

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 HB3408

Introduced 2/24/2011, by Rep. Marlow H. Colvin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/32-15 new

Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Creates the offense of providing false information to a law enforcement officer attempting to serve a protective order. Provides that a person commits the offense when he or she makes a false or misleading statement to a law enforcement officer attempting to serve a protective order and the person: (1) knows that the statement is false or misleading and (2) has the intent to mislead the officer as to the identity of the person, the whereabouts of the person, or the residence of the person the officer is attempting to serve, or to otherwise thwart the service of a protective order. Provides that a violation is a Class B misdemeanor for which the court, in addition to any other penalty, may impose a fine not to exceed \$500. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

- Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding Section 32-15 as follows:
- 6 (720 ILCS 5/32-15 new)
- Sec. 32-15. Providing false information to a law enforcement officer attempting to serve a protective order.
- 9 (a) For the purposes of this Section:

"Law enforcement officer" means any peace officer, and

includes a deputy sheriff, municipal police officer,

probation officer, or parole agent while acting in his or

her official capacity.

"Protective order" means a temporary restraining order, protective order, preliminary injunction, permanent injunction, or court-approved consent agreement resulting from actions brought pursuant to a criminal procedure, or as part of a disposition, sentence, or bail, or a condition of a criminal matter when such order is issued for the purpose of preventing violent or threatening acts or harassment against, contact or communication with, or physical proximity to, another person to prevent domestic abuse or dating violence.

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1	(b) A person commits providing false information to a law
2	enforcement officer attempting to serve a protective order when
3	he or she makes a false or misleading statement to a law
4	enforcement officer attempting to serve a protective order and
5	the person:
6	(1) knows that the statement is false or misleading;
7	<u>and</u>
8	(2) has the intent to mislead the officer as to the
9	identity of the person, the whereabouts of the person, or
10	the residence of the person the officer is attempting to
11	serve, or to otherwise thwart the service of a protective
12	order.
13	(c) Sentence. A person who commits providing false
14	information to a law enforcement officer attempting to serve a
15	protective order is quilty of a Class B misdemeanor for which
16	the court, in addition to any other penalty, may impose a fine
17	not to exceed \$500.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon