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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4603

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 4603 on page 1, by
3 replacing lines 4 and 5 with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing
5 Sections 2-1005 and 3-4010 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/2-1005) (from Ch. 34, par. 2-1005)

7 Sec. 2-1005. Quorum; approval of ordinances. A majority of
8 the members of any county board shall constitute a quorum for
9 the transaction of business; and all questions, ordinances,
10 resolutions, or motions which shall arise at meetings shall be
11 determined by the votes of the majority of the members present,
12 except in such cases as is otherwise provided.

13 A county board in a county where the chairman is elected at
14 large may upon passage, adoption or enactment of a specific
15 ordinance, resolution, or motion apply the following
16 provisions: Any ordinance, resolution, or motion passed,

1 adopted or otherwise enacted by the board in a county where the
2 chairman is elected at large shall be presented to the chairman
3 before it becomes effective. If the chairman approves such
4 ordinance, resolution or motion, he shall sign it and it shall
5 become law on the date prescribed; if not, he shall return it
6 to the board within 10 business days with his objections and
7 the board shall proceed to reconsider the matter at its next
8 meeting, to be held within 30 business days of the board's
9 receipt of the chairman's objections. If after such
10 reconsideration a majority of the members of the board pass
11 such ordinance, resolution, or motion, it shall become
12 effective on the date prescribed but not earlier than the date
13 of passage following reconsideration. If any ordinance,
14 resolution, or motion is not returned by the chairman to the
15 board within 10 business days after it has been presented to
16 him, it shall become effective at the end of the 10th day.

17 The county board at any properly noticed public meeting may
18 by unanimous consent take a single vote by yeas and nays on the
19 several questions of the passage of any 2 or more of the
20 designated ordinances, orders, resolutions, or motions placed
21 together for voting purposes in a single group. The single vote
22 shall be entered separately in the minutes under the
23 designation "omnibus vote", and in that event the clerk may
24 enter the words "omnibus vote" or "consent agenda" in the
25 minutes in each case instead of entering the names of the
26 members of the county board voting "yea" and those voting "nay"

1 on the passage of each of the designated ordinances, orders,
2 resolutions, and motions included in the omnibus group or
3 consent agenda. The taking of a single or omnibus vote and the
4 entries of the words "omnibus vote" or "consent agenda" in the
5 minutes shall be a sufficient compliance with the requirements
6 of this Section to all intents and purposes and with like
7 effect as if the vote in each case had been taken separately by
8 yeas and nays on the question of the passage of each ordinance,
9 order, resolution, and motion included in the omnibus group and
10 separately recorded in the minutes. Likewise, the yeas and nays
11 shall be taken upon the question of the passage of any other
12 ordinance, resolution, or motion at the request of any county
13 board member and shall be recorded in the minutes. The changes
14 to this Section made by this amendatory Act of the 99th General
15 Assembly are declarative of existing law and do not change the
16 substantive operation of this Section.

17 (Source: P.A. 86-926.)".