

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 Illinois State Police Law of the Civil
5 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing
6 Sections 2605-10, 2605-40, 2605-51, 2605-54, and 2605-355,
7 2605-615 and by adding Section 2605-490 as follows:

8 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-10) (was 20 ILCS 2605/55a in part)

9 Sec. 2605-10. Powers and duties, generally.

10 (a) The Illinois State Police shall exercise the rights,
11 powers, and duties that have been vested in the Illinois State
12 Police by the following:

13 The Illinois State Police Act.

14 The Illinois State Police Radio Act.

15 The Criminal Identification Act.

16 The Illinois Vehicle Code.

17 The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act.

18 The Firearm Concealed Carry Act.

19 The Firearm Dealer License Certification Act.

20 The Intergovernmental Missing Child Recovery Act of
21 1984.

22 The Intergovernmental Drug Laws Enforcement Act.

23 The Narcotic Control Division Abolition Act.

1 The Illinois Uniform Conviction Information Act.

2 The Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth
3 Registration Act.

4 (b) The Illinois State Police shall have the powers and
5 duties set forth in the following Sections. The Illinois State
6 Police may receive revenue and real and personal property from
7 any legal source, grants, pass-through grants, donations, and
8 lawful appropriations.

9 (c) The Illinois State Police shall exercise the rights,
10 powers, and duties vested in the Illinois State Police to
11 implement the following protective service functions for State
12 facilities, State officials, and State employees serving in
13 their official capacity:

14 (1) Utilize subject matter expertise and law
15 enforcement authority to strengthen the protection of
16 State government facilities, State employees, State
17 officials, and State critical infrastructure.

18 (2) Coordinate State, federal, and local law
19 enforcement activities involving the protection of State
20 facilities, officials, and employees.

21 (3) Conduct investigations of criminal threats to
22 State facilities, State critical infrastructure, State
23 officials, and State employees.

24 (4) Train State officials and employees in personal
25 protection, crime prevention, facility occupant emergency
26 planning, and incident management.

1 (5) Establish standard protocols for prevention and
2 response to criminal threats to State facilities, State
3 officials, State employees, and State critical
4 infrastructure and standard protocols for reporting of
5 suspicious activities.

6 (6) Establish minimum operational standards,
7 qualifications, training, and compliance requirements for
8 State employees and contractors engaged in the protection
9 of State facilities and employees.

10 (7) At the request of departments or agencies of State
11 government, conduct security assessments, including, but
12 not limited to, examination of alarm systems, cameras
13 systems, access points, personnel readiness, and emergency
14 protocols based on risk and need.

15 (8) Oversee the planning and implementation of
16 security and law enforcement activities necessary for the
17 protection of major, multi-jurisdictional events
18 implicating potential criminal threats to State officials,
19 State employees, or State-owned, State-leased, or
20 State-operated critical infrastructure or facilities.

21 (9) Oversee and direct the planning and implementation
22 of security and law enforcement activities by the
23 departments and agencies of the State necessary for the
24 protection of State employees, State officials, and
25 State-owned, State-leased, or State-operated critical
26 infrastructure or facilities from criminal activity.

1 (10) Advise the Governor and Homeland Security Advisor
2 on any matters necessary for the effective protection of
3 State facilities, critical infrastructure, officials, and
4 employees from criminal threats.

5 (11) Utilize intergovernmental agreements and
6 administrative rules as needed for the effective,
7 efficient implementation of law enforcement and support
8 activities necessary for the protection of State
9 facilities, State infrastructure, State employees, and,
10 upon the express written consent of State constitutional
11 officials, State constitutional officials.

12 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; 103-34, eff. 1-1-24;
13 103-564, eff. 11-17-23.)

14 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-40) (was 20 ILCS 2605/55a-4)
15 Sec. 2605-40. Division of Forensic Services. The Division
16 of Forensic Services shall exercise the following functions:

17 (1) Provide crime scene services and traffic crash
18 reconstruction and examine digital evidence.

19 (2) Exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested by
20 law in the Illinois State Police by Section 2605-300 of
21 this Law.

22 (3) Provide assistance to local law enforcement
23 agencies through training, management, and consultant
24 services.

25 (4) (Blank).

1 (5) Exercise other duties that may be assigned by the
2 Director in order to fulfill the responsibilities and
3 achieve the purposes of the Illinois State Police.

4 (6) Establish and operate a forensic science
5 laboratory system, including a forensic toxicological
6 laboratory service, for the purpose of testing specimens
7 submitted by coroners and other law enforcement officers
8 in their efforts to determine whether alcohol, drugs, or
9 poisonous or other toxic substances have been involved in
10 deaths, accidents, or illness. Forensic laboratories shall
11 be established in Springfield, Chicago, and elsewhere in
12 the State as needed.

13 (6.5) Establish administrative rules in order to set
14 forth standardized requirements for the disclosure of
15 toxicology results and other relevant documents related to
16 a toxicological analysis. These administrative rules are
17 to be adopted to produce uniform and sufficient
18 information to allow a proper, well-informed determination
19 of the admissibility of toxicology evidence and to ensure
20 that this evidence is presented competently. These
21 administrative rules are designed to provide a minimum
22 standard for compliance of toxicology evidence and are not
23 intended to limit the production and discovery of material
24 information.

25 (7) Subject to specific appropriations made for these
26 purposes, establish and coordinate a system for providing

1 accurate and expedited forensic science and other
2 investigative and laboratory services to local law
3 enforcement agencies and local State's Attorneys in aid of
4 the investigation and trial of capital cases.

5 (8) Exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested by
6 law in the Illinois State Police under the Sexual Assault
7 Evidence Submission Act and the Sexual Assault Survivors
8 Emergency Treatment Act.

9 (9) Serve as the State central repository for all
10 genetic marker grouping analysis information and exercise
11 the rights, powers, and duties vested by law in the
12 Illinois State Police under Section 5-4-3 of the Unified
13 Code of Corrections.

14 (10) Issue reports required under Section 5-4-3a of
15 the Unified Code of Corrections.

16 (11) Oversee the Electronic Laboratory Information
17 Management System under Section 5-4-3b of the Unified Code
18 of Corrections.

19 (12) Issue reports as required under Section 115-15 of
20 the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963.

21 (13) Oversee the training required under subparagraph
22 (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (c) of Section 10 of the
23 Missing Person Identification Act.

24 (14) Provide information to local law enforcement
25 agencies about best practices for handling death scene
26 investigations as provided under paragraph (1) of

1 subsection (a) of Section 15 of the Missing Person
2 Identification Act.

3 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22;
4 103-34, eff. 1-1-24; 103-609, eff. 7-1-24.)

5 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-51)

6 Sec. 2605-51. Division of the Academy and Training.

7 (a) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
8 exercise, but not be limited to, the following functions:

9 (1) Oversee and operate the Illinois State Police
10 Training Academy.

11 (2) Train and prepare new officers for a career in law
12 enforcement, with innovative, quality training and
13 educational practices.

14 (3) Offer continuing training and educational programs
15 for Illinois State Police employees.

16 (4) Oversee the Illinois State Police's recruitment
17 initiatives.

