

July 3, 2003

To the Honorable Members of the  
Illinois House of Representatives  
93<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 9(d) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby veto and return several appropriation items included in House Bill 2716, entitled "AN ACT making appropriations" having taken the actions set forth below.

This veto message reduces the total appropriation in House Bill 2716 by \$36,372,412, including reduction and item vetoes for substantive programs of \$28,892,000 and a reduction of \$7,480,412 in technical changes for reappropriations based upon the items' June 30, 2003 unspent balances (reducing the reappropriations for actual spending through June 30, 2003).

#### **Item Vetoes**

I hereby veto the following appropriations items:

<i>Article</i>	<i>Section</i>	<i>Page</i>	<i>Line(s)</i>	<i>Amount Enacted</i>
2	95	27	8-11	20,000
2	255	51	32-34	1,000,000
2	255	52	1-6	4,000,000
2	275	57	2-4	50,000
2	275	59	13-15	250,000
2	275	59	16-18	50,000
4	20	77	19-21	51,400
4	40	81	27-30	316,600
4	45	84	25-27	1,000,000

<i>Article</i>	<i>Section</i>	<i>Page</i>	<i>Line(s)</i>	<i>Amount Enacted</i>
4	55	87	21-24	375,000
4	55	87	25-26	100,000
4	105	101	19-23	600,000

**Reduction Vetoes**

I hereby reduce the following appropriation items and approve each item in the amount set forth in the “Reduced Amount” column below:

<i>Article</i>	<i>Section</i>	<i>Page</i>	<i>Line(s)</i>	<i>Amount Enacted</i>	<i>Reduced Amount</i>
1	10	5	24-25	2,258,373,200	2,256,723,200
2	5	12	18-19	6,150,000	5,150,000
2	30	15	33	<i>and</i>	
2	30	16	1	182,500	180,500
2	70	23	6-7	5,090,300	5,034,200
2	95	25	18-22	3,000,000	2,966,900
2	95	25	23-25	9,460,600	9,356,400
2	95	25	26-29	44,426,200	35,226,200
2	95	25	30-31	3,500,000	1,750,000
2	95	26	3	5,000,000	4,944,900
2	95	26	6-7	10,020,700	9,910,300
2	95	26	11	23,872,000	23,609,000
2	95	26	19-21	10,844,400	10,724,900
2	100	28	13-16	2,000,000	1,864,300
2	130	32	18-19	43,300	42,800
2	145	35	3-9	17,000,000	9,519,588
2	160	36	20-22	387,900	383,600
2	175	40	8-9	40,000	39,600
2	195	43	2-3	150,000	148,300
2	230	47	26-27	153,800	152,100
2	255	50	23-24	4,816,900	3,616,900
2	275	56	31-33	21,759,200	21,279,700

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<i>Article</i>	<i>Section</i>	<i>Page</i>	<i>Line(s)</i>	<i>Amount Enacted</i>	<i>Reduced Amount</i>
2	275	57	1	19,925,900	19,374,000
2	275	57	5-6	7,698,300	7,399,000
2	285	60	27-28	3,500,000	3,403,000
2	285	60	29-30	13,699,700	13,320,200
2	285	60	31-32	3,187,900	3,099,600
2	285	61	1	4,776,600	4,276,600
2	285	61	3	1,634,200	1,588,900
4	70	90	4-5	700,000	230,000
4	75	92	10-11	1,212,100	1,000,100
4	80	95	14	437,900	207,400
4	80	95	15-16	3,000,000	2,000,000
4	85	96	7-8	4,410,700	3,372,700

In addition to these specific item and reduction vetoes, I hereby approve all other appropriation items in House Bill 2716.

Sincerely,

ROD R. BLAGOJEVICH  
Governor