum  
4 question.

5 (5) Surveying or gathering information from potential  
6 or actual voters in an election to determine probable vote  
7 outcome in connection with a campaign for elective office  
8 or on behalf of a political organization for political  
9 purposes or for or against any referendum question.

10 (6) Assisting at the polls on election day on behalf  
11 of any political organization or candidate for elective  
12 office or for or against any referendum question.

13 (7) Soliciting votes on behalf of a candidate for  
14 elective office or a political organization or for or  
15 against any referendum question or helping in an effort to  
16 get voters to the polls.

17 (8) Initiating for circulation, preparing,  
18 circulating, reviewing, or filing any petition on behalf  
19 of a candidate for elective office or for or against any  
20 referendum question.

21 (9) Making contributions on behalf of any candidate  
22 for elective office in that capacity or in connection with  
23 a campaign for elective office.

24 (10) Preparing or reviewing responses to candidate  
25 questionnaires in connection with a campaign for elective  
26 office or on behalf of a political organization for

1 political purposes.

2 (11) Distributing, preparing for distribution, or  
3 mailing campaign literature, campaign signs, or other  
4 campaign material on behalf of any candidate for elective  
5 office or for or against any referendum question.

6 (12) Campaigning for any elective office or for or  
7 against any referendum question.

8 (13) Managing or working on a campaign for elective  
9 office or for or against any referendum question.

10 (14) Serving as a delegate, alternate, or proxy to a  
11 political party convention.

12 (15) Participating in any recount or challenge to the  
13 outcome of any election, except to the extent that under  
14 subsection (d) of Section 6 of Article IV of the Illinois  
15 Constitution each house of the General Assembly shall  
16 judge the elections, returns, and qualifications of its  
17 members.

18 "Prohibited source" means any person or entity who:

19 (1) is seeking official action (i) by the member or  
20 officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, by the employee  
21 or by the member, officer, State agency, or other employee  
22 directing the employee;

23 (2) does business or seeks to do business (i) with the  
24 member or officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, with  
25 the employee or with the member, officer, State agency, or  
26 other employee directing the employee;

1           (3) conducts activities regulated (i) by the member or  
2 officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, by the employee  
3 or by the member, officer, State agency, or other employee  
4 directing the employee;

5           (4) has interests that may be substantially affected  
6 by the performance or non-performance of the official  
7 duties of the member, officer, or employee;

8           (5) is registered or required to be registered with  
9 the Secretary of State under the Lobbyist Registration  
10 Act, except that an entity not otherwise a prohibited  
11 source does not become a prohibited source merely because  
12 a registered lobbyist is one of its members or serves on  
13 its board of directors; or

14           (6) is an agent of, a spouse of, or an immediate family  
15 member who is living with a "prohibited source".

16           "Regional Development Authority" means the following  
17 regional development authorities:

18           (1) the Central Illinois Economic Development  
19 Authority created by the Central Illinois Economic  
20 Development Authority Act;

21           (2) the Eastern Illinois Economic Development  
22 Authority created by the Eastern Illinois Economic  
23 Development Authority Act;

24           (3) the Joliet Arsenal Development Authority created  
25 by the Joliet Arsenal Development Authority Act;

26           (4) the Quad Cities Regional Economic Development

1 Authority created by Quad Cities Regional Economic  
2 Development Authority Act, approved September 22, 1987;

3 (5) the Riverdale Development Authority created by the  
4 Riverdale Development Authority Act;

5 (6) the Southeastern Illinois Economic Development  
6 Authority created by the Southeastern Illinois Economic  
7 Development Authority Act;

8 (7) the Southern Illinois Economic Development  
9 Authority created by the Southern Illinois Economic  
10 Development Authority Act;

11 (8) the Southwestern Illinois Development Authority  
12 created by the Southwestern Illinois Development Authority  
13 Act;

14 (9) the Tri-County River Valley Development Authority  
15 created by the Tri-County River Valley Development  
16 Authority Law;

17 (10) the Upper Illinois River Valley Development  
18 Authority created by the Upper Illinois River Valley  
19 Development Authority Act;

20 (11) the Illinois Urban Development Authority created  
21 by the Illinois Urban Development Authority Act;

22 (12) the Western Illinois Economic Development  
23 Authority created by the Western Illinois Economic  
24 Development Authority Act; and

25 (13) the Will-Kankakee Regional Development Authority  
26 created by the Will-Kankakee Regional Development

1 Authority Law.

2 "Regional Transit Boards" means (i) the Regional  
3 Transportation Authority created by the Regional  
4 Transportation Authority Act, (ii) the Suburban Bus Division  
5 created by the Regional Transportation Authority Act, (iii)  
6 the Commuter Rail Division created by the Regional  
7 Transportation Authority Act, and (iv) the Chicago Transit  
8 Authority created by the Metropolitan Transit Authority Act.

