

1 AN ACT concerning minorities and women in the workforce.

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

4 Section 5. The Department of Labor Law of the Civil
5 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by adding Section
6 1505-170 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 1505/1505-170 new)

8 Sec. 1505-170. Apprenticeship study. The Department
9 shall conduct a study to determine the causes of and remedies
10 for any barriers that minorities and women face in gaining
11 access to labor union apprenticeship programs in the State.
12 The Department shall report the results of the study to the
13 Governor and General Assembly no later than Labor Day in
14 2004. This Section is repealed on January 1, 2005.

15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
16 becoming law.