

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2003 and 2004 HB4504

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

730 ILCS 150/4 730 ILCS 150/5 from Ch. 38, par. 224 from Ch. 38, par. 225

Amends the Sex Offender Registration Act. Provides that the Department of Corrections, or the court in the case of release of the sex offender or sexual predator on probation or release of the sex offender or sexual predator upon payment of a fine, shall contact the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction where the sex offender or sexual predator has designated his or her residence upon release to verify that the sex offender or sexual predator has complied with the requirements of registration under the Act. Provides that if the sex offender or sexual predator fails to register as required by the Act, a warrant shall be issued for the sex offender's or sexual predator's arrest.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

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1 AN ACT in relation to sex offenders.

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

- Section 5. The Sex Offender Registration Act is amended by changing Sections 4 and 5 as follows:
- 6 (730 ILCS 150/4) (from Ch. 38, par. 224)
- Sec. 4. Discharge of sex offender, as defined in Section 2 8 of this Act, or sexual predator from Department of Corrections 9 facility or other penal institution; duties of official in 10 charge.
- (a) Any sex offender, as defined in Section 2 of this Act, 11 or sexual predator, as defined by this Article, who is 12 13 discharged, paroled or released from a Department 14 Corrections facility, a facility where such person was placed 15 by the Department of Corrections or another penal institution, and whose liability for registration has not terminated under 16 17 Section 7 shall, prior to discharge, parole or release from the facility or institution, be informed of his or her duty to 18 19 register in person within 10 days under this Article by the 20 facility or institution in which he or she was confined. The facility or institution shall also inform any person who must 21 22 register that if he or she establishes a residence outside of 23 the State of Illinois, is employed outside of the State of Illinois, or attends school outside of the State of Illinois, 24 25 he or she must register in the new state within 10 days after establishing the residence, beginning employment, or beginning 26 school. 27
 - The facility shall require the person to read and sign such form as may be required by the Department of State Police stating that the duty to register and the procedure for registration has been explained to him or her and that he or she understands the duty to register and the procedure for

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1 registration. The facility shall further advise the person in 2 writing that the failure to register or other violation of this 3 Article shall result in revocation of parole, mandatory supervised release or conditional release. The facility shall 4 5 obtain information about where the person expects to reside, 6 work, and attend school upon his or her discharge, parole or release and shall report the information to the Department of 7 State Police. The facility shall give one copy of the form to 8 9 the person and shall send one copy to each of the law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction where the person 10 11 expects to reside, work, and attend school upon his or her 12 discharge, parole or release and retain one copy for the files. 13 Electronic data files which includes all notification form information and photographs of sex offenders being released 14 from an Illinois Department of Corrections facility will be 15 16 shared on a regular basis as determined between the Department 17 of State Police and the Department of Corrections.

(b) Within 15 days of release, the Department of Corrections shall contact the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction where the sex offender or sexual predator has designated his or her residence upon release to verify that the sex offender or sexual predator has complied with the requirements of registration under this Act. If the sex offender or sexual predator fails to register as required by this Act, a warrant shall be issued for the sex offender's or sexual predator's arrest.

27 (Source: P.A. 91-48, eff. 7-1-99; 92-828, eff. 8-22-02.)

28 (730 ILCS 150/5) (from Ch. 38, par. 225)

Sec. 5. Release of sex offender, as defined in Section 2 of this Act, or sexual predator; duties of the Court.

(a) Any sex offender, as defined in Section 2 of this Act, or sexual predator, as defined by this Article, who is released on probation or discharged upon payment of a fine because of the commission of one of the offenses defined in subsection (B) of Section 2 of this Article, shall, prior to such release be

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informed of his or her duty to register under this Article by the Court in which he or she was convicted. The Court shall also inform any person who must register that if he or she establishes a residence outside of the State of Illinois, is employed outside of the State of Illinois, or attends school outside of the State of Illinois, he or she must register in the new state within 10 days after establishing the residence, beginning employment, or beginning school. The Court shall require the person to read and sign such form as may be required by the Department of State Police stating that the duty to register and the procedure for registration has been explained to him or her and that he or she understands the duty to register and the procedure for registration. The Court shall further advise the person in writing that the failure to register or other violation of this Article shall result in probation revocation. The Court shall obtain information about where the person expects to reside, work, and attend school upon his or her release, and shall report the information to the Department of State Police. The Court shall give one copy of the form to the person and retain the original in the court records. The Department of State Police shall notify the law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction where the person expects to reside, work and attend school upon his or her release.

(b) Within 15 days of release, the court shall contact the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction where the sex offender or sexual predator has designated his or her residence upon release to verify that the sex offender or sexual predator has complied with the requirements of registration under this Act. If the sex offender or sexual predator fails to register as required by this Act, a warrant shall be issued for the sex offender's or sexual predator's arrest.

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