

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 Cook County Forest Preserve District Act is
5 amended by changing Section 15 as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 810/15) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 6418)

7 Sec. 15. The board shall have the right and power to
8 appoint and maintain a sufficient police force, the members of
9 which may have and exercise police powers over the territory
10 within such forest preserves for the preservation of the public
11 peace, and the observance and enforcement of the ordinances and
12 laws, such as are conferred upon and exercised by the police of
13 organized cities and villages; but such police force, when
14 acting within the limits of any city or village, but outside
15 the territory owned, leased, or licensed by the district and
16 property over which the district has easement rights, shall act
17 in aid of the regular police force of such city or village and
18 shall then be subject to the direction of its chief of police,
19 city or village marshals, or other head thereof.

20 (Source: P.A. 80-320.)