9 "State agency" includes all officers, boards, commissions  
10 and agencies created by the Constitution, whether in the  
11 executive or legislative branch; all officers, departments,  
12 boards, commissions, agencies, institutions, authorities,  
13 public institutions of higher learning as defined in Section 2  
14 of the Higher Education Cooperation Act (except community  
15 colleges), and bodies politic and corporate of the State; and  
16 administrative units or corporate outgrowths of the State  
17 government which are created by or pursuant to statute, other  
18 than units of local government (including community college  
19 districts) and their officers, school districts, and boards of  
20 election commissioners; and all administrative units and  
21 corporate outgrowths of the above and as may be created by  
22 executive order of the Governor. "State agency" includes the  
23 General Assembly, the Senate, the House of Representatives,  
24 the President and Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker  
25 and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, ~~the~~  
26 ~~Senate Operations Commission,~~ and the legislative support

1 services agencies. "State agency" includes the Office of the  
2 Auditor General. "State agency" does not include the judicial  
3 branch.

4 "State employee" means any employee of a State agency.

5 "Ultimate jurisdictional authority" means the following:

6 (1) For members, legislative partisan staff, and  
7 legislative secretaries, the appropriate legislative  
8 leader: President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the  
9 Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, or  
10 Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.

11 (2) For State employees who are professional staff or  
12 employees of the Senate and not covered under item (1),  
13 the President of the Senate ~~Senate Operations Commission~~.

14 (3) For State employees who are professional staff or  
15 employees of the House of Representatives and not covered  
16 under item (1), the Speaker of the House of  
17 Representatives.

18 (4) For State employees who are employees of the  
19 legislative support services agencies, the Joint Committee  
20 on Legislative Support Services.

21 (5) For State employees of the Auditor General, the  
22 Auditor General.

23 (6) For State employees of public institutions of  
24 higher learning as defined in Section 2 of the Higher  
25 Education Cooperation Act (except community colleges), the  
26 board of trustees of the appropriate public institution of

1 higher learning.

2 (7) For State employees of an executive branch  
3 constitutional officer other than those described in  
4 paragraph (6), the appropriate executive branch  
5 constitutional officer.

6 (8) For State employees not under the jurisdiction of  
7 paragraph (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), or (7), the  
8 Governor.

9 (9) For employees of Regional Transit Boards, the  
10 appropriate Regional Transit Board.

11 (10) For board members of Regional Transit Boards, the  
12 Governor.

13 (11) For employees of Regional Development  
14 Authorities, the appropriate Regional Development  
15 Authority.

16 (12) For board members of Regional Development  
17 Authorities, the Governor.

18 (Source: P.A. 103-517, eff. 8-11-23.)

19 (5 ILCS 430/5-5)

20 Sec. 5-5. Personnel policies.

21 (a) Each of the following shall adopt and implement  
22 personnel policies for all State employees under his, her, or  
23 its jurisdiction and control: (i) each executive branch  
24 constitutional officer, (ii) each legislative leader, (iii)  
25 the President of the Senate ~~Senate Operations Commission~~, with

1 respect to legislative employees under Section 4 of the  
2 General Assembly Operations Act, (iv) the Speaker of the House  
3 of Representatives, with respect to legislative employees  
4 under Section 5 of the General Assembly Operations Act, (v)  
5 the Joint Committee on Legislative Support Services, with  
6 respect to State employees of the legislative support services  
7 agencies, (vi) members of the General Assembly, with respect  
8 to legislative assistants, as provided in Section 4 of the  
9 General Assembly Compensation Act, (vii) the Auditor General,  
10 (viii) the Board of Higher Education, with respect to State  
11 employees of public institutions of higher learning except  
12 community colleges, and (ix) the Illinois Community College  
13 Board, with respect to State employees of community colleges.  
14 The Governor shall adopt and implement those policies for all  
15 State employees of the executive branch not under the  
16 jurisdiction and control of any other executive branch  
17 constitutional officer.

18 (b) The policies required under subsection (a) shall be  
19 filed with the appropriate ethics commission established under  
20 this Act or, for the Auditor General, with the Office of the  
21 Auditor General.

