

## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 SB1454

Introduced 2/18/2009, by Sen. Bill Brady

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

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Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Requires members of the board of the 5 State-funded retirement systems and members of the Illinois State Board of Investment to file statements of economic interests. Amends the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act. Includes any appointed or elected commissioner, trustee, director, or board member of a board of a State agency, including the board of trustees of a State-funded retirement system to the definition of "employee" under the Act. Amends the Illinois Procurement Code to include all applicable procurements made by the State-funded retirement system. Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Makes changes with respect to consultants and fiduciaries and prohibits certain activities relating to the State retirement systems and the Illinois State Board of Investment. Adds provisions concerning lobbying, conflicts of interests, disclosures, and investment transparency. Makes other changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

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CORRECTIONAL
BUDGET AND
IMPACT NOTE ACT
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PENSION IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY STATE MANDATES ACT MAY REQUIRE REIMBURSEMENT 1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Governmental Ethics Act is amended by changing Sections 4A-101, 4A-102, 4A-106, and 4A-107 as
- 6 follows:

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- 7 (5 ILCS 420/4A-101) (from Ch. 127, par. 604A-101)
- 8 Sec. 4A-101. Persons required to file. The following
- 9 persons shall file verified written statements of economic
- 10 interests, as provided in this Article:
- 11 (a) Members of the General Assembly and candidates for 12 nomination or election to the General Assembly.
- 13 (b) Persons holding an elected office in the Executive
  14 Branch of this State, and candidates for nomination or
  15 election to these offices.
  - (c) Members of a Commission or Board created by the Illinois Constitution, and candidates for nomination or election to such Commission or Board.
  - (d) Persons whose appointment to office is subject to confirmation by the Senate.
- (e) Holders of, and candidates for nomination or election to, the office of judge or associate judge of the Circuit Court and the office of judge of the Appellate or

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- (f) Persons who are employed by any branch, agency, authority or board of the government of this State, including but not limited to, the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority, the Illinois Housing Development Authority, the Illinois Community College Board, and institutions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University, Board of Trustees of Chicago State University, Board of Trustees of Eastern Illinois University, Board of Trustees of Governor's State University, Board of Trustees of Illinois State University, Board of Trustees of Northeastern Illinois University, Board of Trustees of Northern University, Board of Trustees of Western Illinois University, or Board of Trustees of the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy, and are compensated for services as employees and not as independent contractors and who:
  - (1) are, or function as, the head of a department, commission, board, division, bureau, authority or other administrative unit within the government of this State, or who exercise similar authority within the government of this State;
  - (2) have direct supervisory authority over, or direct responsibility for the formulation,

1	negotiation, issuance or execution of contracts
2	entered into by the State in the amount of \$5,000 or
3	more;
4	(3) have authority for the issuance or
5	promulgation of rules and regulations within areas
6	under the authority of the State;
7	(4) have authority for the approval of
8	professional licenses;
9	(5) have responsibility with respect to the
10	financial inspection of regulated nongovernmental
11	entities;
12	(6) adjudicate, arbitrate, or decide any judicial
13	or administrative proceeding, or review the
14	adjudication, arbitration or decision of any judicial
15	or administrative proceeding within the authority of
16	the State;
17	(7) have supervisory responsibility for 20 or more
18	employees of the State; or
19	(8) negotiate, assign, authorize, or grant naming
20	rights or sponsorship rights regarding any property or
21	asset of the State, whether real, personal, tangible,
22	or intangible.
23	(g) Persons who are elected to office in a unit of
24	local government, and candidates for nomination or
25	election to that office, including regional

superintendents of school districts.

- (h) Persons appointed to the governing board of a unit of local government, or of a special district, and persons appointed to a zoning board, or zoning board of appeals, or to a regional, county, or municipal plan commission, or to a board of review of any county, and persons appointed to the Board of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority and any Trustee appointed under Section 22 of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Act, and persons appointed to a board or commission of a unit of local government who have authority to authorize the expenditure of public funds. This subsection does not apply to members of boards or commissions who function in an advisory capacity.
- (i) Persons who are employed by a unit of local government and are compensated for services as employees and not as independent contractors and who:
  - (1) are, or function as, the head of a department, division, bureau, authority or other administrative unit within the unit of local government, or who exercise similar authority within the unit of local government;
  - (2) have direct supervisory authority over, or direct responsibility for the formulation, negotiation, issuance or execution of contracts entered into by the unit of local government in the amount of \$1,000 or greater;

1	(3) have authority to approve licenses and permits
2	by the unit of local government; this item does not
3	include employees who function in a ministerial
4	capacity;
5	(4) adjudicate, arbitrate, or decide any judicial
6	or administrative proceeding, or review the
7	adjudication, arbitration or decision of any judicial
8	or administrative proceeding within the authority of
9	the unit of local government;
10	(5) have authority to issue or promulgate rules and
11	regulations within areas under the authority of the
12	unit of local government; or
13	(6) have supervisory responsibility for 20 or more
14	employees of the unit of local government.
15	(j) Persons on the Board of Trustees of the Illinois
16	Mathematics and Science Academy.
17	(k) Persons employed by a school district in positions
18	that require that person to hold an administrative or a
19	chief school business official endorsement.

(1) Special government agents. A "special government agent" is a person who is directed, retained, designated, appointed, or employed, with or without compensation, by or on behalf of a statewide executive branch constitutional officer to make an ex parte communication under Section 5-50 of the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act or Section 5-165 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure

- 1 Act.
- 2 (m) Members of the board of commissioners of any flood
- 3 prevention district.
- 4 (n) Members of the board of any pension fund or
- 5 retirement system established under Article 2, 14, 15, 16,
- or 18 of the Illinois Pension Code and members of the
- 7 Illinois State Board of Investment, if not required to file
- 8 under any other provision of this Section.
- 9 This Section shall not be construed to prevent any unit of
- 10 local government from enacting financial disclosure
- 11 requirements that mandate more information than required by
- 12 this Act.
- 13 (Source: P.A. 95-719, eff. 5-21-08.)
- 14 (5 ILCS 420/4A-102) (from Ch. 127, par. 604A-102)
- 15 Sec. 4A-102. The statement of economic interests required
- 16 by this Article shall include the economic interests of the
- 17 person making the statement as provided in this Section. The
- 18 interest (if constructively controlled by the person making the
- 19 statement) of a spouse or any other party, shall be considered
- 20 to be the same as the interest of the person making the
- 21 statement. Campaign receipts shall not be included in this
- 22 statement.
- 23 (a) The following interests shall be listed by all persons
- 24 required to file:
- 25 (1) The name, address and type of practice of any

professional organization or individual professional practice in which the person making the statement was an officer, director, associate, partner or proprietor, or served in any advisory capacity, from which income in excess of \$1200 was derived during the preceding calendar year;

- (2) The nature of professional services (other than services rendered to the unit or units of government in relation to which the person is required to file) and the nature of the entity to which they were rendered if fees exceeding \$5,000 were received during the preceding calendar year from the entity for professional services rendered by the person making the statement.
- (3) The identity (including the address or legal description of real estate) of any capital asset from which a capital gain of \$5,000 or more was realized in the preceding calendar year.
- (4) The name of any unit of government which has employed the person making the statement during the preceding calendar year other than the unit or units of government in relation to which the person is required to file.
- (5) The name of any entity from which a gift or gifts, or honorarium or honoraria, valued singly or in the aggregate in excess of \$500, was received during the preceding calendar year.