18 (5) Oversee and operate the Illinois State Police's
19 quartermaster.

20 (6) Duties assigned to the Illinois State Police in
21 Article 5, Chapter 11 of the Illinois Vehicle Code
22 concerning testing and training officers on the detection
23 of impaired driving.

24 (7) Duties assigned to the Illinois State Police in
25 Article 108B of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

1 (a-5) Successful completion of the Illinois State Police
2 Academy satisfies the minimum standards pursuant to
3 subsections (a), (b), and (d) of Section 7 of the Illinois
4 Police Training Act and exempts Illinois State Police ~~State~~
5 ~~police~~ officers from the Illinois Law Enforcement Training
6 Standards Board's State Comprehensive Examination and
7 Equivalency Examination. Satisfactory completion shall be
8 evidenced by a commission or certificate issued to the
9 officer.

10 (b) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
11 exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested in the former
12 Division of State Troopers by Section 17 of the Illinois State
13 Police Act.

14 (c) Specialized training. The Division of the Academy and
15 Training shall provide the following specialized training:

16 (1) Crash reconstruction specialist; training. The
17 Division of the Academy and Training shall cooperate with
18 the Division of Forensic Services to provide specialized
19 training in crash reconstruction for Illinois State Police
20 officers. Only Illinois State Police officers who
21 successfully complete the training may be assigned as
22 crash reconstruction specialists. Training; ~~cultural~~
23 ~~diversity. The Division of the Academy and Training shall~~
24 ~~provide training and continuing education to State police~~
25 ~~officers concerning cultural diversity, including~~
26 ~~sensitivity toward racial and ethnic differences. This~~

1 ~~training and continuing education shall include, but not~~
2 ~~be limited to, an emphasis on the fact that the primary~~
3 ~~purpose of enforcement of the Illinois Vehicle Code is~~
4 ~~safety and equal and uniform enforcement under the law.~~

5 (2) Death Training; ~~death~~ and homicide investigations;
6 training. The Division of the Academy and Training shall
7 provide training in death and homicide investigation for
8 Illinois State Police ~~police~~ officers. Only Illinois State
9 Police ~~police~~ officers who successfully complete the
10 training may be assigned as lead investigators in death
11 and homicide investigations. Satisfactory completion of
12 the training shall be evidenced by a certificate issued to
13 the officer by the Division of the Academy and Training.
14 The Director shall develop a process for waiver
15 applications for officers whose prior training and
16 experience as homicide investigators may qualify them for
17 a waiver. The Director may issue a waiver, at his or her
18 discretion, based solely on the prior training and
19 experience of an officer as a homicide investigator.

20 (A) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
21 require all homicide investigator training to include
22 instruction on victim-centered, trauma-informed
23 investigation. This training must be implemented by
24 July 1, 2023.

25 (B) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
26 cooperate with the Division of Criminal Investigation

1 to develop a model curriculum on victim-centered,
2 trauma-informed investigation. This curriculum must be
3 implemented by July 1, 2023.

4 (3) Investigation of officer-involved criminal sexual
5 assault; training. The Division of the Academy and
6 Training shall cooperate with the Division of Criminal
7 Investigation to provide a specialized criminal sexual
8 assault and sexual abuse investigation training program
9 for Illinois State Police officers. Only Illinois State
10 Police officers who successfully complete the training may
11 be assigned as investigators in officer-involved criminal
12 sexual assault investigations under Section 10 of the Law
13 Enforcement Criminal Sexual Assault Investigation Act.

14 (4) Investigation of officer-involved deaths;
15 training. The Division of the Academy and Training shall
16 have a written policy regarding the investigation of
17 officer-involved deaths that involve a law enforcement
18 officer employed by the Illinois State Police as required
19 under Section 1-10 of the Police and Community Relations
20 Improvement Act and shall provide specialized training in
21 that policy for Illinois State Police officers.

22 (5) Juvenile specialist; training. The Division of the
23 Academy and Training shall provide specialized juvenile
24 training for Illinois State Police officers who meet the
25 definition of "juvenile police officer" as defined under
26 paragraph (17) of Section 1-3 of the Juvenile Court Act of

1 1987. Juvenile specialists may complete questioning of
2 juveniles on school grounds as provided under Section
3 22-88 of the School Code.

4 (6) Peer support program; training. The Division of
5 the Academy and Training shall cooperate with the Office
6 of the Director to provide peer support advisors with
7 appropriate specialized training in counseling to conduct
8 peer support counseling sessions under Section 10 of the
9 First Responders Suicide Prevention Act.

10 (7) Police ~~(3) Training; police dog training~~
11 ~~standards; training.~~ All police dogs used by the Illinois
12 State Police for drug enforcement purposes pursuant to the
13 Cannabis Control Act, the Illinois Controlled Substances
14 Act, and the Methamphetamine Control and Community
15 Protection Act shall be trained by programs that meet the
16 certification requirements set by the Director or the
17 Director's designee. Satisfactory completion of the
18 training shall be evidenced by a certificate issued by the
19 Division of the Academy and Training.

20 ~~(4) Training; post-traumatic stress disorder. The~~
21 ~~Division of the Academy and Training shall conduct or~~
22 ~~approve a training program in post-traumatic stress~~
23 ~~disorder for State police officers. The purpose of that~~
24 ~~training shall be to equip State police officers to~~
25 ~~identify the symptoms of post-traumatic stress disorder~~
26 ~~and to respond appropriately to individuals exhibiting~~

1 ~~those symptoms.~~

2 ~~(5) Training; opioid antagonists. The Division of the~~
3 ~~Academy and Training shall conduct or approve a training~~
4 ~~program for State police officers in the administration of~~
5 ~~opioid antagonists as defined in paragraph (1) of~~
6 ~~subsection (c) of Section 5-23 of the Substance Use~~
7 ~~Disorder Act that is in accordance with that Section. As~~
8 ~~used in this Section, "State police officers" includes~~
9 ~~full time or part time State police officers,~~
10 ~~investigators, and any other employee of the Illinois~~
11 ~~State Police exercising the powers of a peace officer.~~

12 ~~(6) Training; sexual assault and sexual abuse.~~

13 ~~(A) Every 3 years, the Division of the Academy and~~
14 ~~Training shall present in-service training on sexual~~
15 ~~assault and sexual abuse response and report writing~~
16 ~~training requirements, including, but not limited to,~~
17 ~~the following:~~

18 ~~(i) recognizing the symptoms of trauma;~~

19 ~~(ii) understanding the role trauma has played~~
20 ~~in a victim's life;~~

21 ~~(iii) responding to the needs and concerns of~~
22 ~~a victim;~~

23 ~~(iv) delivering services in a compassionate,~~
24 ~~sensitive, and nonjudgmental manner;~~

25 ~~(v) interviewing techniques in accordance with~~
26 ~~the curriculum standards in this paragraph (6);~~

1 ~~(vi) understanding cultural perceptions and~~
2 ~~common myths of sexual assault and sexual abuse;~~
3 ~~and~~

4 ~~(vii) report writing techniques in accordance~~
5 ~~with the curriculum standards in this paragraph~~
6 ~~(6).~~

