

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by changing
5 Section 12-5.02 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/12-5.02) (was 720 ILCS 5/12-2.5)

7 Sec. 12-5.02. Vehicular endangerment.

8 (a) A person commits vehicular endangerment when he or she
9 strikes a motor vehicle by causing an object to fall from an
10 overpass or other elevated location in the direction of a
11 moving motor vehicle with the intent to strike a motor vehicle
12 while it is traveling upon a highway in this State.

13 (b) Sentence. Vehicular endangerment is a Class 2 felony,
14 unless death results, in which case vehicular endangerment is a
15 Class 1 felony.

16 (c) Definitions. For purposes of this Section:

17 "Elevated location" means a bridge, overpass, highway
18 ramp, building, artificial structure, hill, mound, or natural
19 elevation above or adjacent to and above a highway.

20 "Object" means any object or substance that by its size,
21 weight, or consistency is likely to cause great bodily harm to
22 any occupant of a motor vehicle.

23 "Overpass" means any structure that passes over a highway.

1 "Motor vehicle" and "highway" have the meanings as defined
2 in the Illinois Vehicle Code.

3 (Source: P.A. 96-1551, eff. 7-1-11.)