- (b) The following interests shall also be listed by persons listed in items (a) through (f), and item (l), and item (n) of Section 4A-101:
  - (1) The name and instrument of ownership in any entity doing business in the State of Illinois, in which an ownership interest held by the person at the date of filing is in excess of \$5,000 fair market value or from which dividends of in excess of \$1,200 were derived during the preceding calendar year. (In the case of real estate, location thereof shall be listed by street address, or if none, then by legal description). No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed:
  - (2) Except for professional service entities, the name of any entity and any position held therein from which income of in excess of \$1,200 was derived during the preceding calendar year, if the entity does business in the State of Illinois. No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
  - (3) The identity of any compensated lobbyist with whom the person making the statement maintains a close economic association, including the name of the lobbyist and specifying the legislative matter or matters which are the object of the lobbying activity, and describing the general type of economic activity of the client or principal on whose behalf that person is lobbying.

- (c) The following interests shall also be listed by persons listed in items (g), (h), and (i) of Section 4A-101:
  - (1) The name and instrument of ownership in any entity doing business with a unit of local government in relation to which the person is required to file if the ownership interest of the person filing is greater than \$5,000 fair market value as of the date of filing or if dividends in excess of \$1,200 were received from the entity during the preceding calendar year. (In the case of real estate, location thereof shall be listed by street address, or if none, then by legal description). No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
  - (2) Except for professional service entities, the name of any entity and any position held therein from which income in excess of \$1,200 was derived during the preceding calendar year if the entity does business with a unit of local government in relation to which the person is required to file. No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
  - (3) The name of any entity and the nature of the governmental action requested by any entity which has applied to a unit of local government in relation to which the person must file for any license, franchise or permit for annexation, zoning or rezoning of real estate during the preceding calendar year if the ownership interest of

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the person filing is in excess of \$5,000 fair market value at the time of filing or if income or dividends in excess of \$1,200 were received by the person filing from the entity during the preceding calendar year.

5 (Source: P.A. 92-101, eff. 1-1-02; 93-617, eff. 12-9-03.)

6 (5 ILCS 420/4A-106) (from Ch. 127, par. 604A-106)

Sec. 4A-106. The statements of economic interests required of persons listed in items (a) through (f), item (j), and item (1), and item (n) of Section 4A-101 shall be filed with the Secretary of State. The statements of economic interests required of persons listed in items (g), (h), (i), and (k) of Section 4A-101 shall be filed with the county clerk of the county in which the principal office of the unit of local government with which the person is associated is located. If it is not apparent which county the principal office of a unit of local government is located, the chief administrative officer, or his or her designee, has the authority, for purposes of this Act, to determine the county in which the principal office is located. On or before February 1 annually, (1) the chief administrative officer of any State agency in the executive, legislative, or judicial branch employing persons required to file under item (f) or item (l) of Section 4A-101 and the chief administrative officer of a board described in item (n) of Section 4A-101 shall certify to the Secretary of State the names and mailing addresses of those persons required

to file under those items, and (2) the chief administrative officer, or his or her designee, of each unit of local government with persons described in items (h), (i), and (k) of Section 4A-101 shall certify to the appropriate county clerk a list of names and addresses of persons described in items (h), (i), and (k) of Section 4A-101 that are required to file. In preparing the lists, each chief administrative officer, or his or her designee, shall set out the names in alphabetical order.

On or before April 1 annually, the Secretary of State shall notify (1) all persons whose names have been certified to him under items (f), and (l), and (n) of Section 4A-101, and (2) all persons described in items (a) through (e) and item (j) of Section 4A-101, other than candidates for office who have filed their statements with their nominating petitions, of the requirements for filing statements of economic interests. A person required to file with the Secretary of State by virtue of more than one item among items (a) through (f) and items (j), and (l), and (n) shall be notified of and is required to file only one statement of economic interests relating to all items under which the person is required to file with the Secretary of State.

On or before April 1 annually, the county clerk of each county shall notify all persons whose names have been certified to him under items (g), (h), (i), and (k) of Section 4A-101, other than candidates for office who have filed their statements with their nominating petitions, of the

requirements for filing statements of economic interests. A
person required to file with a county clerk by virtue of more
than one item among items (g), (h), (i), and (k) shall be
notified of and is required to file only one statement of
economic interests relating to all items under which the person
is required to file with that county clerk.

Except as provided in Section 4A-106.1, the notices provided for in this Section shall be in writing and deposited in the U.S. Mail, properly addressed, first class postage prepaid, on or before the day required by this Section for the sending of the notice. A certificate executed by the Secretary of State or county clerk attesting that he has mailed the notice constitutes prima facie evidence thereof.

From the lists certified to him under this Section of persons described in items (g), (h), (i), and (k) of Section 4A-101, the clerk of each county shall compile an alphabetical listing of persons required to file statements of economic interests in his office under any of those items. As the statements are filed in his office, the county clerk shall cause the fact of that filing to be indicated on the alphabetical listing of persons who are required to file statements. Within 30 days after the due dates, the county clerk shall mail to the State Board of Elections a true copy of that listing showing those who have filed statements.

The county clerk of each county shall note upon the alphabetical listing the names of all persons required to file

a statement of economic interests who failed to file a statement on or before May 1. It shall be the duty of the several county clerks to give notice as provided in Section 4 AA-105 to any person who has failed to file his or her statement with the clerk on or before May 1.

Any person who files or has filed a statement of economic interest under this Act is entitled to receive from the Secretary of State or county clerk, as the case may be, a receipt indicating that the person has filed such a statement, the date of such filing, and the identity of the governmental unit or units in relation to which the filing is required.

The Secretary of State may employ such employees and consultants as he considers necessary to carry out his duties hereunder, and may prescribe their duties, fix their compensation, and provide for reimbursement of their expenses.

All statements of economic interests filed under this Section shall be available for examination and copying by the public at all reasonable times. Not later than 12 months after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 93rd General Assembly, beginning with statements filed in calendar year 2004, the Secretary of State shall make statements of economic interests filed with the Secretary available for inspection and copying via the Secretary's website.

24 (Source: P.A. 93-617, eff. 12-9-03; 94-603, eff. 8-16-05.)

Sec. 4A-107. Any person required to file a statement of economic interests under this Article who willfully files a false or incomplete statement shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

Failure to file a statement within the time prescribed shall result in ineligibility for, or forfeiture of, office or position of employment, as the case may be; provided, however, that if the notice of failure to file a statement of economic interests provided in Section 4A-105 of this Act is not given by the Secretary of State or the county clerk, as the case may be, no forfeiture shall result if a statement is filed within 30 days of actual notice of the failure to file.