7 ~~(B) This training must also be presented in all~~
8 ~~full and part time basic law enforcement academies.~~

9 ~~(C) Instructors providing this training shall have~~
10 ~~successfully completed training on evidence based,~~
11 ~~trauma informed, victim centered responses to cases of~~
12 ~~sexual assault and sexual abuse and have experience~~
13 ~~responding to sexual assault and sexual abuse cases.~~

14 ~~(D) The Illinois State Police shall adopt rules,~~
15 ~~in consultation with the Office of the Attorney~~
16 ~~General and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training~~
17 ~~Standards Board, to determine the specific training~~
18 ~~requirements for these courses, including, but not~~
19 ~~limited to, the following:~~

20 ~~(i) evidence based curriculum standards for~~
21 ~~report writing and immediate response to sexual~~
22 ~~assault and sexual abuse, including~~
23 ~~trauma informed, victim centered interview~~
24 ~~techniques, which have been demonstrated to~~
25 ~~minimize retraumatization, for all State police~~
26 ~~officers; and~~

1 ~~(ii) evidence based curriculum standards for~~
2 ~~trauma informed, victim centered investigation~~
3 ~~and interviewing techniques, which have been~~
4 ~~demonstrated to minimize retraumatization, for~~
5 ~~cases of sexual assault and sexual abuse for all~~
6 ~~State police officers who conduct sexual assault~~
7 ~~and sexual abuse investigations.~~

8 ~~(7) Training; human trafficking. The Division of the~~
9 ~~Academy and Training shall conduct or approve a training~~
10 ~~program in the detection and investigation of all forms of~~
11 ~~human trafficking, including, but not limited to,~~
12 ~~involuntary servitude under subsection (b) of Section 10-9~~
13 ~~of the Criminal Code of 2012, involuntary sexual servitude~~
14 ~~of a minor under subsection (c) of Section 10-9 of the~~
15 ~~Criminal Code of 2012, and trafficking in persons under~~
16 ~~subsection (d) of Section 10-9 of the Criminal Code of~~
17 ~~2012. This program shall be made available to all cadets~~
18 ~~and State police officers.~~

19 (8) Safe2Help; training. The Division of the Academy
20 and Training shall cooperate with the Division of Criminal
21 Investigation to ensure all program personnel or call
22 center staff, or both, are appropriately trained in the
23 areas described in subsection (f) of Section 10 of the
24 Student Confidential Reporting Act. Training; hate crimes.
25 ~~The Division of the Academy and Training shall provide~~
26 ~~training for State police officers in identifying,~~

1 ~~responding to, and reporting all hate crimes.~~

2 ~~(9) Training; cell phone medical information. The~~
3 ~~Division of the Academy and Training shall develop and~~
4 ~~require each State police officer to complete training on~~
5 ~~accessing and utilizing medical information stored in cell~~
6 ~~phones. The Division may use the program approved under~~
7 ~~Section 2310 711 of the Department of Public Health Powers~~
8 ~~and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of~~
9 ~~Illinois to develop the Division's program.~~

10 ~~(9) Training; autism spectrum disorders. The Division~~
11 ~~of the Academy and Training shall provide training for~~
12 ~~State police officers on the nature of autism spectrum~~
13 ~~disorders and in identifying and appropriately responding~~
14 ~~to individuals with autism spectrum disorders. The~~
15 ~~Illinois State Police shall review the training curriculum~~
16 ~~and may consult with the Department of Public Health or~~
17 ~~the Department of Human Services to update the training~~
18 ~~curriculum as needed. This training shall be made~~
19 ~~available to all cadets and State police officers.~~

20 (c-5) In-service training.

21 (1) At least once, the Division of the Academy and
22 Training shall develop and require the following
23 in-service training opportunities to be completed by
24 Illinois State Police officers:

25 (A) Cell phone medical information; training.

26 Training required under this subparagraph (A) shall

1 provide instruction on accessing and using medical
2 information stored in cell phones. The Division may
3 use the program approved under Section 2310-711 of the
4 Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of
5 the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois to develop
6 the Division's program.

7 (B) Autism spectrum disorders; training. Training
8 required under this subparagraph (B) shall instruct
9 Illinois State Police officers on the nature of autism
10 spectrum disorders and in identifying and
11 appropriately responding to individuals with autism
12 spectrum disorders. The Illinois State Police shall
13 review the training curriculum and may consult with
14 the Department of Public Health or the Department of
15 Human Services to update the training curriculum as
16 needed.

17 (2) At least every year, the Division of the Academy
18 and Training shall provide the following in-service
19 training to Illinois State Police officers:

20 (A) Cultural diversity; training.

21 (i) Training required under this subparagraph
22 (A) shall provide training and continuing
23 education to Illinois State Police officers
24 concerning cultural diversity, including topics
25 such as sensitivity toward racial and ethnic
26 differences.

1 (ii) This training and continuing education
2 shall, among other things, emphasize that the
3 primary purpose of enforcement of the Illinois
4 Vehicle Code is safety and equal, uniform, and
5 non-discriminatory enforcement of the law.

6 (B) Minimum annual in-service training
7 requirements. Minimum annual in-service training
8 includes:

9 (i) crisis intervention training;

10 (ii) emergency medical response training and
11 certification;

12 (iii) firearm qualification training;

13 (iv) law updates; and

14 (v) officer wellness and mental health.

15 (C) Firearms restraining orders; training.
16 Training required under this subparagraph (C) shall
17 provide instruction on the processes used to file a
18 firearms restraining order, to identify situations in
19 which a firearms restraining order is appropriate, and
20 to safely promote the usage of the firearms
21 restraining order in different situations.

22 (3) At least every 3 years, the Division of the
23 Academy and Training shall provide the following
24 in-service training to Illinois State Police officers:

25 (A) Arrest and use of force and control tactics;
26 training. Training required under this subparagraph

1 (A) shall provide to Illinois State Police officers
2 training and continuing education concerning knowledge
3 of policies and laws regulating the use of force;
4 shall equip officers with tactics and skills,
5 including de-escalation techniques, to prevent or
6 reduce the need to use force or, when force must be
7 used, to use force that is objectively reasonable,
8 necessary, and proportional under the totality of the
9 circumstances; and shall ensure appropriate
10 supervision and accountability. The training shall
11 consist of at least 30 hours and shall include:

12 (i) at least 12 hours of hands-on,
13 scenario-based role-playing;

14 (ii) at least 6 hours of instruction on use of
15 force techniques, including the use of
16 de-escalation techniques to prevent or reduce the
17 need for force whenever safe and feasible;

18 (iii) specific training on the law concerning
19 stops, searches, and the use of force under the
20 Fourth Amendment to the United States
21 Constitution;

22 (iv) specific training on officer safety
23 techniques, including cover, concealment, and
24 time; and

25 (v) at least 6 hours of training focused on
26 high-risk traffic stops.

