



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB5537

Introduced 2/15/2012, by Rep. Robyn Gabel

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/12-3

from Ch. 23, par. 12-3

Amends the Administration Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Removes language requiring a municipality having a population of more than 500,000 inhabitants to decrease by \$5,000,000 the amount of funds it provides for public aid purposes under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2003. Removes language requiring the municipality to, for each fiscal year thereafter, decrease the amount of funds it provides for public aid purposes under the TANF program in that fiscal year by an additional amount equal to (i) \$5,000,000 or (ii) the amount provided by the municipality in the preceding fiscal year, whichever is less, until the municipality does not provide any funds for public aid purposes under the TANF program. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
5 changing Section 12-3 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/12-3) (from Ch. 23, par. 12-3)

7 Sec. 12-3. Local governmental units. As provided in Article
8 VI, local governmental units shall provide funds for and
9 administer the programs provided in that Article subject, where
10 so provided, to the supervision of the Illinois Department.
11 Local governmental units shall also provide the social services
12 and utilize the rehabilitative facilities authorized in
13 Article IX for persons served through Article VI, and shall
14 discharge such other duties as may be required by this Code or
15 other laws of this State.

16 In counties not under township organization, the county
17 shall provide funds for and administer such programs.

18 In counties under township organization (including any
19 such counties in which the governing authority is a board of
20 commissioners) the various towns other than those towns lying
21 entirely within the corporate limits of any city, village or
22 incorporated town having a population of more than 500,000
23 inhabitants shall provide funds for and administer such

1 programs.

2 Cities, villages, and incorporated towns having a
3 population of more than 500,000 inhabitants shall provide funds
4 for public aid purposes under Article VI but the Department of
5 Human Services shall administer the program for such
6 municipality. ~~For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2003,~~
7 ~~however, the municipality shall decrease by \$5,000,000 the~~
8 ~~amount of funds it provides for public aid purposes under~~
9 ~~Article VI. For each fiscal year thereafter, the municipality~~
10 ~~shall decrease the amount of funds it provides for public aid~~
11 ~~purposes under Article VI in that fiscal year by an additional~~
12 ~~amount equal to (i) \$5,000,000 or (ii) the amount provided by~~
13 ~~the municipality in the preceding fiscal year, whichever is~~
14 ~~less, until the municipality does not provide any funds for~~
15 ~~public aid purposes under Article VI.~~

16 Incorporated towns which have superseded civil townships
17 shall provide funds for and administer the public aid program
18 provided by Article VI.

19 In counties of less than 3 million population having a
20 County Veterans Assistance Commission in which there has been
21 levied a tax as authorized by Section 5-2006 of the Counties
22 Code for the purpose of providing assistance to military
23 veterans and their families, the County Veterans Assistance
24 Commission shall administer the programs provided by Article VI
25 for such military veterans and their families as seek aid
26 through the County Veterans Assistance Commission.

1 (Source: P.A. 92-111, eff. 1-1-02; 92-597, eff. 6-28-02.)

2 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
3 becoming law.