



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB2643

Introduced 2/6/2025, by Rep. Martin McLaughlin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

25 ILCS 10/25 new
25 ILCS 145/5.10 new

Amends the General Assembly Operations Act. Provides that all witness slips filed in either house of the General Assembly concerning proposed legislation during the General Assembly committee hearing process shall track along with the legislation for which it was filed should such legislation be placed on another bill, by amendment, for purposes of legislative action. Provides that the General Assembly, in consultation with the Legislative Information System, shall provide for such witness slip tracking on the Illinois General Assembly website. Amends the Legislative Information System Act. Provides that the Legislative Information System shall provide for electronic tracking of all witness slips witness slips filed in either house of the General Assembly concerning proposed legislation during the General Assembly committee hearing by which the witness slips shall track along with the legislation for which they were filed should such legislation be placed on another bill, by amendment, for purposes of legislative action.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The General Assembly Operations Act is amended
5 by adding Section 25 as follows:

6 (25 ILCS 10/25 new)

7 Sec. 25. Witness slip tracking. Notwithstanding any rule
8 or provision of law to the contrary, all witness slips filed in
9 either house of the General Assembly concerning proposed
10 legislation during the General Assembly committee hearing
11 process shall track along with the legislation for which they
12 were filed should such legislation be placed on another bill,
13 by amendment, for purposes of legislative action. The General
14 Assembly, in consultation with the Legislative Information
15 System, shall provide for such witness slip tracking on the
16 Illinois General Assembly website.

17 Section 10. The Legislative Information System Act is
18 amended by adding Section 5.10 as follows:

19 (25 ILCS 145/5.10 new)

20 Sec. 5.10. Witness slip tracking. The System shall provide
21 for electronic tracking of all witness slips filed in either

1 house of the General Assembly concerning proposed legislation
2 during the General Assembly committee hearing by which the
3 witness slips shall track along with the legislation for which
4 they were filed should such legislation be placed on another
5 bill, by amendment, for purposes of legislative action.