1 (c) responding to the needs and concerns
2 of a victim;

3 (d) delivering services in a
4 compassionate, sensitive, and nonjudgmental
5 manner;

6 (e) interviewing techniques in accordance
7 with the curriculum standards in subdivision
8 (iii) of this subparagraph;

9 (f) understanding cultural perceptions and
10 common myths of sexual assault and sexual
11 abuse; and

12 (g) report writing techniques in
13 accordance with the curriculum standards in
14 subdivision (iii) of this subparagraph and the
15 Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act.

16 (ii) Instructors providing training under this
17 subparagraph (G) shall have successfully completed
18 training on evidence-based, trauma-informed,
19 victim-centered responses to cases of sexual
20 assault and sexual abuse and shall have experience
21 responding to sexual assault and sexual abuse
22 cases.

23 (iii) The Illinois State Police shall adopt
24 rules, in consultation with the Office of the
25 Attorney General and the Illinois Law Enforcement
26 Training Standards Board, to determine the

1 specific training requirements. The rules adopted
2 by the Illinois State Police shall include, at a
3 minimum, both of the following:

4 (a) evidence-based curriculum standards
5 for report writing and immediate response to
6 sexual assault and sexual abuse, including
7 trauma-informed, victim-centered interview
8 techniques, which have been demonstrated to
9 minimize retraumatization, for all Illinois
10 State Police officers; and

11 (b) evidence-based curriculum standards
12 for trauma-informed, victim-centered
13 investigation and interviewing techniques,
14 which have been demonstrated to minimize
15 retraumatization, for cases of sexual assault
16 and sexual abuse for all Illinois State Police
17 officers who conduct sexual assault and sexual
18 abuse investigations.

19 (4) At least every 5 years, the Division of the
20 Academy and Training shall provide the following
21 in-service training to Illinois State Police officers:

22 (A) Psychology of domestic violence; training.
23 Training under this subparagraph (A) shall provide aid
24 in understanding the actions of domestic violence
25 victims and abusers and the actions needed to prevent
26 further victimization of those who have been abused.

1 The training shall focus specifically on looking
2 beyond physical evidence to the psychology of domestic
3 violence situations by studying the dynamics of the
4 aggressor-victim relationship, separately evaluating
5 claims where both parties claim to be the victim, and
6 assessing the long-term effects of domestic violence
7 situations.

8 (c-10) Cadet training. The Division of the Academy and
9 Training shall provide the following basic training to
10 Illinois State Police cadets or ensure the following training
11 was completed prior to an Illinois State Police cadet becoming
12 an Illinois State Police officer:

13 (1) Animal fighting awareness and humane response;
14 training. Training required under this paragraph (1) shall
15 include a training program in animal fighting awareness
16 and humane response for Illinois State Police cadets. The
17 purpose of that training shall be for Illinois State
18 Police officers to identify animal fighting operations and
19 respond appropriately. Training under this paragraph (1)
20 shall include a humane response component that provides
21 guidelines for appropriate law enforcement response to
22 animal abuse, cruelty, and neglect, or similar condition,
23 as well as training on canine behavior and nonlethal ways
24 to subdue a canine.

25 (2) Arrest and use of force and control tactics and
26 officer safety; training. Training required under this

1 paragraph (2) must include, without limitation, training
2 on officer safety techniques, such as cover, concealment,
3 and time.

4 (3) Arrest of a parent or an immediate family member;
5 training. Training required under this paragraph (3) shall
6 instruct Illinois State Police cadets on trauma-informed
7 responses designed to ensure the physical safety and
8 well-being of a child of an arrested parent or immediate
9 family member, which must include, without limitation: (A)
10 training in understanding the trauma experienced by the
11 child while maintaining the integrity of the arrest and
12 safety of officers, suspects, and other involved
13 individuals; (B) training in de-escalation tactics that
14 would include the use of force when reasonably necessary;
15 and (C) training in understanding and inquiring whether a
16 child will require supervision and care.

17 (4) Autism and other developmental or physical
18 disabilities; training. Training required under this
19 paragraph (4) shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets
20 on identifying and interacting with persons with autism
21 and other developmental or physical disabilities, reducing
22 barriers to reporting crimes against persons with autism,
23 and addressing the unique challenges presented by cases
24 involving victims or witnesses with autism and other
25 developmental disabilities.

26 (5) Cell phone medical information; training. Training

1 required under this paragraph (5) shall instruct Illinois
2 State Police cadets to access and use medical information
3 stored in cell phones. The Division of the Academy and
4 Training may use the program approved under Section
5 2310-711 of the Department of Public Health Powers and
6 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois to
7 develop the training required under this paragraph (5).

8 (6) Compliance with the Health Care Violence
9 Prevention Act; training. Training required under this
10 paragraph (6) shall provide an appropriate level of
11 training for Illinois State Police cadets concerning the
12 Health Care Violence Prevention Act.

13 (7) Constitutional law; training. Training required
14 under this paragraph (7) shall instruct Illinois State
15 Police cadets on constitutional and proper use of law
16 enforcement authority, procedural justice, civil rights,
17 human rights, and cultural competency, including implicit
18 bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity.

19 (8) Courtroom testimony; training.

20 (9) Crime victims; training. Training required under
21 this paragraph (9) shall provide instruction in techniques
22 designed to promote effective communication at the initial
23 contact with crime victims and to comprehensively explain
24 to victims and witnesses their rights under the Rights of
25 Crime Victims and Witnesses Act and the Crime Victims
26 Compensation Act.

1 (10) Criminal law; training.

2 (11) Crisis intervention team and mental health
3 awareness; training. Training required under this
4 paragraph (11) shall include a specialty certification
5 course of at least 40 hours, addressing specialized
6 policing responses to people with mental illnesses. The
7 Division of the Academy and Training shall conduct Crisis
8 Intervention Team training programs that train officers to
9 identify signs and symptoms of mental illness, to
10 de-escalate situations involving individuals who appear to
11 have a mental illness and connect individuals in crisis to
12 treatment.

13 (12) Cultural diversity; training.

14 (A) The training required under this paragraph
15 (12) shall provide training to Illinois State Police
16 cadets concerning cultural competency and cultural
17 diversity, including sensitivity toward racial and
18 ethnic differences.

19 (B) This training shall include, but not be
20 limited to, an emphasis on the fact that the primary
21 purpose of enforcement of the Illinois Vehicle Code is
22 safety, equal, and uniform and non-discriminatory
23 enforcement under the law.

24 (13) De-escalation and use of force; training.
25 Training required under this paragraph (13) must consist
26 of at least 6 hours of instruction on use of force

1 techniques, including the use of de-escalation techniques
2 to prevent or reduce the need for force whenever safe and
3 feasible.

4 (14) Domestic violence; training. Training required
5 under this paragraph (14) shall provide aid in
6 understanding the actions of domestic violence victims and
7 abusers and to prevent further victimization of those who
8 have been abused, focusing specifically on looking beyond
9 the physical evidence to the psychology of domestic
10 violence situations, such as the dynamics of the
11 aggressor-victim relationship, separately evaluating
12 claims where both parties claim to be the victim, and
13 long-term effects.

