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AN ACT concerning unemployment insurance.

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

Section 5. The Unemployment Insurance Act is amended by
changing Section 611 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 405/611) (from Ch. 48, par. 441)

Sec. 611. Retirement pay. A. For the purposes of this8 Section "disqualifying income" means:

The entire amount which an individual has received or 9 1. 10 will receive with respect to a week in the form of a retirement payment (a) from an individual or organization (i) 11 12 for which he performed services during his base period or 13 which is liable for benefit charges or payments in lieu of contributions as a result of the payment of benefits to such 14 15 individual and (ii) which pays all of the cost of such retirement payment, or (b) from a trust, annuity or insurance 16 fund or under an annuity or insurance contract, to or under 17 18 which an individual or organization for which he performed 19 services during his base period or which is liable for 20 benefit charges or payments in lieu of contributions as a result of the payment of benefits to such individual pays or 21 22 has paid all of the premiums or contributions; and

2. One-half the amount which an individual has received 23 will receive with respect to a week in the form of a 24 or retirement payment (a) from an individual or organization (i) 25 26 for which he performed services during his base period or 27 which is liable for benefit charges or payments in lieu of contributions as a result of the payment of benefits to such 28 individual and (ii) which pays some, but not all, of the cost 29 of such retirement payment, or (b) from a trust, annuity or 30 31 insurance fund (including-primary-social-security-old-age-and

1 disability-retirement--benefits,--including--those--based--on 2 self-employment) or under an annuity or insurance contract, to or under which an individual or organization for which he 3 4 performed services during his base period or which is liable 5 for benefit charges or payments in lieu of contributions as a result of the payment of benefits to such individual pays or 6 7 has paid some, but not all, of the premiums or contributions. 8 2.1. Notwithstanding paragraphs 1 and 2 above, because 9 the individual contributed to the cost of the benefits, none 10 of the amount which an individual has received or will 11 receive with respect to a week in the form of primary social 12 security old age and disability retirement benefits, 13 including those based on self-employment, shall constitute 14 disqualifying income.

15 3. Notwithstanding paragraphs paragraph 1, 2 and 2.1 2 16 above, the entire amount which an individual has received or 17 will receive, with respect to any week which begins after March 31, 1980, of any governmental or other pension, 18 19 retirement, or retired pay, annuity or any other similar periodic payment which is based on any previous work of such 20 21 individual during his base period or which is liable for 22 benefit charges or payments in lieu of contributions as a 23 result of the payment of benefits to such individual. This paragraph shall be in effect only if it is required as a 24 25 condition for full tax credit against the tax imposed by the Federal Unemployment Tax Act. 26

Whenever an individual has received or will receive a 27 Β. retirement payment for a month, an amount shall be deemed to 28 29 have been paid him for each day equal to one-thirtieth of 30 such retirement payment. If the retirement payment is for a half-month, an amount shall be deemed to have been paid the 31 32 individual for each day equal to one-fifteenth of such 33 retirement payment. If the retirement payment is for any 34 other period, an amount shall be deemed to have been paid the

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1 individual for each day in such period equal to the 2 retirement payment divided by the number of days in the 3 period.

C. An individual shall be ineligible for benefits for any week with respect to which his disqualifying income equals or exceeds his weekly benefit amount. If such disqualifying income with respect to a week totals less than the benefits for which he would otherwise be eligible under this Act, he shall be paid, with respect to such week, benefits reduced by the amount of such disqualifying income.

To assure full tax credit to the employers of this 11 D. State against the tax imposed by the Federal Unemployment Tax 12 Act, the Director shall take any action as may be necessary 13 in the administration of paragraph 3 of subsection A of this 14 Section to insure that the application of its provisions 15 16 conform to the requirements of such Federal Act as interpreted by the United States Secretary of Labor or other 17 18 appropriate Federal agency.

19 (Source: P.A. 86-3.)