

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2003 and 2004 HB7274

Introduced 2/26/2004, by Rep. Linda Chapa LaVia

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

50 ILCS 750/4.5 new

Amends the Emergency Telephone System Act. Requires the Illinois Commerce Commission to establish the minimum number of answering positions required for each primary public safety answering point (PSAP) using a formula that takes into account the population of the county or municipality served by the PSAP and the volume of calls actually received by the PSAP.

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1 AN ACT concerning emergency telephone systems.

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

- Section 5. The Emergency Telephone System Act is amended by adding Section 4.5 as follows:
- 6 (50 ILCS 750/4.5 new)
- 7 Sec. 4.5. Answering positions; minimum number required.
- 8 (a) For purposes of this Section, "PSAP" or "Public Safety
- 9 Answering Point" means the initial answering location of a 911
- 10 <u>call.</u>
- 11 (b) The minimum number of answering positions required for
- each public safety answering point shall be established by the
- Commission using a formula that takes into account (i) the
- 14 population of the county or municipality served by the PSAP and
- 15 (ii) the volume of calls actually received by the PSAP.