14 (15) Effective recognition of and responses to stress,
15 trauma, and post-traumatic stress; training. Training
16 required under this paragraph (15) shall instruct Illinois
17 State Police cadets to recognize and respond to stress,
18 trauma, and post-traumatic stress experienced by law
19 enforcement officers. The training must be consistent with
20 Section 25 of the Illinois Mental Health First Aid
21 Training Act in a peer setting, including recognizing
22 signs and symptoms of work-related cumulative stress,
23 issues that may lead to suicide, and solutions for
24 intervention with peer support resources.

25 (16) Elder abuse; training. Training required under
26 this paragraph (16) shall teach Illinois State Police

1 cadets to recognize neglect and financial exploitation
2 against the elderly and adults with disabilities. The
3 training shall also teach Illinois State Police cadets to
4 recognize self-neglect by the elderly and adults with
5 disabilities. In this subparagraph, "adults with
6 disabilities" has the meaning given to that term in the
7 Adult Protective Services Act.

8 (17) Electronic control devices; training. Training
9 required under this paragraph (17) shall include training
10 in the use of electronic control devices, including the
11 psychological and physiological effects of the use of
12 those devices on humans.

13 (18) Epinephrine auto-injector administration;
14 training. Training required under this paragraph (18)
15 shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets to recognize
16 and respond to anaphylaxis. The training must comply with
17 subsection (c) of Section 40 of the Illinois State Police
18 Act.

19 (19) Evidence collection; training. Training required
20 under this paragraph (19) must include proper procedures
21 for collecting, handling, and preserving evidence, and
22 rules of law.

23 (20) Firearms restraining orders; training. Providing
24 instruction on the process used to file a firearms
25 restraining order and how to identify situations in which
26 a firearms restraining order is appropriate and how to

1 safely promote the usage of the firearms restraining order
2 in different situations.

3 (21) Firearms; training. Successful completion of a
4 40-hour course of training in use of a suitable type
5 firearm shall be a condition precedent to the possession
6 and use of that respective firearm in connection with the
7 officer's official duties. To satisfy the requirements of
8 this Act, the training must include the following:

9 (A) Instruction in the dangers of misuse of the
10 firearm, safety rules, and care and cleaning of the
11 firearm.

12 (B) Practice firing on a range and qualification
13 with the firearm in accordance with the standards
14 established by the Board.

15 (C) Instruction in the legal use of firearms under
16 the Criminal Code of 2012 and relevant court
17 decisions.

18 (D) A forceful presentation of the ethical and
19 moral considerations assumed by any person who uses a
20 firearm.

21 (22) First-aid; training. First-aid training must
22 include cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

23 (23) Hate crimes; training. Training required under
24 this paragraph (23) shall instruct Illinois State Police
25 cadets in identifying, responding to, and reporting all
26 hate crimes.

1 (24) High-risk traffic stops; training. Training
2 required under this paragraph (24) must consist of at
3 least 6 hours of training focused on high-risk traffic
4 stops.

5 (25) High-speed vehicle chase; training. Training
6 required under this paragraph (25) shall instruct Illinois
7 State Police cadets on the hazards of high-speed police
8 vehicle chases with an emphasis on alternatives to the
9 high-speed vehicle chase.

10 (26) Human relations; training.

11 (27) Human trafficking; training. Training required
12 under this paragraph (27) shall instruct Illinois State
13 Police cadets in the detection and investigation of all
14 forms of human trafficking, including, but not limited to,
15 involuntary servitude under subsection (b) of Section 10-9
16 of the Criminal Code of 2012, involuntary sexual servitude
17 of a minor under subsection (c) of Section 10-9 of the
18 Criminal Code of 2012, and trafficking in persons under
19 subsection (d) of Section 10-9 of the Criminal Code of
20 2012. This program shall be made available to all cadets
21 and Illinois State Police officers.

22 (28) Juvenile law; training. Training required under
23 this paragraph (28) shall instruct Illinois State Police
24 cadets on juvenile law and the proper processing and
25 handling of juvenile offenders.

26 (29) Mandated reporter; training. Training required

1 under this paragraph (29) must be approved by the
2 Department of Children and Family Services as provided
3 under Section 4 of the Abused and Neglected Child
4 Reporting Act and includes training on the reporting of
5 child abuse and neglect.

6 (30) Mental conditions and crises, training. Training
7 required under this paragraph (30) shall include, without
8 limitation, (A) recognizing the disease of addiction, (B)
9 recognizing situations which require immediate assistance,
10 and (C) responding in a manner that safeguards and
11 provides assistance to individuals in need of mental
12 treatment.

13 (31) Officer wellness and suicide prevention;
14 training. The training required under this paragraph (31)
15 shall include instruction on job-related stress management
16 techniques, skills for recognizing signs and symptoms of
17 work-related cumulative stress, recognition of other
18 issues that may lead to officer suicide, solutions for
19 intervention, and a presentation on available peer support
20 resources.

21 (32) Officer-worn body cameras; training.

22 (A) As used in this paragraph (32), "officer-worn
23 body camera" has the meaning given to that term in
24 Article 10 of the Law Enforcement Officer-Worn Body
25 Camera Act.

26 (B) The training required under this paragraph

1 (32) shall provide training in the use of officer-worn
2 body cameras to cadets who will use officer-worn body
3 cameras.

4 (33) Opioid antagonists; training.

5 (A) As used in this paragraph (33), "opioid
6 antagonist" has the meaning given to that term in
7 subsection (e) of Section 5-23 of the Substance Use
8 Disorder Act.

9 (B) Training required under this paragraph (33)
10 shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets to
11 administer opioid antagonists.

12 (34) Persons arrested while under the influence of
13 alcohol or drugs; training. Training required under this
14 paragraph (34) shall comply with Illinois State Police
15 policy adopted under Section 2605-54. The training shall
16 be consistent with the Substance Use Disorder Act and
17 shall provide guidance for the arrest of persons under the
18 influence of alcohol or drugs, proper medical attention if
19 warranted, and care and release of those persons from
20 custody. The training shall provide guidance concerning
21 the release of persons arrested under the influence of
22 alcohol or drugs who are under the age of 21 years of age,
23 which shall include, but shall not be limited to,
24 instructions requiring the arresting officer to make a
25 reasonable attempt to contact a responsible adult who is
26 willing to take custody of the person who is under the

1 influence of alcohol or drugs.

2 (35) Physical training.

3 (36) Post-traumatic stress disorder; training.

4 Training required under this paragraph (36) shall equip
5 Illinois State Police cadets to identify the symptoms of
6 post-traumatic stress disorder and to respond
7 appropriately to individuals exhibiting those symptoms.

8 (37) Report writing; training. Training required under
9 this paragraph (37) shall instruct Illinois State Police
10 cadets on writing reports and proper documentation of
11 statements.

12 (38) Scenario training. At least 12 hours of hands-on,
13 scenario-based role-playing.

14 (39) Search and seizure; training. Training required
15 under this paragraph (39) shall instruct Illinois State
16 Police cadets on search and seizure, including temporary
17 questioning.

