

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 SB2605

Introduced 2/16/2016, by Sen. Emil Jones, III

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/21-95

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that a Section of the Code that provides for an abatement of unpaid taxes and existing liens for certain property that is acquired by a unit of local government also applies to forest preserve districts (now, counties, municipalities, school districts, and park districts only).

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY 1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing

  Section 21-95 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/21-95)

7 21-95. Tax abatement after acquisition governmental unit. When any county, municipality, school 8 9 district, forest preserve district, or park district acquires property through the foreclosure of a lien, through a judicial 10 deed, through the foreclosure of receivership certificate 11 lien, or by acceptance of a deed of conveyance in lieu of 12 13 foreclosing any lien against the property, or when a government 14 unit acquires property under the Abandoned Housing Rehabilitation Act, or when any county or other taxing district 15 16 acquires a deed for property under Section 21-90 or Sections 17 21-145 and 21-260, or when any county, municipality, school district, forest preserve district, or park district acquires 18 19 title to property that was to be transferred to that county, municipality, school district, forest preserve district, or 20 21 park district under the terms of an annexation agreement, 22 agreement, donation agreement, plat development of subdivision, or zoning ordinance by an entity that has been 23

- dissolved or is being dissolved or has been in bankruptcy
- 2 proceedings or is in bankruptcy proceedings, all due or unpaid
- 3 property taxes and existing liens for unpaid property taxes
- 4 imposed or pending under any law or ordinance of this State or
- 5 any of its political subdivisions shall become null and void.
- 6 (Source: P.A. 96-1142, eff. 7-21-10.)