The Attorney General, with respect to offices or positions described in items (a) through (f) and items (j), and (l), and (m) of Section 4A-101 of this Act, or the State's Attorney of the county of the entity for which the filing of statements of economic interests is required, with respect to offices or positions described in items (g) through (i) and item (k) of Section 4A-101 of this Act, shall bring an action in quo warranto against any person who has failed to file by either May 31 or June 30 of any given year.

22 (Source: P.A. 93-617, eff. 12-9-03.)

Section 10. The State Officials and Employees Ethics Act is amended by changing Section 1-5 as follows:

- 1 (5 ILCS 430/1-5)
- 2 Sec. 1-5. Definitions. As used in this Act:
- "Appointee" means a person appointed to a position in or with a State agency, regardless of whether the position is compensated.

"Campaign for elective office" means any activity in furtherance of an effort to influence the selection, nomination, election, or appointment of any individual to any federal, State, or local public office or office in a political organization, or the selection, nomination, or election of Presidential or Vice-Presidential electors, but does not include activities (i) relating to the support or opposition of any executive, legislative, or administrative action (as those terms are defined in Section 2 of the Lobbyist Registration Act), (ii) relating to collective bargaining, or (iii) that are otherwise in furtherance of the person's official State duties.

"Candidate" means a person who has filed nominating papers or petitions for nomination or election to an elected State office, or who has been appointed to fill a vacancy in nomination, and who remains eligible for placement on the ballot at either a general primary election or general election.

"Collective bargaining" has the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 3 of the Illinois Public Labor Relations

Act.

26 "Commission" means an ethics commission created by this

- Act. 1
- 2 "Compensated time" means any time worked by or credited to
- 3 a State employee that counts toward any minimum work time
- requirement imposed as a condition of employment with a State 4
- 5 agency, but does not include any designated State holidays or
- any period when the employee is on a leave of absence. 6
- 7 "Compensatory time off" means authorized time off earned by
- 8 or awarded to a State employee to compensate in whole or in
- 9 part for time worked in excess of the minimum work time
- 10 required of that employee as a condition of employment with a
- 11 State agency.
- "Contribution" has the same meaning as that term is defined 12
- 13 in Section 9-1.4 of the Election Code.
- 14 "Employee" means (i) any person employed full-time,
- 15 part-time, or pursuant to a contract and whose employment
- 16 duties are subject to the direction and control of an employer
- 17 with regard to the material details of how the work is to be
- performed, or (ii) any appointed or elected commissioner, 18
- 19 trustee, director, or board member of a board of a State
- agency, including the board of trustees of a retirement system 20
- established under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of the Illinois 21
- 22 Pension Code, or (iii) any other appointee.
- 23 "Executive branch constitutional officer" means
- Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of 24
- 25 State, Comptroller, and Treasurer.
- 26 "Gift" means any gratuity, discount, entertainment,

- 1 hospitality, loan, forbearance, or other tangible or
- 2 intangible item having monetary value including, but not
- 3 limited to, cash, food and drink, and honoraria for speaking
- 4 engagements related to or attributable to government
- 5 employment or the official position of an employee, member, or
- 6 officer.
- 7 "Governmental entity" means a unit of local government
- 8 (including a community college district) or a school district
- 9 but not a State agency.
- "Leave of absence" means any period during which a State
- 11 employee does not receive (i) compensation for State
- 12 employment, (ii) service credit towards State pension
- benefits, and (iii) health insurance benefits paid for by the
- 14 State.
- "Legislative branch constitutional officer" means a member
- of the General Assembly and the Auditor General.
- "Legislative leader" means the President and Minority
- 18 Leader of the Senate and the Speaker and Minority Leader of the
- 19 House of Representatives.
- 20 "Member" means a member of the General Assembly.
- "Officer" means an executive branch constitutional officer
- or a legislative branch constitutional officer.
- "Political" means any activity in support of or ir
- 24 connection with any campaign for elective office or any
- 25 political organization, but does not include activities (i)
- 26 relating to the support or opposition of any executive,

- legislative, or administrative action (as those terms are defined in Section 2 of the Lobbyist Registration Act), (ii) relating to collective bargaining, or (iii) that are otherwise in furtherance of the person's official State duties or governmental and public service functions.
  - "Political organization" means a party, committee, association, fund, or other organization (whether or not incorporated) that is required to file a statement of organization with the State Board of Elections or a county clerk under Section 9-3 of the Election Code, but only with regard to those activities that require filing with the State Board of Elections or a county clerk.

"Prohibited political activity" means:

- (1) Preparing for, organizing, or participating in any political meeting, political rally, political demonstration, or other political event.
- (2) Soliciting contributions, including but not limited to the purchase of, selling, distributing, or receiving payment for tickets for any political fundraiser, political meeting, or other political event.
- (3) Soliciting, planning the solicitation of, or preparing any document or report regarding any thing of value intended as a campaign contribution.
- (4) Planning, conducting, or participating in a public opinion poll in connection with a campaign for elective office or on behalf of a political organization for

political purposes or for or against any referendum question.

- (5) Surveying or gathering information from potential or actual voters in an election to determine probable vote outcome in connection with a campaign for elective office or on behalf of a political organization for political purposes or for or against any referendum question.
- (6) Assisting at the polls on election day on behalf of any political organization or candidate for elective office or for or against any referendum question.
- (7) Soliciting votes on behalf of a candidate for elective office or a political organization or for or against any referendum question or helping in an effort to get voters to the polls.
- (8) Initiating for circulation, preparing, circulating, reviewing, or filing any petition on behalf of a candidate for elective office or for or against any referendum question.
- (9) Making contributions on behalf of any candidate for elective office in that capacity or in connection with a campaign for elective office.
- (10) Preparing or reviewing responses to candidate questionnaires in connection with a campaign for elective office or on behalf of a political organization for political purposes.
  - (11) Distributing, preparing for distribution, or

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- (12) Campaigning for any elective office or for or against any referendum question.
- (13) Managing or working on a campaign for elective office or for or against any referendum question.
- (14) Serving as a delegate, alternate, or proxy to a political party convention.
- (15) Participating in any recount or challenge to the outcome of any election, except to the extent that under subsection (d) of Section 6 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution each house of the General Assembly shall judge the elections, returns, and qualifications of its members.

  "Prohibited source" means any person or entity who:
- (1) is seeking official action (i) by the member or officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, by the employee or by the member, officer, State agency, or other employee directing the employee;
- (2) does business or seeks to do business (i) with the member or officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, with the employee or with the member, officer, State agency, or other employee directing the employee;
- (3) conducts activities regulated (i) by the member or officer or (ii) in the case of an employee, by the employee or by the member, officer, State agency, or other employee

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directing the employee;

- (4) has interests that may be substantially affected by the performance or non-performance of the official duties of the member, officer, or employee; or
- (5) is registered or required to be registered with the Secretary of State under the Lobbyist Registration Act, except that an entity not otherwise a prohibited source does not become a prohibited source merely because a registered lobbyist is one of its members or serves on its board of directors.