18 (40) Sexual assault and sexual abuse; training.
19 Training required under this paragraph (40) shall instruct
20 Illinois State Police cadets on sexual assault and sexual
21 abuse response and report writing training requirements,
22 including, but not limited to, the following:

23 (A) recognizing the symptoms of trauma;

24 (B) understanding the role trauma has played in a
25 victim's life;

26 (C) responding to the needs and concerns of a

1 victim;

2 (D) delivering services in a compassionate,
3 sensitive, and nonjudgmental manner;

4 (E) interviewing techniques in accordance with the
5 curriculum standards in subsection (f) of Section
6 10.19 of the Illinois Police Training Act;

7 (F) understanding cultural perceptions and common
8 myths of sexual assault and sexual abuse; and

9 (G) report-writing techniques in accordance with
10 the curriculum standards in subsection (f) of Section
11 10.19 of the Illinois Police Training Act and the
12 Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act.

13 (41) Traffic control and crash investigation;
14 training.

15 (d) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
16 administer and conduct a program consistent with 18 U.S.C.
17 926B and 926C for qualified active and retired Illinois State
18 Police officers.

19 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; 102-756, eff. 5-10-22;
20 102-813, eff. 5-13-22; 103-34, eff. 1-1-24; 103-939, eff.
21 1-1-25; 103-949, eff. 1-1-25; revised 11-26-24.)

22 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-54)

23 Sec. 2605-54. ~~Training policy; persons~~ Persons arrested
24 while under the influence of alcohol or drugs; policy. The
25 Illinois State Police shall adopt a policy and provide

1 training to State Police officers concerning response and care
2 for persons under the influence of alcohol or drugs. The
3 policy shall be consistent with the Substance Use Disorder Act
4 and shall provide guidance for the arrest of persons under the
5 influence of alcohol or drugs, proper medical attention if
6 warranted, and care and release of those persons from custody.
7 The policy shall provide guidance concerning the release of
8 persons arrested under the influence of alcohol or drugs who
9 are under the age of 21 years of age which shall include, but
10 not be limited to, language requiring the arresting officer to
11 make a reasonable attempt to contact a responsible adult who
12 is willing to take custody of the person who is under the
13 influence of alcohol or drugs.

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

15 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-355) (was 20 ILCS 2605/55a in part)

16 Sec. 2605-355. Delinquent minors; statewide central
17 juvenile records system. To develop a separate statewide
18 central juvenile records system for persons arrested prior to
19 the age of 17 under Section 5-401 of the Juvenile Court Act of
20 1987 or adjudicated delinquent minors and to make information
21 available to local law enforcement officers so that law
22 enforcement officers will be able to obtain rapid access to
23 the background of the minor from other jurisdictions to the
24 end that the juvenile police officers can make appropriate
25 decisions that will best serve the interest of the child and

1 the community. ~~The Illinois State Police shall submit a~~
2 ~~quarterly report to the General Assembly and Governor.~~ The
3 Illinois State Police shall make available on the Illinois
4 State Police website a report describing ~~shall contain~~ the
5 number of juvenile records that the Illinois State Police has
6 received in that quarter and a list, by category, of offenses
7 that minors were arrested for or convicted of by age, race, and
8 gender.

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

10 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-490 new)

11 Sec. 2605-490. State Missing Person Clearinghouse. The
12 Illinois State Police shall establish a State Missing Persons
13 Clearinghouse as a resource to promote an immediate and
14 effective community response to missing children as provided
15 under Section 40 of the Intergovernmental Missing Child
16 Recovery Act of 1984.

17 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-615)

18 Sec. 2605-615. Illinois Forensic Science Commission.

19 (a) Creation. There is created within the Illinois State
20 Police the Illinois Forensic Science Commission.

21 (b) Duties and purpose. The Commission shall:

22 (1) Provide guidance to ensure the efficient delivery
23 of forensic services and the sound practice of forensic
24 science.

1 (2) Provide a forum for discussions between forensic
2 science stakeholders to improve communication and
3 coordination and to monitor the important issues impacting
4 all stakeholders.

5 (3) Take a systems-based approach in reviewing all
6 aspects of the delivery of forensic services and the sound
7 practice of forensic science with the goal of reducing or
8 eliminating the factors and inefficiencies that contribute
9 to backlogs and errors, with a focus on education and
10 training, funding, hiring, procurement, and other aspects
11 identified by the Commission.

12 (4) Review significant non-conformities with the sound
13 practice of forensic science documented by each publicly
14 funded ISO 17025 accredited forensic laboratory and offer
15 recommendations for the correction thereof.

16 (5) Subject to appropriation, provide educational,
17 research, and professional training opportunities for
18 practicing forensic scientists, police officers, judges,
19 State's Attorneys and Assistant State's Attorneys, Public
20 Defenders, and defense attorneys comporting with the sound
21 practice of forensic science.

22 (6) Collect and analyze information related to the
23 impact of current laws, rules, policies, and practices on
24 forensic crime laboratories and the practice of forensic
25 science; evaluate the impact of those laws, rules,
26 policies, and practices on forensic crime laboratories and

1 the practice of forensic science; identify new policies
2 and approaches, together with changes in science, and
3 technology; and make recommendations for changes to those
4 laws, rules, policies, and practices that will yield
5 better results in the criminal justice system consistent
6 with the sound practice of forensic science.

7 (7) Perform such other studies or tasks pertaining to
8 forensic crime laboratories as may be requested by the
9 General Assembly by resolution or the Governor, and
10 perform such other functions as may be required by law or
11 as are necessary to carry out the purposes and goals of the
12 Commission prescribed in this Section.

13 (8) Ensure that adequate resources and facilities are
14 available for carrying out the changes proposed in
15 legislation, rules, or policies and that rational
16 priorities are established for the use of those resources.
17 To do so, the Commission may prepare statements to the
18 Governor and General Assembly identifying the fiscal and
19 practical effects of proposed legislation, rules, or
20 policy changes. Such statements may include, but are not
21 limited to: the impact on present levels of staffing and
22 resources; a professional opinion on the practical value
23 of the change or changes; the increase or decrease the
24 number of crime laboratories; the increase or decrease the
25 cost of operating crime laboratories; the impact on
26 efficiencies and caseloads; other information, including

1 but not limited to, facts, data, research, and science
2 relevant to the legislation, rule, or policy; the direct
3 or indirect alteration in any process involving or used by
4 crime laboratories of such proposed legislation, rules, or
5 policy changes; an analysis of the impact, either directly
6 or indirectly, on the technology, improvements, or
7 practices of forensic analyses for use in criminal
8 proceedings; together with the direct or indirect impact
9 on headcount, space, equipment, instruments,
10 accreditation, the volume of cases for analysis,
11 scientific controls, and quality assurance.

12 (c) Members. The Commission shall be composed of the
13 Director of the Illinois State Police, or his or her designee,
14 together with the following members appointed for a term of 4
15 years by the Governor with the advice and consent of the
16 Senate:

17 (1) One crime laboratory director or administrator
18 from each publicly funded ISO 17025 accredited forensic
19 laboratory system.

20 (2) One member with experience in the admission of
21 forensic evidence in trials from a statewide association
22 representing prosecutors.

23 (3) One member with experience in the admission of
24 forensic evidence in trials from a statewide association
25 representing criminal defense attorneys.