22 (c) The policies required under subsection (a) shall  
23 include policies relating to work time requirements,  
24 documentation of time worked, documentation for reimbursement  
25 for travel on official State business, compensation, and the  
26 earning or accrual of State benefits for all State employees

1 who may be eligible to receive those benefits. No later than 30  
2 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the  
3 100th General Assembly, the policies shall include, at a  
4 minimum: (i) a prohibition on sexual harassment; (ii) details  
5 on how an individual can report an allegation of sexual  
6 harassment, including options for making a confidential report  
7 to a supervisor, ethics officer, Inspector General, or the  
8 Department of Human Rights; (iii) a prohibition on retaliation  
9 for reporting sexual harassment allegations, including  
10 availability of whistleblower protections under this Act, the  
11 Whistleblower Act, and the Illinois Human Rights Act; and (iv)  
12 the consequences of a violation of the prohibition on sexual  
13 harassment and the consequences for knowingly making a false  
14 report. The policies shall comply with and be consistent with  
15 all other applicable laws. The policies shall require State  
16 employees to periodically submit time sheets documenting the  
17 time spent each day on official State business to the nearest  
18 quarter hour; contractual State employees may satisfy the time  
19 sheets requirement by complying with the terms of their  
20 contract, which shall provide for a means of compliance with  
21 this requirement. The policies for State employees shall  
22 require those time sheets to be submitted on paper,  
23 electronically, or both and to be maintained in either paper  
24 or electronic format by the applicable fiscal office for a  
25 period of at least 2 years.

26 (d) The policies required under subsection (a) shall be

1 adopted by the applicable entity before February 1, 2004 and  
2 shall apply to State employees beginning 30 days after  
3 adoption.

4 (Source: P.A. 100-554, eff. 11-16-17.)

5 (5 ILCS 430/25-5)

6 Sec. 25-5. Legislative Ethics Commission.

7 (a) The Legislative Ethics Commission is created.

8 (b) The Legislative Ethics Commission shall consist of 8  
9 commissioners appointed 2 each by the President and Minority  
10 Leader of the Senate and the Speaker and Minority Leader of the  
11 House of Representatives.

12 The terms of the initial commissioners shall commence upon  
13 qualification. Each appointing authority shall designate one  
14 appointee who shall serve for a 2-year term running through  
15 June 30, 2005. Each appointing authority shall designate one  
16 appointee who shall serve for a 4-year term running through  
17 June 30, 2007. The initial appointments shall be made within  
18 60 days after the effective date of this Act.

19 After the initial terms, commissioners shall serve for  
20 4-year terms commencing on July 1 of the year of appointment  
21 and running through June 30 of the fourth following year.  
22 Commissioners may be reappointed to one or more subsequent  
23 terms.

24 A vacancy shall occur upon a commissioner's death,  
25 resignation, removal, disqualification, termination of

1 legislative service in the house or caucus of the appointing  
2 authority, or other inability to act. Vacancies occurring  
3 other than at the end of a term shall be filled by the  
4 appointing authority only for the balance of the term of the  
5 commissioner whose office is vacant.

6 Terms shall run regardless of whether the position is  
7 filled.

8 (c) The appointing authorities shall appoint commissioners  
9 who have experience holding governmental office or employment  
10 and may appoint commissioners who are members of the General  
11 Assembly as well as commissioners from the general public. A  
12 commissioner who is a member of the General Assembly must  
13 recuse himself or herself from participating in any matter  
14 relating to any investigation or proceeding in which he or she  
15 is the subject or is a complainant. A person is not eligible to  
16 serve as a commissioner if that person (i) has been convicted  
17 of a felony or a crime of dishonesty or moral turpitude, (ii)  
18 is, or was within the preceding 12 months, engaged in  
19 activities that require registration under the Lobbyist  
20 Registration Act, (iii) is a relative of the appointing  
21 authority, (iv) is a State officer or employee other than a  
22 member of the General Assembly, or (v) is a candidate for  
23 statewide, federal, or judicial office.

24 (c-5) If a commissioner is required to recuse himself or  
25 herself from participating in a matter as provided in  
26 subsection (c), the recusal shall create a temporary vacancy

1 for the limited purpose of consideration of the matter for  
2 which the commissioner recused himself or herself, and the  
3 appointing authority for the recusing commissioner shall make  
4 a temporary appointment to fill the vacancy for consideration  
5 of the matter for which the commissioner recused himself or  
6 herself.