"State agency" includes all officers, boards, commissions and agencies created by the Constitution, whether in the executive or legislative branch; all officers, departments, boards, commissions, agencies, institutions, authorities, public institutions of higher learning as defined in Section 2 of the Higher Education Cooperation Act (except community colleges), and bodies politic and corporate of the State; and administrative units or corporate outgrowths of the State government which are created by or pursuant to statute, other than units of local government (including community college districts) and their officers, school districts, and boards of election commissioners; and all administrative units and corporate outgrowths of the above and as may be created by executive order of the Governor. "State agency" includes the General Assembly, the Senate, the House of Representatives, the President and Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker and

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3	agencies.	"State	agency	" incl	udes	the	Office	of	the	Auditor

General. "State agency" does not include the judicial branch.

"Ultimate jurisdictional authority" means the following:

"State employee" means any employee of a State agency.

- (1) For members, legislative partisan staff, and legislative secretaries, the appropriate legislative leader: President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, or Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.
- (2) For State employees who are professional staff or employees of the Senate and not covered under item (1), the Senate Operations Commission.
- (3) For State employees who are professional staff or employees of the House of Representatives and not covered under item (1), the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- (4) For State employees who are employees of the legislative support services agencies, the Joint Committee on Legislative Support Services.
- (5) For State employees of the Auditor General, the Auditor General.
- (6) For State employees of public institutions of higher learning as defined in Section 2 of the Higher Education Cooperation Act (except community colleges), the

- board of trustees of the appropriate public institution of
  higher learning.
- (7) For State employees of an executive branch constitutional officer other than those described in paragraph (6), the appropriate executive branch constitutional officer.
- 7 (8) For State employees not under the jurisdiction of 8 paragraph (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), or (7), the 9 Governor.
- 10 (Source: P.A. 95-880, eff. 8-19-08.)
- Section 15. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by changing Sections 1-15.15, 1-15.100, 15-25, and 20-10, and by adding Section 50-38 as follows:
- 14 (30 ILCS 500/1-15.15)
- 15 Sec. 1-15.15. Chief Procurement Officer. "Chief
  16 Procurement Officer" means:
- 17 (1) for procurements for construction and 18 construction-related services committed by law to the 19 jurisdiction or responsibility of the Capital Development 20 Board, the executive director of the Capital Development Board.
- 21 (2) for procurements for all construction, 22 construction-related services, operation of any facility, and 23 the provision of any service or activity committed by law to 24 the jurisdiction or responsibility of the Illinois Department

- 1 of Transportation, including the direct or reimbursable
- 2 expenditure of all federal funds for which the Department of
- 3 Transportation is responsible or accountable for the use
- 4 thereof in accordance with federal law, regulation, or
- 5 procedure, the Secretary of Transportation.
- 6 (3) for all procurements made by a public institution of
- 7 higher education, a representative designated by the Governor.
- 8 (4) for all procurements made by the Illinois Power Agency,
- 9 the Director of the Illinois Power Agency.
- 10 (5) for all applicable procurements made by a retirement
- 11 system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of the
- 12 Illinois Pension Code or an investment board created under
- 13 Article 22A of the Illinois Pension Code, a representative
- designated by the board of trustees of that retirement system
- or by the Illinois State Board of Investment, as the case may
- 16 be.
- 17  $\underline{(6)}$  for all other procurements, the Director of the
- 18 Department of Central Management Services.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 95-481, eff. 8-28-07.)
- 20 (30 ILCS 500/1-15.100)
- Sec. 1-15.100. State agency. "State agency" means and
- 22 includes all boards, commissions, agencies, institutions,
- 23 authorities, and bodies politic and corporate of the State,
- created by or in accordance with the constitution or statute,
- of the executive branch of State government and does include

universities, and 1 colleges, institutions under the 2 jurisdiction of the governing boards of the University of 3 Illinois, Southern Illinois University, Illinois 4 University, Eastern Illinois University, Northern Illinois 5 University, Western Illinois University, Chicago 6 University, Governor State University, Northeastern Illinois 7 University, and the Board of Higher Education. However, this 8 term applies does not apply to public employee retirement 9 systems established under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, and 18 of the 10 Illinois Pension Code or investment boards that are subject to 11 fiduciary duties imposed by the Illinois Pension Code only to 12 the extent and for the purpose of procurements required under 13 Sections 1-113.5 and 22A-111 of the Illinois Pension Code to be 14 made in accordance with Article 35 of this Code. The term "State agency" does not apply or to the University of Illinois 15 Foundation. "State agency" does not include units of local 16 17 government, school districts, community colleges under the Public Community College Act, and the Illinois Comprehensive 18 Health Insurance Board. 19

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Sec. 15-25. Bulletin content.

(30 ILCS 500/15-25)

(Source: P.A. 90-572, eff. 2-6-98.)

23 (a) Invitations for bids. Notice of each and every contract
24 that is offered, including renegotiated contracts and change
25 orders, shall be published in the Bulletin. The applicable

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chief procurement officer may provide by rule an organized format for the publication of this information, but in any case it must include at least the date first offered, the date submission of offers is due, the location that offers are to be submitted to, the purchasing State agency, the responsible State purchasing officer, a brief purchase description, the method of source selection, information of how to obtain a comprehensive purchase description and any disclosure and contract forms, and encouragement to prospective vendors to hire qualified veterans, as defined by Section 45-67 of this Code, and Illinois residents discharged from any Illinois adult correctional center.

(b) Contracts let or awarded. Notice of each and every contract that is let or awarded, including renegotiated contracts and change orders, shall be published in the next available subsequent Bulletin, and the applicable chief procurement officer may provide by rule an organized format for the publication of this information, but in any case it must include at least all of the information specified in subsection (a) as well as the name of the successful responsible bidder or offeror, the contract price, the number of unsuccessful responsive bidders, and any other disclosure specified in any Section of this Code. This notice shall include the disclosures under Section 50-37, if those disclosures are required. In addition, the notice shall summarize the outreach efforts undertaken by the agency to make potential bidders or offerors

- aware of any contract offer other than publication in the
  Bulletin. This notice must be posted in the online electronic
  Bulletin no later than 10 business days after services or goods
  are first provided. This notice must be posted in the online
  electronic Bulletin prior to execution of the contract.
  - (c) Emergency purchase disclosure. Any chief procurement officer, State purchasing officer, or designee exercising emergency purchase authority under this Code shall publish a written description and reasons and the total cost, if known, or an estimate if unknown and the name of the responsible chief procurement officer and State purchasing officer, and the business or person contracted with for all emergency purchases in the next timely, practicable Bulletin. This notice must be posted in the online electronic Bulletin within 3 business days after the execution of the contract. This notice must be posted in the online electronic Bulletin within 10 business days after the earlier of (i) execution of the contract or (ii) whenever services or goods begin to be provided under the contract and, in any event, prior to any payment by the State under the contract.
  - (c-5) Each State agency shall post in the online electronic Bulletin a copy of its annual report of utilization of businesses owned by minorities, females, and persons with disabilities as submitted to the Business Enterprises Council for Minorities, Females, and Persons with Disabilities pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Business Enterprise for