26 (4) Three forensic scientists with bench work

1 background from various forensic disciplines (e.g., DNA,
2 chemistry, pattern evidence, etc.).

3 (5) One retired circuit court judge or associate
4 circuit court judge with criminal trial experience,
5 including experience in the admission of forensic evidence
6 in trials.

7 (6) One academic specializing in the field of forensic
8 sciences.

9 (7) One or more community representatives (e.g.,
10 victim advocates, innocence project organizations, sexual
11 assault examiners, etc.).

12 (8) One member who is a medical examiner or coroner.

13 The Governor shall designate one of the members of the
14 Commission to serve as the chair of the Commission. Beginning
15 January 1, 2026, the Governor shall designate the chair of the
16 Commission for a 2-year term. The members of the Commission
17 shall elect from their number such other officers as they may
18 determine. Members of the Commission shall serve without
19 compensation, but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses
20 incurred in the performance of their duties from funds
21 appropriated for that purpose.

22 (d) Subcommittees. The Commission may form subcommittees
23 to study specific issues identified under paragraph (3) of
24 subsection (b), including, but not limited to, subcommittees
25 on education and training, procurement, funding and hiring. Ad
26 hoc subcommittees may also be convened to address other

1 issues. Such subcommittees shall meet as needed to complete
2 their work, and shall report their findings back to the
3 Commission. Subcommittees shall include members of the
4 Commission, and may also include non-members such as forensic
5 science stakeholders and subject matter experts.

6 (e) Meetings. The Commission shall meet quarterly, at the
7 call of the chairperson. Facilities for meeting, whether
8 remotely or in person, shall be provided for the Commission by
9 the Illinois State Police.

10 (f) Reporting by publicly funded ISO 17025 accredited
11 forensic laboratories. All State and local publicly funded ISO
12 17025 accredited forensic laboratory systems, including, but
13 not limited to, the DuPage County Forensic Science Center, the
14 Northeastern Illinois Regional Crime Laboratory, and the
15 Illinois State Police, shall annually provide to the
16 Commission a report summarizing its significant
17 non-conformities with the efficient delivery of forensic
18 services and the sound practice of forensic science. The
19 report will identify: each significant non-conformity or
20 deficient method; how the non-conformity or deficient method
21 was detected; the nature and extent of the non-conformity or
22 deficient method; all corrective actions implemented to
23 address the non-conformity or deficient method; and an
24 analysis of the effectiveness of the corrective actions taken.

25 (g) Definition. As used in this Section, "Commission"
26 means the Illinois Forensic Science Commission.

1 (Source: P.A. 102-523, eff. 8-20-21; 103-34, eff. 1-1-24;
2 103-609, eff. 7-1-24.)

3 Section 10. The Illinois State Police Act is amended by
4 changing Section 35, 40, and 45 as follows:

5 (20 ILCS 2610/35)

6 Sec. 35. Officer-worn body cameras; ~~policy; training.~~

7 (a) For the purposes of this Section, "officer-worn body
8 camera" shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 10 of
9 the Law Enforcement Officer-Worn Body Camera Act.

10 (b) If the Illinois State Police employs the use of
11 officer-worn body cameras, the Illinois State Police shall
12 develop a written policy which must include, at a minimum, the
13 guidelines established by the Law Enforcement Officer-Worn
14 Body Camera Act.

15 (c) The Illinois State Police shall provide training to
16 those officers who use ~~utilize~~ officer-worn body cameras.

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

18 (20 ILCS 2610/40)

19 Sec. 40. Administration ~~Training; administration~~ of
20 epinephrine.

21 (a) This Section, along with Section 10.19 of the Illinois
22 Police Training Act, may be referred to as the Annie LeGere
23 Law.

1 (b) For the purposes of this Section, "epinephrine
2 auto-injector" means a single-use device used for the
3 automatic injection of a pre-measured dose of epinephrine into
4 the human body prescribed in the name of the Illinois State
5 Police.

6 (c) The Illinois State Police may conduct or approve a
7 training program for State Police officers to recognize and
8 respond to anaphylaxis, including, but not limited to:

9 (1) how to recognize symptoms of an allergic reaction;

10 (2) how to respond to an emergency involving an
11 allergic reaction;

12 (3) how to administer an epinephrine auto-injector;

13 (4) how to respond to an individual with a known
14 allergy as well as an individual with a previously unknown
15 allergy;

16 (5) a test demonstrating competency of the knowledge
17 required to recognize anaphylaxis and administer an
18 epinephrine auto-injector; and

19 (6) other criteria as determined in rules adopted by
20 the Illinois State Police.

21 (d) The Illinois State Police may authorize a State Police
22 officer who has completed the training program under
23 subsection (c) to carry, administer, or assist with the
24 administration of epinephrine auto-injectors whenever he or
25 she is performing official duties.

26 (e) The Illinois State Police must establish a written

1 policy to control the acquisition, storage, transportation,
2 administration, and disposal of epinephrine auto-injectors
3 before it allows any State Police officer to carry and
4 administer epinephrine auto-injectors.

5 (f) A physician, physician assistant with prescriptive
6 authority, or advanced practice registered nurse with
7 prescriptive authority may provide a standing protocol or
8 prescription for epinephrine auto-injectors in the name of the
9 Illinois State Police to be maintained for use when necessary.

10 (g) When a State Police officer administers an epinephrine
11 auto-injector in good faith, the officer and the Illinois
12 State Police, and its employees and agents, including a
13 physician, physician assistant with prescriptive authority, or
14 advanced practice registered nurse with prescriptive authority
15 who provides a standing order or prescription for an
16 epinephrine auto-injector, incur no civil or professional
17 liability, except for willful and wanton conduct, as a result
18 of any injury or death arising from the use of an epinephrine
19 auto-injector.

20 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21.)

21 (20 ILCS 2610/45)

22 Sec. 45. Compliance with the Health Care Violence
23 Prevention Act, ~~training~~. The Illinois State Police shall
24 comply with the Health Care Violence Prevention Act and shall
25 provide an appropriate level of training for its officers

1 concerning the Health Care Violence Prevention Act.

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

3 Section 15. The Volunteer Firefighting Rescue Unit Use Act
4 is amended by changing Sections 1 and 2 as follows:

5 (20 ILCS 2625/1) (from Ch. 127, par. 289)

6 Sec. 1. As used in this Act, unless the context otherwise
7 requires, the following terms have the following meanings:

8 Rescue unit means a unit of an unpaid volunteer fire
9 fighting organization which is specially trained for emergency
10 rescue work such as resuscitation of heart attack, drowning,
11 suffocation or epilepsy victims, recovery of bodies of
12 drowning victims and similar activities;

13 Troop District means a geographic ~~geographical~~ area
14 designated by the Illinois State Police for administration of
15 laws by the Division of Fire Prevention of the Illinois State
16 Police.

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

18 (20 ILCS 2625/2) (from Ch. 127, par. 290)

19 Sec. 2. The Illinois State Police may request the
20 cooperation and use of facilities of any rescue unit to aid it
21 when engaged in any activity designed to save human life or to
22 recover the body of a victim. Such a request shall be directed
23 to a rescue unit or units located within the district where the

1 rescue work is to be performed. If there is no rescue unit
2 located within the troop ~~district~~ or if there are not
3 sufficient rescue units therein to perform the required work,
4 requests may be directed to rescue units located in other
5 troops ~~districts~~.