7 (d) The Legislative Ethics Commission shall have  
8 jurisdiction over current and former members of the General  
9 Assembly regarding events occurring during a member's term of  
10 office and current and former State employees regarding events  
11 occurring during any period of employment where the State  
12 employee's ultimate jurisdictional authority is (i) a  
13 legislative leader or, (ii) ~~the Senate Operations Commission,~~  
14 ~~or (iii)~~ the Joint Committee on Legislative Support Services.  
15 The Legislative Ethics Commission shall have jurisdiction over  
16 complainants and respondents in violation of subsection (d) of  
17 Section 25-90. The jurisdiction of the Commission is limited  
18 to matters arising under this Act.

19 An officer or executive branch State employee serving on a  
20 legislative branch board or commission remains subject to the  
21 jurisdiction of the Executive Ethics Commission and is not  
22 subject to the jurisdiction of the Legislative Ethics  
23 Commission.

24 (e) The Legislative Ethics Commission must meet, either in  
25 person or by other technological means, monthly or as often as  
26 necessary. At the first meeting of the Legislative Ethics

1 Commission, the commissioners shall choose from their number a  
2 chairperson and other officers that they deem appropriate. The  
3 terms of officers shall be for 2 years commencing July 1 and  
4 running through June 30 of the second following year. Meetings  
5 shall be held at the call of the chairperson or any 3  
6 commissioners. Official action by the Commission shall require  
7 the affirmative vote of 5 commissioners, and a quorum shall  
8 consist of 5 commissioners. Commissioners shall receive no  
9 compensation but may be reimbursed for their reasonable  
10 expenses actually incurred in the performance of their duties.

11 (f) No commissioner, other than a commissioner who is a  
12 member of the General Assembly, or employee of the Legislative  
13 Ethics Commission may during his or her term of appointment or  
14 employment:

15 (1) become a candidate for any elective office;

16 (2) hold any other elected or appointed public office  
17 except for appointments on governmental advisory boards or  
18 study commissions or as otherwise expressly authorized by  
19 law;

20 (3) be actively involved in the affairs of any  
21 political party or political organization; or

22 (4) advocate for the appointment of another person to  
23 an appointed or elected office or position or actively  
24 participate in any campaign for any elective office.

25 (f-5) No commissioner who is a member of the General  
26 Assembly may be a candidate for statewide, federal, or

1 judicial office. If a commissioner who is a member of the  
2 General Assembly files petitions to be a candidate for a  
3 statewide, federal, or judicial office, he or she shall be  
4 deemed to have resigned from his or her position as a  
5 commissioner on the date his or her name is certified for the  
6 ballot by the State Board of Elections or local election  
7 authority and his or her position as a commissioner shall be  
8 deemed vacant. Such person may not be reappointed to the  
9 Commission during any time he or she is a candidate for  
10 statewide, federal, or judicial office.

11 (g) An appointing authority may remove a commissioner only  
12 for cause.

13 (h) The Legislative Ethics Commission shall appoint an  
14 Executive Director subject to the approval of at least 3 of the  
15 4 legislative leaders. The compensation of the Executive  
16 Director shall be as determined by the Commission. The  
17 Executive Director of the Legislative Ethics Commission may  
18 employ, subject to the approval of at least 3 of the 4  
19 legislative leaders, and determine the compensation of staff,  
20 as appropriations permit.

21 (i) In consultation with the Legislative Inspector  
22 General, the Legislative Ethics Commission may develop  
23 comprehensive training for members and employees under its  
24 jurisdiction that includes, but is not limited to, sexual  
25 harassment, employment discrimination, and workplace civility.  
26 The training may be recommended to the ultimate jurisdictional

1 authorities and may be approved by the Commission to satisfy  
2 the sexual harassment training required under Section 5-10.5  
3 or be provided in addition to the annual sexual harassment  
4 training required under Section 5-10.5. The Commission may  
5 seek input from governmental agencies or private entities for  
6 guidance in developing such training.

7 (Source: P.A. 101-81, eff. 7-12-19; 101-221, eff. 8-9-19;  
8 101-617, eff. 12-20-19; 102-664, eff. 1-1-22.)

9 (5 ILCS 430/25-10)

10 Sec. 25-10. Office of Legislative Inspector General.

11 (a) The independent Office of the Legislative Inspector  
12 General is created. The Office shall be under the direction  
13 and supervision of the Legislative Inspector General and shall  
14 be a fully independent office with its own appropriation.

