

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

4 Section 5. The Sanitary District Act of 1936 is amended by  
5 adding Section 4.3 as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 2805/4.3 new)

7 Sec. 4.3. Combined waterworks and sewerage system. A  
8 sanitary district may, by ordinance, combine and jointly  
9 operate the district's waterworks and sewerage systems. A  
10 sanitary district operating a combined waterworks and sewerage  
11 system may: (i) improve and extend that system; (ii) impose  
12 rates and collect charges for the use of that system; and (iii)  
13 issue obligations and bonds under the same terms and conditions  
14 that it may issue obligations or bonds for a waterworks system  
15 or for a sewerage system and may pledge revenues from the  
16 combined waterworks and sewerage system in payment of the  
17 obligations or bonds.