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

7 Section 20. The Statewide Organized Gang Database Act is
8 amended by changing Sections 5, 10, and 15 as follows:

9 (20 ILCS 2640/5)

10 Sec. 5. Definitions. As used in this Act:

11 "Director" means the Director of the Illinois State
12 Police.

13 "Organized gang" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section
14 10 of the Illinois Streetgang Terrorism Omnibus Prevention
15 Act.

16 "LEADS" means the Law Enforcement Agencies Data System,
17 which is a statewide communication and processing system that
18 permits law enforcement and criminal justice agencies direct
19 access to centralized data.

20 ~~A "SWORD terminal" is an interactive computerized~~
21 ~~communication and processing unit that permits a direct~~
22 ~~on-line communication with the Illinois State Police's central~~
23 ~~data repository, the Statewide Organized Gang Database~~
24 ~~(SWORD).~~

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

2 (20 ILCS 2640/10)

3 Sec. 10. Duties of the Illinois State Police. The Illinois
4 State Police may:

5 (a) provide a uniform reporting format for the entry of
6 pertinent information regarding the report of an arrested
7 organized gang member or organized gang affiliate into LEADS
8 ~~SWORD~~;

9 (b) notify all law enforcement agencies that reports of
10 arrested organized gang members or organized gang affiliates
11 shall be entered into the database as soon as the minimum level
12 of data specified by the Illinois State Police is available to
13 the reporting agency, and that no waiting period for the entry
14 of that data exists;

15 (c) develop and implement a policy for notifying law
16 enforcement agencies of the emergence of new organized gangs,
17 or the change of a name or other identifying sign by an
18 existing organized gang;

19 (d) compile and retain information regarding organized
20 gangs and their members and affiliates, in a manner that
21 allows the information to be used by law enforcement and other
22 agencies, deemed appropriate by the Director, for
23 investigative purposes;

24 (e) compile and maintain a historic data repository
25 relating to organized gangs and their members and affiliates

1 in order to develop and improve techniques utilized by law
2 enforcement agencies and prosecutors in the investigation,
3 apprehension, and prosecution of members and affiliates of
4 organized gangs;

5 (f) create a quality control program regarding
6 confirmation of organized gang membership and organized gang
7 affiliation data, timeliness and accuracy of information
8 entered into the LEADS gang file ~~SWORD~~, and performance audits
9 of all entering agencies;

10 (g) locate all law enforcement agencies that could, in the
11 opinion of the Director, benefit from access to the LEADS gang
12 file ~~SWORD~~, and notify them of its existence; and

13 (h) cooperate with all law enforcement agencies wishing to
14 gain access to the LEADS ~~SWORD~~ system, and facilitate their
15 entry into the system and their continued maintenance of
16 access to it.

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

18 (20 ILCS 2640/15)

19 Sec. 15. Duties of local law enforcement agencies. Local
20 law enforcement agencies who are members of the LEADS ~~SWORD~~
21 system may:

22 (a) after carrying out any arrest of any individual whom
23 they believe to be a member or affiliate of an organized gang,
24 create or update that individual's electronic file within the
25 LEADS ~~SWORD~~ system; and

1 (b) notify the prosecutor of the accused of the accused
2 individual's gang membership or gang affiliate status.

3 (Source: P.A. 87-932.)

4 Section 25. The Department of Transportation Law of the
5 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing
6 Section 2705-125 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2705/2705-125) (was 20 ILCS 2705/49.22)

8 Sec. 2705-125. Safety inspection of motor vehicles;
9 transfer from various State agencies. The Department has the
10 power to administer, exercise, and enforce the rights, powers,
11 and duties presently vested in the Illinois State Police and
12 the Division of Patrol ~~State Troopers~~ under the Illinois
13 Vehicle Inspection Law, in the Illinois Commerce Commission,
14 in the State Board of Education, and in the Secretary of State
15 under laws relating to the safety inspection of motor vehicles
16 operated by common carriers, of school buses, and of motor
17 vehicles used in the transportation of school children and
18 motor vehicles used in driver exam training schools for hire
19 licensed under Article IV of the Illinois Driver Licensing Law
20 or under any other law relating to the safety inspection of
21 motor vehicles of the second division as defined in the
22 Illinois Vehicle Code.

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

1 Section 30. The Intergovernmental Drug Laws Enforcement
2 Act is amended by changing Section 5.1 as follows:

3 (30 ILCS 715/5.1) (from Ch. 56 1/2, par. 1705.1)

4 Sec. 5.1. The Director may assign the functions and duties
5 created under this Act to be administered by the Illinois
6 State Police, Division of Criminal Investigation.

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

8 Section 35. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by
9 changing Section 5-105 as follows:

10 (625 ILCS 5/5-105) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 5-105)

11 Sec. 5-105. Investigation of licensee required. Every
12 person seeking a license under Chapter 5 of this Act, as part
13 of the application process, authorizes an investigation to
14 determine if the applicant has ever been convicted of a crime
15 and if so, the disposition of those convictions. This
16 authorization shall indicate the scope of the inquiry and the
17 agencies which may be contacted. Upon this authorization the
18 Secretary of State may request and receive information and
19 assistance from any Federal, State or local governmental
20 agency as part of the authorized investigation. The Illinois
21 State Police shall provide information concerning any criminal
22 convictions and their disposition brought against the
23 applicant upon request of the Secretary of State when the

1 request is made in the form and manner required by the Illinois
2 State Police. The information derived from this investigation,
3 including the source of this information, and any conclusions
4 or recommendations derived from this information by the
5 Secretary of State shall be provided to the applicant or his
6 designee. Upon request to the Secretary of State prior to any
7 final action by the Secretary of State on the application, no
8 information obtained from such investigation may be placed in
9 any automated information system. Any criminal convictions and
10 their disposition information obtained by the Secretary of
11 State shall be confidential and may not be transmitted outside
12 the Office of the Secretary of State, except as required
13 herein, and may not be transmitted to anyone within the Office
14 of the Secretary of State except as needed for the purpose of
15 evaluating the application. All criminal convictions and their
16 disposition and information obtained by the Division of
17 Criminal Investigation shall be destroyed no later than 60
18 days after the Division of Criminal Investigation has made a
19 final ruling on the application, and all rights of appeal have
20 expired and pending appeals have been completed. The only
21 physical identity materials which the applicant can be
22 required to provide the Secretary of State are photographs or
23 fingerprints. Only information and standards which bear a
24 reasonable and rational relation to the performance of a
25 licensee shall be used by the Secretary of State. The
26 Secretary of State shall adopt rules and regulations for the

1 administration of this Section. Any employee of the Secretary
2 of State who gives or causes to be given away any confidential
3 information concerning any criminal convictions and their
4 disposition of an applicant shall be guilty of a Class A
5 misdemeanor.

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

7 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January
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5 20 ILCS 2605/2605-51
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