15 (b) The Legislative Inspector General shall be appointed  
16 without regard to political affiliation and solely on the  
17 basis of integrity and demonstrated ability. The Legislative  
18 Ethics Commission shall diligently search out qualified  
19 candidates for Legislative Inspector General and shall make  
20 recommendations to the General Assembly. The Legislative  
21 Inspector General may serve in a full-time, part-time, or  
22 contractual capacity.

23 The Legislative Inspector General shall be appointed by a  
24 joint resolution of the Senate and the House of  
25 Representatives, which may specify the date on which the

1 appointment takes effect. A joint resolution, or other  
2 document as may be specified by the Joint Rules of the General  
3 Assembly, appointing the Legislative Inspector General must be  
4 certified by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and  
5 the President of the Senate as having been adopted by the  
6 affirmative vote of three-fifths of the members elected to  
7 each house, respectively, and be filed with the Secretary of  
8 State. The appointment of the Legislative Inspector General  
9 takes effect on the day the appointment is completed by the  
10 General Assembly, unless the appointment specifies a later  
11 date on which it is to become effective.

12 The Legislative Inspector General shall have the following  
13 qualifications:

14 (1) has not been convicted of any felony under the  
15 laws of this State, another state, or the United States;

16 (2) has earned a baccalaureate degree from an  
17 institution of higher education; and

18 (3) has 5 or more years of cumulative service (A) with  
19 a federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, at  
20 least 2 years of which have been in a progressive  
21 investigatory capacity; (B) as a federal, State, or local  
22 prosecutor; (C) as a senior manager or executive of a  
23 federal, State, or local agency; (D) as a member, an  
24 officer, or a State or federal judge; or (E) representing  
25 any combination of items (A) through (D).

26 The Legislative Inspector General may not be a relative of

1 a commissioner.

2 The term of the initial Legislative Inspector General  
3 shall commence upon qualification and shall run through June  
4 30, 2008.

5 After the initial term, the Legislative Inspector General  
6 shall serve for 5-year terms commencing on July 1 of the year  
7 of appointment and running through June 30 of the fifth  
8 following year. The Legislative Inspector General may be  
9 reappointed to one or more subsequent terms. Terms shall run  
10 regardless of whether the position is filled.

11 (b-5) A vacancy occurring other than at the end of a term  
12 shall be filled in the same manner as an appointment only for  
13 the balance of the term of the Legislative Inspector General  
14 whose office is vacant. Within 7 days of the Office becoming  
15 vacant or receipt of a Legislative Inspector General's  
16 prospective resignation, the vacancy shall be publicly posted  
17 on the Commission's website, along with a description of the  
18 requirements for the position and where applicants may apply.

19 Within 45 days of the vacancy, the Commission shall  
20 designate an Acting Legislative Inspector General who shall  
21 serve until the vacancy is filled. The Commission shall file  
22 the designation in writing with the Secretary of State.

23 Within 60 days prior to the end of the term of the  
24 Legislative Inspector General or within 30 days of the  
25 occurrence of a vacancy in the Office of the Legislative  
26 Inspector General, the Legislative Ethics Commission shall

1 establish a four-member search committee within the Commission  
2 for the purpose of conducting a search for qualified  
3 candidates to serve as Legislative Inspector General. The  
4 Speaker of the House of Representatives, Minority Leader of  
5 the House, Senate President, and Minority Leader of the Senate  
6 shall each appoint one member to the search committee. A  
7 member of the search committee shall be either a retired judge  
8 or former prosecutor and may not be a member or employee of the  
9 General Assembly or a registered lobbyist. If the Legislative  
10 Ethics Commission wishes to recommend that the Legislative  
11 Inspector General be reappointed ~~re-appointed~~, a search  
12 committee does not need to be appointed.

13 The search committee shall conduct a search for qualified  
14 candidates, accept applications, and conduct interviews. The  
15 search committee shall recommend up to 3 candidates for  
16 Legislative Inspector General to the Legislative Ethics  
17 Commission. The search committee shall be disbanded upon an  
18 appointment of the Legislative Inspector General. Members of  
19 the search committee are not entitled to compensation but  
20 shall be entitled to reimbursement of reasonable expenses  
21 incurred in connection with the performance of their duties.

