

HB1609



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB1609

by Rep. Jim Durkin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/2-3002.5

Amends the Counties Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning county board elections.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing Section
5 2-3002.5 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/2-3002.5)

7 Sec. 2-3002.5. Beginning with members elected at the ~~the~~
8 general election in 2002, counties having a population between
9 800,000 and 3,000,000 according to 2000 decennial census shall
10 have no more than 18 members on their county board. If the
11 chairman of the county board is elected at-large by the voters
12 of the county as provided in Section 2-3007, the chairman shall
13 not be counted as a member of the county board for the purpose
14 of the limitations on the size of the county board provided in
15 this Section. Neither a member nor the chairman of that county
16 board shall serve simultaneously as commissioner or president
17 of the board of commissioners of the forest preserve district.
18 No person shall seek election to both the county board and the
19 forest preserve commission at the same election.

20 (Source: P.A. 91-933, eff. 12-30-00.)