- 1 Minorities, Females, and Persons with Disabilities Act within
- 2 10 business days of its submission of its report to the
- 3 <u>Council.</u>
- 4 (c-10) Renewals. Notice of each contract renewal shall be
- 5 posted online on the Procurement Bulletin. The Procurement
- 6 Policy Board by rule shall specify the information to be
- 7 <u>included in the notice</u>, and the applicable chief procurement
- 8 officer by rule may provide a format for the information.
- 9 (d) Other required disclosure. The applicable chief
- 10 procurement officer shall provide by rule for the organized
- 11 publication of all other disclosure required in other Sections
- of this Code in a timely manner.
- (e) The changes to subsections (b), (c), and (c-5) of this
- 14 <u>Section made by this amendatory Act of the 96th General</u>
- 15 Assembly apply to reports submitted, offers made, and notices
- on contracts executed on or after its effective date.
- 17 (Source: P.A. 94-1067, eff. 8-1-06; 95-536, eff. 1-1-08.)
- 18 (30 ILCS 500/20-10)
- 19 Sec. 20-10. Competitive sealed bidding.
- 20 (a) Conditions for use. All contracts shall be awarded by
- 21 competitive sealed bidding except as otherwise provided in
- 22 Section 20-5.
- 23 (b) Invitation for bids. An invitation for bids shall be
- 24 issued and shall include a purchase description and the
- 25 material contractual terms and conditions applicable to the

1 procurement.

- 2 (c) Public notice. Public notice of the invitation for bids 3 shall be published in the Illinois Procurement Bulletin at 4 least 14 days before the date set in the invitation for the 5 opening of bids.
  - (d) Bid opening. Bids shall be opened publicly in the presence of one or more witnesses at the time and place designated in the invitation for bids. The name of each bidder, the amount of each bid, and other relevant information as may be specified by rule shall be recorded. After the award of the contract, the winning bid and the record of each unsuccessful bid shall be open to public inspection.
    - (e) Bid acceptance and bid evaluation. Bids shall be unconditionally accepted without alteration or correction, except as authorized in this Code. Bids shall be evaluated based on the requirements set forth in the invitation for bids, which may include criteria to determine acceptability such as inspection, testing, quality, workmanship, delivery, and suitability for a particular purpose. Those criteria that will affect the bid price and be considered in evaluation for award, such as discounts, transportation costs, and total or life cycle costs, shall be objectively measurable. The invitation for bids shall set forth the evaluation criteria to be used.
    - (f) Correction or withdrawal of bids. Correction or withdrawal of inadvertently erroneous bids before or after award, or cancellation of awards of contracts based on bid

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mistakes, shall be permitted in accordance with rules. After bid opening, no changes in bid prices or other provisions of bids prejudicial to the interest of the State or fair competition shall be permitted. All decisions to permit the correction or withdrawal of bids based on bid mistakes shall be supported by written determination made by a State purchasing officer.

- (g) Award. The contract shall be awarded with reasonable promptness by written notice to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder whose bid meets the requirements and criteria set forth in the invitation for bids, except when a State purchasing officer determines it is not in the best interest of the State and by written explanation determines another bidder shall receive the award. The explanation shall appear in the appropriate volume of the Illinois Procurement Bulletin. The written explanation must include:
  - (1) a description of the agency's needs;
- (2) a determination that the anticipated cost will be 18 19 fair and reasonable;
- 20 (3) a listing of all responsible and responsive 21 bidders; and
- 22 (4) the name of the bidder selected, pricing, and the 23 reasons for selecting that bidder instead of the lowest 24 responsible and responsive bidder.
- 25 Each agency may adopt rules to implement the requirements 26 of this subsection (q).

- The written explanation shall be filed with the Legislative

  Audit Commission and the Procurement Policy Board and be made

  available for inspection by the public within 30 days after the

  agency's decision to award the contract.
  - (h) Multi-step sealed bidding. When it is considered impracticable to initially prepare a purchase description to support an award based on price, an invitation for bids may be issued requesting the submission of unpriced offers to be followed by an invitation for bids limited to those bidders whose offers have been qualified under the criteria set forth in the first solicitation.
  - (i) Alternative procedures. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act to the contrary, the Director of the Illinois Power Agency may create alternative bidding procedures to be used in procuring professional services under Section 1-75(a) of the Illinois Power Agency Act and Section 16-111.5(c) of the Public Utilities Act. These alternative procedures shall be set forth together with the other criteria contained in the invitation for bids, and shall appear in the appropriate volume of the Illinois Procurement Bulletin.
- 21 (Source: P.A. 95-481, eff. 8-28-07.)
- 22 (30 ILCS 500/50-38 new)
- Sec. 50-38. Contract award disclosure.
- 24 (a) For the purposes of this Section:
- "Contracting entity" means an entity that would execute any

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- "Key persons" means any persons who (i) have an ownership or distributive income share in the contracting entity that is in excess of 5%, or an amount greater than 60% of the annual salary of the Governor, or (ii) serve as executive officers of the contracting entity.
- (b) For contracts with an annual value of \$50,000 or more, all offers from responsive bidders or offerors shall be accompanied by disclosure of the names and addresses of the following:
  - (1) The contracting entity.
- 12 (2) Any entity that is a parent of, or owns a

  13 controlling interest in, the contracting entity.
- 14 (3) Any entity that is a subsidiary of, or in which a

  15 controlling interest is owned by, the contracting entity.
- 16 (4) The contracting entity's key persons.
- 17 <u>(c) Notices of contracts let or awarded published in the</u>
  18 <u>Procurement Bulletin pursuant to Section 15-25 shall include as</u>
  19 <u>part of the notice posted online the names disclosed by the</u>
  20 winning bidder or offeror pursuant to subsection (b).
- 21 <u>(d) The changes made to this Section made by this</u>
  22 <u>amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly apply to contracts</u>
  23 first offered on or after its effective date.
- Section 20. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing Sections 1-101.2, 1-110, and 1-113.5 and by adding

- 1 Sections 1-125.1, 1-130, 1-140, 1-145, 1-150, 1-155, and 1-160
- 2 as follows:
- 3 (40 ILCS 5/1-101.2)
- 4 Sec. 1-101.2. Fiduciary. A person is a "fiduciary" with
- 5 respect to a pension fund or retirement system established
- 6 under this Code to the extent that the person:
- 7 (1) exercises any discretionary authority of
- 8 discretionary control respecting management of the pension
- 9 fund or retirement system, or exercises any authority or
- 10 control respecting management or disposition of its
- 11 assets;
- 12 (2) renders investment advice, or advice with respect
- 13 to the selection of other fiduciaries, for a fee or other
- 14 compensation, direct or indirect, with respect to any
- moneys or other property of the pension fund or retirement
- system, or has any authority or responsibility to do so; or
- 17 (3) has any discretionary authority or discretionary
- 18 responsibility in the administration of the pension fund or
- 19 retirement system.
- 20 (Source: P.A. 90-507, eff. 8-22-97.)
- 21 (40 ILCS 5/1-110) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 1-110)
- Sec. 1-110. Prohibited Transactions.
- 23 (a) A fiduciary with respect to a retirement system or
- 24 pension fund shall not cause the retirement system or pension

fund to engage in a transaction if he or she knows or should know that such transaction constitutes a direct or indirect:

- (1) Sale or exchange, or leasing of any property from the retirement system or pension fund to a party in interest for less than adequate consideration, or from a party in interest to a retirement system or pension fund for more than adequate consideration.
- (2) Lending of money or other extension of credit from the retirement system or pension fund to a party in interest without the receipt of adequate security and a reasonable rate of interest, or from a party in interest to a retirement system or pension fund with the provision of excessive security or an unreasonably high rate of interest.
- (3) Furnishing of goods, services or facilities from the retirement system or pension fund to a party in interest for less than adequate consideration, or from a party in interest to a retirement system or pension fund for more than adequate consideration.
- (4) Transfer to, or use by or for the benefit of, a party in interest of any assets of a retirement system or pension fund for less than adequate consideration.
- (b) A fiduciary with respect to a retirement system or pension fund established under this Code shall not:
  - (1) Deal with the assets of the retirement system or pension fund in his own interest or for his own account;

- (2) In his individual or any other capacity act in any transaction involving the retirement system or pension fund on behalf of a party whose interests are adverse to the interests of the retirement system or pension fund or the interests of its participants or beneficiaries; or
- (3) Receive any consideration for his own personal account from any party dealing with the retirement system or pension fund in connection with a transaction involving the assets of the retirement system or pension fund.
- (c) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prohibit any trustee from:
  - (1) Receiving any benefit to which he may be entitled as a participant or beneficiary in the retirement system or pension fund.
  - (2) Receiving any reimbursement of expenses properly and actually incurred in the performance of his duties with the retirement system or pension fund.
  - (3) Serving as a trustee in addition to being an officer, employee, agent or other representative of a party in interest.
- (d) A fiduciary of a pension fund established under Article 3 or 4 shall not knowingly cause or advise the pension fund to engage in an investment transaction when the fiduciary (i) has any direct interest in the income, gains, or profits of the investment advisor through which the investment transaction is made or (ii) has a business relationship with that investment

- 1 advisor that would result in a pecuniary benefit to the
- 2 fiduciary as a result of the investment transaction.
- 3 Violation of this subsection (d) is a Class 4 felony.
- 4 (e) A board member, employee, or fiduciary with respect to
- 5 a retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18
- 6 of this Code or an investment board created under Article 22A
- of this Code shall not knowingly cause or advise the retirement
- 8 system to engage in an investment transaction when the board
- 9 member, employee, fiduciary, or spouse of such board member,
- 10 employee, or fiduciary (i) has any direct interest in the
- income, gains, or profits of the investment advisor through
- which the investment transaction is made or (ii) has a business
- 13 relationship with that investment advisor that would result in
- 14 a pecuniary benefit to the board member, employee, fiduciary,
- or spouse of such board member, employee, or fiduciary as a
- 16 result of the investment transaction.
- 17 Violation of this subsection (d) is a Class 3 felony.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 95-950, eff. 8-29-08.)
- 19 (40 ILCS 5/1-113.5)
- Sec. 1-113.5. Investment advisers; consultants; and
- 21 investment services.
- 22 (a) The board of trustees of a pension fund or retirement
- 23 system may appoint investment advisers as defined in Section
- 24 1-101.4. The board of any pension fund investing in common or
- 25 preferred stock under Section 1-113.4 shall appoint an

1 investment adviser before making such investments.

The investment adviser shall be a fiduciary, as defined in Section 1-101.2, with respect to the pension fund or retirement system and shall be one of the following:

- (1) an investment adviser registered under the federal Investment Advisers Act of 1940 and the Illinois Securities Law of 1953;
- (2) a bank or trust company authorized to conduct a trust business in Illinois;
- (3) a life insurance company authorized to transact business in Illinois; or
- (4) an investment company as defined and registered under the federal Investment Company Act of 1940 and registered under the Illinois Securities Law of 1953.
- (a-5) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person or entity that provides consulting services (referred to as a "consultant" in this Section) to a pension fund or retirement system with respect to the selection of fiduciaries may not be awarded a contract to provide those consulting services that is more than 5 years in duration. No contract to provide such consulting services may be renewed or extended. At the end of the term of a contract, however, the contractor is eligible to compete for a new contract. No person shall attempt to avoid or contravene the restrictions of this subsection by any means.

The selection and appointment of a consultant, and the contracting for investment consulting services by a consultant

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- for a retirement system <u>created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or</u> 1
- 2 18 of this Code or an investment board created under Article
- 3 22A of this Code, constitute procurements of professional and
- artistic services under the Illinois Procurement Code that must 4
- 5 be made and awarded in accordance with and through the use of
- the method of selection required by Article 35 of that Code. 6
- 7 All offers from responsive offerors shall be accompanied by
- disclosure of the names and addresses of the following: 8
- 9 (1) The offeror.
- 10 Any entity that is a parent of, or owns a 11 controlling interest in, the offeror.
- 12 (3) Any entity that is a subsidiary of, or in which a 13 controlling interest is owned by, the offeror.
- 14 (4) For procurements by a retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an 15 16 investment board created under Article 22A of this Code, 17 the offeror's key persons.
  - "Key persons" means persons who (i) have an ownership or distributive income share in the offeror that is in excess of 5%, or an amount greater than 60% of the annual salary of the Governor, or (ii) serve as executive officers of the offeror.
  - Beginning on July 1, 2008, a person, other than a trustee or an employee of a pension fund or retirement system, may not act as a consultant under this Section unless that person is at least one of the following: (i) registered as an investment adviser under the federal Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (15

- 1 U.S.C. 80b-1, et seq.); (ii) registered as an investment
- 2 adviser under the Illinois Securities Law of 1953; (iii) a
- 3 bank, as defined in the Investment Advisers Act of 1940; or
- 4 (iv) an insurance company authorized to transact business in
- 5 this State.
- 6 (b) All investment advice and services provided by an
- 7 investment adviser or a consultant appointed under this Section
- 8 shall be (i) rendered pursuant to a written contract between
- 9 the investment adviser or consultant and the board, and (ii) in
- 10 accordance with the board's investment policy.
- 11 The contract shall include all of the following:
- 12 (1) acknowledgement in writing by the investment
- 13 adviser or consultant that he or she is a fiduciary with
- 14 respect to the pension fund or retirement system;
- 15 (2) the board's investment policy;
- 16 (3) full disclosure of direct and indirect fees,
- 17 commissions, penalties, and any other compensation that
- 18 may be received by the investment adviser or consultant,
- including reimbursement for expenses; and
- 20 (4) a requirement that the investment adviser or
- 21 consultant submit periodic written reports, on at least a
- 22 quarterly basis, for the board's review at its regularly
- 23 scheduled meetings. All returns on investment shall be
- reported as net returns after payment of all fees,
- commissions, and any other compensation.
- 26 (b-5) Each contract described in subsection (b) shall also

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(i) full disclosure of direct and indirect fees, commissions, penalties, and other compensation, including reimbursement for expenses, that may be paid by or on behalf of the investment adviser or consultant in connection with the provision of services to the pension fund and requirement that the investment adviser or consultant update the disclosure promptly after a modification of those payments or an additional payment.