22 Within 30 days after June 8, 2018 (the effective date of  
23 Public Act 100-588), the Legislative Ethics Commission shall  
24 create a search committee in the manner provided for in this  
25 subsection to recommend up to 3 candidates for Legislative  
26 Inspector General to the Legislative Ethics Commission by

1 October 31, 2018.

2 If a vacancy exists and the Commission has not appointed  
3 an Acting Legislative Inspector General, either the staff of  
4 the Office of the Legislative Inspector General, or if there  
5 is no staff, the Executive Director, shall advise the  
6 Commission of all open investigations and any new allegations  
7 or complaints received in the Office of the Inspector General.  
8 These reports shall not include the name of any person  
9 identified in the allegation or complaint, including, but not  
10 limited to, the subject of and the person filing the  
11 allegation or complaint. Notification shall be made to the  
12 Commission on a weekly basis unless the Commission approves of  
13 a different reporting schedule.

14 If the Office of the Inspector General is vacant for 6  
15 months or more beginning on or after January 1, 2019, and the  
16 Legislative Ethics Commission has not appointed an Acting  
17 Legislative Inspector General, all complaints made to the  
18 Legislative Inspector General or the Legislative Ethics  
19 Commission shall be directed to the Inspector General for the  
20 Auditor General, and he or she shall have the authority to act  
21 as provided in subsection (c) of this Section and Section  
22 25-20 of this Act, and shall be subject to all laws and rules  
23 governing a Legislative Inspector General or Acting  
24 Legislative Inspector General. The authority for the Inspector  
25 General of the Auditor General under this paragraph shall  
26 terminate upon appointment of a Legislative Inspector General

1 or an Acting Legislative Inspector General.

2 (c) The Legislative Inspector General shall have  
3 jurisdiction over the current and former members of the  
4 General Assembly regarding events occurring during a member's  
5 term of office and current and former State employees  
6 regarding events occurring during any period of employment  
7 where the State employee's ultimate jurisdictional authority  
8 is (i) a legislative leader or, (ii) ~~the Senate Operations~~  
9 ~~Commission, or (iii)~~ the Joint Committee on Legislative  
10 Support Services.

11 The jurisdiction of each Legislative Inspector General is  
12 to investigate allegations of violations of this Act,  
13 violations of other related laws and rules regarding events  
14 related to the member's or employee's public duties or use of  
15 State office, employment, or resources, or fraud, waste,  
16 abuse, mismanagement, misconduct, nonfeasance, misfeasance, or  
17 malfeasance related to the member's or employee's public  
18 duties or use of State office, employment, or resources. The  
19 jurisdiction shall not include violations of the Rules of the  
20 House of Representatives or the Senate.

21 The Legislative Inspector General shall have jurisdiction  
22 over complainants in violation of subsection (e) of Section  
23 25-63 of this Act.

24 (d) The compensation of the Legislative Inspector General  
25 shall be the greater of an amount (i) determined by the  
26 Commission or (ii) by joint resolution of the General Assembly

1 passed by a majority of members elected in each chamber.  
2 Subject to Section 25-45 of this Act, the Legislative  
3 Inspector General has full authority to organize the Office of  
4 the Legislative Inspector General, including the employment  
5 and determination of the compensation of staff, such as  
6 deputies, assistants, and other employees, as appropriations  
7 permit. Employment of staff is subject to the approval of at  
8 least 3 of the 4 legislative leaders.

9 (e) No Legislative Inspector General or employee of the  
10 Office of the Legislative Inspector General may, during his or  
11 her term of appointment or employment:

12 (1) become a candidate for any elective office;

13 (2) hold any other elected or appointed public office  
14 except for appointments on governmental advisory boards or  
15 study commissions or as otherwise expressly authorized by  
16 law;

17 (3) be actively involved in the affairs of any  
18 political party or political organization; or

19 (4) actively participate in any campaign for any  
20 elective office.

21 A full-time Legislative Inspector General shall not engage  
22 in the practice of law or any other business, employment, or  
23 vocation.

24 In this subsection an appointed public office means a  
25 position authorized by law that is filled by an appointing  
26 authority as provided by law and does not include employment

1 by hiring in the ordinary course of business.

2 (e-1) No Legislative Inspector General or employee of the  
3 Office of the Legislative Inspector General may, for one year  
4 after the termination of his or her appointment or employment:

5 (1) become a candidate for any elective office;

6 (2) hold any elected public office; or

7 (3) hold any appointed State, county, or local  
8 judicial office.

9 (e-2) The requirements of item (3) of subsection (e-1) may  
10 be waived by the Legislative Ethics Commission.

11 (f) The Commission may remove the Legislative Inspector  
12 General only for cause. At the time of the removal, the  
13 Commission must report to the General Assembly the  
14 justification for the removal.

15 (Source: P.A. 101-221, eff. 8-9-19; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21;  
16 102-664, eff. 1-1-22.)

