



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB5661

Introduced 2/19/2026, by Rep. Robyn Gabel

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

Makes appropriations for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois Commerce Commission for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, as follows:

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| Other State Funds | \$95,343,800 |
| Federal Funds | <u>\$250,000</u> |
| Total | \$95,593,800 |

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1 AN ACT concerning appropriations.

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

4 ARTICLE 1

5 Section 1. The following named amounts, or so much thereof
6 as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the
7 ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois Commerce
8 Commission:

9 CHAIRMAN AND COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE

10 Payable from Transportation Regulatory Fund:

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|----|---|-----------|
| 11 | For Personal Services..... | 137,000 |
| 12 | For State Contributions to State | |
| 13 | Employees' Retirement System..... | 60,000 |
| 14 | For State Contributions to Social Security..... | 10,500 |
| 15 | For Group Insurance..... | 35,200 |
| 16 | For Contractual Services..... | 500 |
| 17 | For Travel..... | 1,500 |
| 18 | For Equipment..... | 0 |
| 19 | For Telecommunication Services..... | 4,500 |
| 20 | For Operation of Auto Equipment..... | <u>0</u> |
| 21 | Total | \$249,200 |

22 Payable from Public Utility Fund:

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| 23 | For Personal Services..... | 1,356,500 |
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| 1 | For Equipment..... | 545,000 |
| 2 | For Electronic Data Processing..... | 566,000 |
| 3 | For Telecommunication Services..... | 245,000 |
| 4 | For Operation of Auto Equipment..... | 58,000 |
| 5 | For Refunds..... | <u>26,500</u> |
| 6 | Total | \$47,032,600 |

7 Section 10. The sum of \$7,000,000, or so much thereof as
8 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois
9 Underground Utility Facilities Damage Prevention Fund to the
10 Illinois Commerce Commission for a grant to the Statewide
11 One-call Notice System, as required in the Illinois
12 Underground Utility Facilities Damage Prevention Act.

13 Section 15. The sum of \$50,000, or so much thereof as may
14 be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois Underground
15 Utility Facilities Damage Prevention Fund to the Illinois
16 Commerce Commission for refunds.

17 Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much
18 thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated
19 from the Transportation Regulatory Fund for ordinary and
20 contingent expenses to the Illinois Commerce Commission:

21 TRANSPORTATION

| | | |
|----|----------------------------------|-----------|
| 22 | For Personal Services..... | 9,110,000 |
| 23 | For State Contributions to State | |

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| 1 | Employees' Retirement System..... | 3,960,000 |
| 2 | For State Contributions to Social Security..... | 696,300 |
| 3 | For Group Insurance..... | 2,534,400 |
| 4 | For Contractual Services..... | 1,872,500 |
| 5 | For Travel..... | 93,000 |
| 6 | For Commodities..... | 45,000 |
| 7 | For Printing..... | 60,000 |
| 8 | For Equipment..... | 712,500 |
| 9 | For Electronic Data Processing..... | 313,000 |
| 10 | For Telecommunication Services..... | 409,500 |
| 11 | For Operation of Auto Equipment..... | 103,000 |
| 12 | For Refunds..... | <u>24,700</u> |
| 13 | Total | \$19,933,900 |

14 Section 25. The sum of \$2,000,000, or so much thereof as
 15 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Transportation
 16 Regulatory Fund to the Illinois Commerce Commission for (1)
 17 disbursing funds collected for the Single State Insurance
 18 Registration Program and/or Unified Carrier Registration
 19 System; (2) for refunds for overpayments; and (3) for
 20 administrative expenses.

21 Section 30. The sum of \$1,500,000, or so much thereof as
 22 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois
 23 Telecommunications Access Corporation Fund to the Illinois
 24 Commerce Commission for administrative costs and for

1 distribution to the Illinois Telecommunications Access
2 Corporation, as required in the Illinois Public Utilities Act,
3 Section 13-703.

4 Section 35. The sum of \$12,000,000, or so much thereof as
5 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Public Utility Fund
6 to the Illinois Commerce Commission for all costs associated
7 with the administration of the Energy Transition Act.

8 Section 40. The sum of \$3,000,000, or so much thereof as
9 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Consumer Intervenor
10 Compensation Fund to the Illinois Commerce Commission for all
11 costs and expenses associated with the administration of the
12 Consumer Intervenor Compensation Fund, and amendments to
13 Section 9-229 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act resulting
14 from enactment of Illinois Public Act 102-0662.

15 Section 45. The sum of \$250,000, or so much thereof as may
16 be necessary, is appropriated from the ICC Federal Grants
17 Trust Fund to the Illinois Commerce Commission for a grant to
18 the Illinois Fire Chiefs Association Educational and Research
19 Foundation for costs associated with training of first
20 responders in planning for and responding to pipeline
21 emergencies.

22 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
23 2026.