Within 30 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly, each investment adviser and consultant providing services on the effective date or subject to an existing contract for the provision of services must disclose to the board of trustees all direct and indirect fees, commissions, penalties, and other compensation paid by or on behalf of the investment adviser or consultant in connection with the provision of those services and shall update that disclosure promptly after a modification of those payments or an additional payment.

A person required to make a disclosure under subsection (d) is also required to disclose direct and indirect fees, commissions, penalties, or other compensation that shall or may be paid by or on behalf of the person in connection with the rendering of those services. The person shall update the disclosure promptly after a modification of those payments or an additional payment.

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- writing and shall include the date and amount of each payment and the name and address of each recipient of a payment.
- 3 (c) Within 30 days after appointing an investment adviser 4 or consultant, the board shall submit a copy of the contract to 5 the Division of Insurance of the Department of Financial and 6 Professional Regulation.
  - (d) Investment services provided by a person other than an investment adviser appointed under this Section, including but not limited to services provided by the kinds of persons listed in items (1) through (4) of subsection (a), shall be rendered only after full written disclosure of direct and indirect fees, commissions, penalties, and any other compensation that shall or may be received by the person rendering those services.
  - (e) The board of trustees of each pension fund or retirement system shall retain records of investment transactions in accordance with the rules of the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 95-950, eff. 8-29-08.)
- 19 (40 ILCS 5/1-125.1 new)
- Sec. 1-125.1. No monetary gain on investments. No trustee
  or employee of the board of a retirement system created under
  Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment
  board created under Article 22A of this Code nor any spouse of
  such trustee or employee or of the Illinois State Board of
  Investment shall have any direct interest in the income, gains,

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or profits of any investments made in behalf of the retirement system or pension fund or of the Illinois State Board of Investment, nor receive any pay or emolument for services in connection with any investment. No trustee or employee of the board of a retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under Article 22A of this Code shall become an endorser or surety, or in any manner an obliqor for money loaned or borrowed from the retirement system or pension fund or the Illinois State Board of Investment. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this

12 (40 ILCS 5/1-130 new)

Section is guilty of a Class 3 felony.

Sec. 1-130. Fraud. Any person who knowingly makes any false statement, or falsifies or permits to be falsified any record of a retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under Article 22A of this Code, in an attempt to defraud the retirement system or investment board, is guilty of a Class 3 felony.

19 (40 ILCS 5/1-140 new)

Sec. 1-140. Contingent fees. No person shall retain or employ another to attempt to influence the outcome of an investment decision of or the procurement of investment advice or services by a board of a retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment

board created under Article 22A of this Code for compensation 1 2 contingent in whole or in part upon the decision or 3 procurement, unless (i) such solicitor is a person enumerated 4 in one of clauses (1) through (5) of Section 1-101.4 and is in 5 compliance with Rule 206(4)-3 of the Investment Advisers Act of 6 1940 or (ii) such placement agent is registered as a broker or 7 dealer pursuant to the federal Securities and Exchange Act of 8 1934, as amended, or the Illinois Securities Law of 1953. Any 9 person who violates this Section is guilty of a business 10 offense and shall be fined not more than \$10,000. In addition, 11 any person convicted of a violation of this Section is 12 prohibited for a period of 3 years from conducting such 13 activities.

- 14 (40 ILCS 5/1-145 new)
- Sec. 1-145. Revolving door prohibition; anti-lobbying 15 16 provision.
- (a) No former board member, officer, or employee of the 17 18 board of any retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under 19 20 Article 22A of this Code or spouse or immediate family member 21 living with such person, shall, within a period of one year 22 immediately after termination of their term on the board 23 created under this Code or employment, knowingly accept 24 employment or receive compensation or fees for services from a person or entity if the board member, oversight board member, 25

officer, or employee, during the year immediately preceding

termination of their term on the employment, participation

personally and substantially in the decision to award contracts

with a cumulative value of over \$25,000 to the person or

entity, or its parent or subsidiary.

- (b) No former board member, officer, or employee of the board of any retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under Article 22A of this Code or spouse or immediate family member living with such person shall, within a period of one year immediately after termination of their term on the board or employment, seek a contract with or provide services for fees to any person with business or seeking business with the board.
- (c) Former board members, officers, and employees of any retirement system created under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under Article 22A of this Code and spouses or immediate family members living with such persons shall be prohibited from lobbying, as the term is defined in Section 2 of the Lobbyist Registration Act, for a period of one year following the last date of their term as a board member, officer, or employee.
- (d) The requirements of this Section may be waived in writing by the Executive Ethics Commission. The waiver shall be granted upon an affirmative showing that the prospective employment or relationship did not affect the decisions referred to in subsections (a) through (c) of this Section, and

- 1 if the board member, officer, or employee can substantiate that
- 2 no harm or violation of public trust will result from the
- 3 waiver.
- 4 (40 ILCS 5/1-150 new)
- 5 Sec. 1-150. Conflicts of interests.
- 6 (a) In addition to the provisions of subsection (a) of
- 7 <u>Section 50-13 of the Illinois Procurement Code, it is unlawful</u>
- 8 <u>for a member of the board of any retirement system created</u>
- 9 under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an
- 10 <u>investment board created under Article 22A of this Code, as</u>
- 11 <u>well as any member's spouse or immediate family members living</u>
- in the member's residence to have or acquire a contract or have
- 13 or acquire a direct pecuniary interest in a contract with the
- 14 State that relates to the Board during and for one year after
- the conclusion of the person's term of office.
- 16 (b) If (i) a person subject to subsection (a) of this
- 17 Section is entitled to receive more than 7 1/2% of the total
- 18 distributable income of a partnership, association,
- 19 corporation, or other business entity or (ii) a person subject
- 20 to subsection (a) together with his or her spouse and immediate
- family members living in that person's residence are entitled
- 22 to receive more than 15%, in the aggregate, of the total
- 23 distributable income of a partnership, association,
- 24 corporation, or other business entity, then it is unlawful for
- 25 that partnership, association, corporation, or other business

- 1 entity to have or acquire a contract or a direct pecuniary
- 2 interest in a contract prohibited by subsection (a) during and
- 3 for one year after the conclusion of the person's term of
- 4 office.
- 5 (40 ILCS 5/1-155 new)
- 6 Sec. 1-155. Disclosure and potential conflicts of
- 7 <u>interest.</u>
- 8 <u>(a) Procurements for any retirement system created under</u>
- 9 Articles 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment
- 10 board created under Article 22A of this Code must be conducted
- in a manner and in a form that is substantially similar to the
- 12 Illinois Procurement Code and in conformance with this Section.
- 13 (b) All offers from responsible bidders shall be
- 14 accompanied by a statement disclosing all political activity
- 15 <u>engaged in and political contributions made by the bidder, its</u>
- principles, and family members.
- 17 (c) All offers from responsible bidders or offerors with an
- annual value of more than \$10,000 shall be accompanied by
- 19 disclosure of the financial interests of the contractor,
- 20 bidder, or proposer. The financial disclosure of each
- 21 successful bidder or offeror shall become part of the publicly
- 22 available contract or procurement file maintained by the
- appropriate chief procurement officer.
- 24 <u>(d) Disclosure by the responsive bidders or offerors shall</u>
- 25 include any ownership or distributive income share that is in