17 Section 40-10. The General Assembly Operations Act is  
18 amended by changing Section 4 as follows:

19 (25 ILCS 10/4) (from Ch. 63, par. 23.4)

20 Sec. 4. President of the Senate; operations, employees,  
21 and expenditures. ~~Senate Operations Commission.~~

22 (a) The President of the Senate shall have responsibility  
23 for the operation of the Senate in relation to the Senate  
24 Chambers, Senate offices, committee rooms and all other rooms

1 and physical facilities used by the Senate, and all equipment,  
2 furniture, and supplies used by the Senate. The President of  
3 the Senate shall have the authority to hire all professional  
4 staff and employees necessary for the proper operation of the  
5 Senate. Professional staff and employees may be employed as  
6 full-time employees, part-time employees, or contractual  
7 employees. The President of the Senate shall have the  
8 authority to receive and expend appropriations for the  
9 purposes set forth in this Act whether the General Assembly is  
10 in session or not.

11 (b) The President of the Senate shall adopt and implement  
12 personnel policies for professional staff and employees under  
13 his or her jurisdiction and control as required by the State  
14 Officials and Employees Ethics Act.

15 ~~(a) There is created a Senate Operations Commission to~~  
16 ~~consist of the following: The President of the Senate, 3~~  
17 ~~Assistant Majority Leaders, the Minority Leader, one Assistant~~  
18 ~~Minority Leader, and one member of the Senate appointed by the~~  
19 ~~President of the Senate. The Senate Operations Commission~~  
20 ~~shall have the following powers and duties: Commission shall~~  
21 ~~have responsibility for the operation of the Senate in~~  
22 ~~relation to the Senate Chambers, Senate offices, committee~~  
23 ~~rooms and all other rooms and physical facilities used by the~~  
24 ~~Senate, all equipment, furniture, and supplies used by the~~  
25 ~~Senate. The Commission shall have the authority to hire all~~  
26 ~~professional staff and employees necessary for the proper~~

1 ~~operation of the Senate and authority to receive and expend~~  
2 ~~appropriations for the purposes set forth in this Act whether~~  
3 ~~the General Assembly be in session or not. Professional staff~~  
4 ~~and employees may be employed as full-time employees,~~  
5 ~~part-time employees, or contractual employees. The Secretary~~  
6 ~~of the Senate shall serve as Secretary and Administrative~~  
7 ~~Officer of the Commission. Pursuant to the policies and~~  
8 ~~direction of the Commission, he shall have direct supervision~~  
9 ~~of all equipment, furniture, and supplies used by the Senate.~~

10 ~~(b) The Senate Operations Commission shall adopt and~~  
11 ~~implement personnel policies for professional staff and~~  
12 ~~employees under its jurisdiction and control as required by~~  
13 ~~the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act.~~

14 (Source: P.A. 93-615, eff. 11-19-03.)

15 Section 40-15. The State Finance Act is amended by  
16 changing Section 14.1 as follows:

17 (30 ILCS 105/14.1) (from Ch. 127, par. 150.1)

18 Sec. 14.1. Appropriations for State contributions to the  
19 State Employees' Retirement System; payroll requirements.

20 (a) Appropriations for State contributions to the State  
21 Employees' Retirement System of Illinois shall be expended in  
22 the manner provided in this Section. Except as otherwise  
23 provided in subsection (a-4) at the time of each payment of  
24 salary to an employee under the personal services line item,

1 payment shall be made to the State Employees' Retirement  
2 System, from the amount appropriated for State contributions  
3 to the State Employees' Retirement System, of an amount  
4 calculated at the rate certified for the applicable fiscal  
5 year by the Board of Trustees of the State Employees'  
6 Retirement System under Section 14-135.08 of the Illinois  
7 Pension Code. If a line item appropriation to an employer for  
8 this purpose is exhausted or is unavailable due to any  
9 limitation on appropriations that may apply, (including, but  
10 not limited to, limitations on appropriations from the Road  
11 Fund under Section 8.3 of the State Finance Act), the amounts  
12 shall be paid under the continuing appropriation for this  
13 purpose contained in the State Pension Funds Continuing  
14 Appropriation Act.

15 (a-1) (Blank).

16 (a-2) (Blank).

17 (a-3) (Blank).

18 (a-4) In fiscal year 2012 and each fiscal year thereafter,  
19 at the time of each payment of salary to an employee under the  
20 personal services line item from a fund other than the General  
21 Revenue Fund, payment shall be made for deposit into the State  
22 Employees' Retirement System of Illinois from the amount  
23 appropriated for State contributions to the State Employees'  
24 Retirement System of Illinois of an amount calculated at the  
25 rate certified for the applicable fiscal year by the Board of  
26 Trustees of the State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois

1 under Section 14-135.08 of the Illinois Pension Code. In  
2 fiscal year 2012 and each fiscal year thereafter, no payment  
3 from appropriations for State contributions shall be made in  
4 conjunction with payment of salary to an employee under the  
5 personal services line item from the General Revenue Fund.

6 (b) Except during the period beginning on March 5, 2004  
7 (the effective date of Public Act 93-665) and ending at the  
8 time of the payment of the final payroll from fiscal year 2004  
9 appropriations, the State Comptroller shall not approve for  
10 payment any payroll voucher that (1) includes payments of  
11 salary to eligible employees in the State Employees'  
12 Retirement System of Illinois and (2) does not include the  
13 corresponding payment of State contributions to that  
14 retirement system at the full rate certified under Section  
15 14-135.08 for that fiscal year for eligible employees, unless  
16 the balance in the fund on which the payroll voucher is drawn  
17 is insufficient to pay the total payroll voucher, or  
18 unavailable due to any limitation on appropriations that may  
19 apply, including, but not limited to, limitations on  
20 appropriations from the Road Fund under Section 8.3 of the  
21 State Finance Act. If the State Comptroller approves a payroll  
22 voucher under this Section for which the fund balance is  
23 insufficient to pay the full amount of the required State  
24 contribution to the State Employees' Retirement System, the  
25 Comptroller shall promptly so notify the Retirement System.

26 (b-1) (Blank).

1 (c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, beginning  
2 July 1, 2007, required State and employee contributions to the  
3 State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois relating to  
4 affected legislative staff employees shall be paid out of  
5 moneys appropriated for that purpose to the Commission on  
6 Government Forecasting and Accountability, rather than out of  
7 the lump-sum appropriations otherwise made for the payroll and  
8 other costs of those employees.

9 These payments must be made pursuant to payroll vouchers  
10 submitted by the employing entity as part of the regular  
11 payroll voucher process.

12 For the purpose of this subsection, "affected legislative  
13 staff employees" means legislative staff employees paid out of  
14 lump-sum appropriations made to the General Assembly or an  
15 Officer of the General Assembly, ~~or the Senate Operations~~  
16 ~~Commission,~~ but does not include district-office staff or  
17 employees of legislative support services agencies.

18 (Source: P.A. 100-23, eff. 7-6-17; 100-587, eff. 6-4-18;  
19 101-10, eff. 6-5-19.)

20 ARTICLE 45.

21 Section 45-5. The Secretary of State Merit Employment Code  
22 is amended by changing Section 6 as follows:

23 (15 ILCS 310/6) (from Ch. 124, par. 106)

1           Sec. 6. Director - appointment - qualifications. The  
2 Department of Personnel shall have an officer at its head who  
3 shall be known as Director of Personnel. He shall be appointed  
4 by the Secretary of State, ~~by and with the advice and consent~~  
5 ~~of the Senate~~. The Director of Personnel shall be a person who  
6 shall have had practical working experience in the field of  
7 personnel administration.

8           (Source: P.A. 85-378.)

9           Section 45-10. The Comptroller Merit Employment Code is  
10 amended by changing Section 6 as follows:

11           (15 ILCS 410/6) (from Ch. 15, par. 409)

12           Sec. 6. Director - appointment - qualifications. The  
13 Department of Human Resources shall have an officer at its  
14 head who shall be known as the Director. He or she shall be  
15 appointed by the Comptroller, ~~by and with the advice and~~  
16 ~~consent of the Senate~~. The Director shall be a person who shall  
17 have had practical working experience in the field of  
18 personnel administration. The director shall be selected for  
19 appointment from among those persons who for the two years  
20 next preceding the appointment have not been members of any  
21 local, state or national committee of a political party; or  
22 officers or members of any standing committee of a political  
23 party; or officers or members of standing committees of any  
24 partisan political group or organization. Nor shall the

1 appointee during his or her tenure as Director become a member  
2 of any local, state or national committee of a political party  
3 or an officer or member of standing committees or any partisan  
4 political group or organization.

5 (Source: P.A. 90-24, eff. 6-20-97.)

6 Article 99.

7 Section 99-97. Severability. The provisions of this Act  
8 are severable under Section 1.31 of the Statute on Statutes.

9 Section 99-99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
10 becoming law, except that Article 40 takes effect on July 1,  
11 2026."