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excess of 5%, or an amount greater than 60% of the annual salary of the Governor, of the bidding entity or its parent entity, whichever is less, unless the contractor or bidder (i) is a publicly traded entity subject to federal 10K reporting, in which case it may submit its 10K disclosure in place of the prescribed disclosure, or (ii) is a privately held entity that is exempt from federal 10K reporting but has more than 400 shareholders, in which case it may submit the information that federal 10K reporting companies are required to report under 17 CFR 229.401 and list the names of any person or entity holding any ownership share that is in excess of 5% in place of the prescribed disclosure. The form of disclosure shall be prescribed by the applicable chief procurement officer and must include at least the names, addresses, and dollar or proportionate share of ownership of each person identified in this subsection (d), their instrument of ownership or beneficial relationship, and notice of any potential conflict of interest resulting from the current ownership or beneficial relationship of each person identified in this subsection (d) having in addition any of the following relationships:

- (1) State employment, currently or in the previous 3 years, including contractual employment of services.
- (2) State employment of spouse, father, mother, son or daughter, including contractual employment for services in the previous 2 years.
  - (3) Elective status; the holding of elective office of

1	the State of Illinois, the government of the United States,		
2	any unit of local government authorized by the Constitution		
3	of the State of Illinois or the statutes of the State of		
4	Illinois currently or in the previous 3 years.		
5	(4) Relationship to anyone holding elective office		
6	currently or in the previous 2 years; spouse, father,		
7	mother, son, or daughter.		
8	(5) Appointive office; the holding of any appointive		
9	government office of the State of Illinois, the United		
10	States of America, or any unit of local government		
11	authorized by the Constitution of the State of Illinois or		
12	the statutes of the State of Illinois, which office		
13	entitles the holder to compensation in excess of expenses		
14	incurred in the discharge of that office currently or in		
15	the previous 3 years.		
16	(6) Relationship to anyone holding appointive office		
17	currently or in the previous 2 years; spouse, father,		
18	mother, son, or daughter.		
19	(7) Employment, currently or in the previous 2 years,		
20	as or by any registered lobbyist of the State government.		
21	(8) Relationship to anyone who is or was a registered		
22	lobbyist in the previous 2 years; spouse, father, mother,		
23	son or daughter.		
24	(9) Compensated employment, currently or in the		
25	previous 3 years, by any registered election or re-election		

committee registered with the Secretary of State or any

county clerk in the State of Illinois, or any political action committee registered with either the Secretary of State or the Federal Board of Elections.

- (10) Relationship to anyone; spouse, father, mother, son, or daughter; who is or was a compensated employee in the last 2 years of any registered election or re-election committee registered with the Secretary of State or any county clerk in the State of Illinois, or any political action committee registered with either the Secretary of State or the Federal Board of Elections.
- (e) The disclosure in subsection (d) is not intended to prohibit or prevent any contract. The disclosure is meant to fully and publicly disclose any potential conflict to the chief procurement officers, State purchasing officers, their designees, and executive officers so they may adequately discharge their duty to protect the State.
- (f) In the case of any contract for personal services in excess of \$50,000; any contract competitively bid in excess of \$250,000; any other contract in excess of \$50,000; when a potential for a conflict of interest is identified, discovered, or reasonably suspected it shall be reviewed and commented on in writing by the Executive Ethics Commission. The comment shall be returned to the responsible chief procurement officer, who must rule in writing whether to void or allow the contract, bid, offer, or proposal weighing the best interest of the State of Illinois. The comment and determination shall become a

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publicly available part of the contract, bid, or proposal file. 1

- (q) These thresholds and disclosure do not relieve the chief procurement officer, the State purchasing officer, or their designees from reasonable care and diligence for any contract, bid, offer, or proposal. The chief procurement officer, the State purchasing officer, or their designees shall be responsible for using any reasonably known and publicly available information to discover any undisclosed potential conflict of interest and act to protect the best interest of the State of I<u>llinois</u>.
- (h) Inadvertent or accidental failure to fully disclose shall render the contract, bid, proposal, or relationship voidable by the chief procurement officer if he or she deems it in the best interest of the State of Illinois and, at his or her discretion, may be cause for barring from future contracts, bids, proposals, or relationships with the State for a period of up to 2 years.
- (i) Intentional, willful, or material failure to disclose shall render the contract, bid, proposal, or relationship voidable by the chief procurement officer if he or she deems it in the best interest of the State of Illinois and shall result in debarment from future contracts, bids, proposals, or relationships for a period of not less than 2 years and not more than 10 years. Reinstatement after 2 years and before 10 years must be reviewed and commented on in writing by the Governor of the State of Illinois, or by an executive ethics

- 1 board or commission he or she might designate. The comment
- 2 shall be returned to the responsible chief procurement officer,
- 3 who must rule in writing whether and when to reinstate.
- 4 (j) In addition, all disclosures shall note any other
- 5 current or pending contracts, proposals, leases, or other
- 6 ongoing procurement relationships the bidding, proposing, or
- 7 offering entity has with any other unit of State government and
- 8 shall clearly identify the unit and the contract, proposal,
- 9 lease, or other relationship.
- 10 (40 ILCS 5/1-160 new)
- 11 Sec. 1-160. Investment transparency.
- 12 (a) The purpose of this Section is to provide for
- transparency in the investment of public funds by requiring the
- 14 reporting of full and complete information regarding the
- investment moneys by State systems.
- 16 (b) Any retirement system created under Articles 2, 14, 15,
- 17 16, or 18 of this Code or an investment board created under
- 18 Article 22A of this Code shall make available in a clear and
- 19 conspicuous manner on its official website, and update at least
- 20 monthly, the following information concerning the investment
- 21 of public funds:
- (1) the total amount of funds held by retirement
- 23 systems or the investment board;
- 24 (2) the asset allocation for the investments made by
- 25 retirement systems or the investment board;

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1	(3) current and historic return information;		
2	(4) a detailed listing of the investment managers for		
3	all asset classes and the performance of each; and		
4	(5) performance of investments compared against		
5	established benchmarks.		
6	(c) Nothing in this Section requires a retirement system		
7	created under Articles 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code or an		
8	investment board created under Article 22A of this Code to make		
9	information available on the Internet that is exempt from		
10	inspection and copying under the Freedom of Information Act.		
11	Section 90. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding		
12	Section 8.33 as follows:		
13	(30 ILCS 805/8.33 new)		
14	Sec. 8.33. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6 and 8		
15	of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required for the		
16	implementation of any mandate created by this amendatory Act of		
17	the 96th General Assembly.		
18	Section 98. Severability. The provisions of this Act are		
19	severable under Section 1.31 of the Statute on Statutes.		

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

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3	5 ILCS 420/4A-101 f	rom Ch. 127, par. 604A-101
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