WEEKLY

Synopsis of Legislation

Introduced Legislation with Last Action

For the week of August 28, 2022
HB 05795    Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

625 ILCS 5/1-146 from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 1-146
625 ILCS 5/1-159.15 new
625 ILCS 5/1-159.16 new
625 ILCS 5/1-188 from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 1-188
625 ILCS 5/1-217 from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 1-217
625 ILCS 5/11-1005.2 new
625 ILCS 5/11-1412.4 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that a personal delivery device shall be authorized to operate on any sidewalk, crosswalk, or public roadway or highway in the State. Provides that a personal delivery device shall (1) be equipped with a system that enables the personal delivery device to come to a controlled stop; (2) have the capability of operating in a manner that complies with pedestrians' rights and duties; (3) not unreasonably interfere with motor vehicles or traffic or otherwise block any right-of-way; (4) operate at a speed that shall not exceed 10 miles per hour on a sidewalk; (5) not be used to transport specified hazardous materials; and (6) include a unique identifying number and a means of identifying the personal delivery device operator. Specifies that a personal delivery device shall have all the rights and duties applicable to a pedestrian under the same circumstances. Provides that a personal delivery device shall not be deemed a motor vehicle or a vehicle. Provides that a personal delivery device shall be exempt from all vehicle or motor vehicle registration requirements. Requires a personal delivery device operator to maintain an insurance policy that provides general liability coverage of at least $100,000 for damages arising from the combined operations of any personal delivery devices under the personal delivery device operator's control. Prohibits local authorities from enacting or enforcing a rule, regulation, ordinance, or resolution relating to specified aspects of a personal delivery device. Limits home rule powers. Makes conforming changes.

Aug 29 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

HB 05796    Rep. Terra Costa Howard

430 ILCS 65/7 from Ch. 38, par. 83-7

Amends the Firearm Owner's Identification Card Act. Provides that if a Firearm Owner's Identification Card of a licensee is issued to a licensee under 21 years of age, then that Firearm Owner's Identification Card shall expire on the licensee's 21st birthday or 10 years from the date of issuance, whichever is earlier. Provides that after the licensee's 21st birthday, the validity period of the licensee's Firearm Owner's Identification Card shall be 10 years.

Aug 29 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Terra Costa Howard

HB 05797    Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

720 ILCS 5/25-1 from Ch. 38, par. 25-1

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Includes in the offense of mob action, (1) the knowing or reckless steering of a motor vehicle so that it makes a controlled skid sideways through a turn with the front wheels pointed in a direction opposite to that of the turn if the activity results in the use of force or violence disturbing the public peace; or (2) the knowing or reckless act of street racing if the activity results in the use of force or violence disturbing the public peace. Defines "street racing". Provides that the penalty for these offenses is a Class 4 felony.

Aug 30 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

HB 05798    Rep. Mary E. Flowers

35 ILCS 515/3 from Ch. 120, par. 1203
35 ILCS 515/6.1 from Ch. 120, par. 1206.1
765 ILCS 745/8.6 new
765 ILCS 745/15.1 new

Amends the Mobile Home Local Services Tax Act. Provides that the tax imposed under the Act on a mobile home or manufactured home that (i) is located in a mobile home park that experiences a change in ownership on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act and (ii) is occupied as a primary residence by an eligible senior citizen may not exceed the tax imposed under the Act on that mobile home or manufactured home for the taxable year in which the change in ownership takes place. Amends the Mobile Home Landlord and Tenant Rights Act. Provides for a right of first refusal for tenants in the case of a sale or lease of a mobile home park. Adds provisions concerning tenants who are 65 years of age or older when there is a change in ownership of the mobile home park.

Aug 31 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Mary E. Flowers
20 ILCS 605/1105 new
220 ILCS 5/16-107.7 new

Amends the Public Utilities Act. Provides that any electric utility serving adversely impacted residential and small commercial customers shall notify, as soon as practicable and no later than 15 days after the effective date of the amendatory Act, the Illinois Commerce Commission of the same and provide the results of the calculations set forth in the provisions concerning assisting qualifying customers through a power price mitigation rebate. Provides that any electric utility that provides notice to the Commission of qualification under the provisions concerning the power price mitigation rebate shall concurrently file a tariff with the Commission that provides for a monthly rebate credit to be given to all residential and small commercial customers. Provides that the tariff shall provide that the total funds appropriated by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall be divided equally and issued to all of its active residential and small commercial customers. Provides that the Commission shall have 5 days from the date an electric utility files the tariff to review the tariff for compliance, and the tariff shall go into effect no later than 7 days from the original tariff filing date or one day from the date of any compliance filing. Provides that upon receipt of notice from the Commission, the Department shall transfer $200,000,000 to the eligible electric utility serving adversely impacted residential and small commercial customers. Provides that each electric utility providing a monthly rebate credit to its customers shall include a statement as part of a bill insert reflecting a monthly rebate credit to customers. Provides that an electric utility with a tariff shall be entitled to recover the reasonable and prudent expenses incurred and shall have an obligation to provide monthly rebate credits to customers only to the extent there are funds available to the utility to provide monthly rebate credits. Makes a conforming change in the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law. Effective immediately.

HB 05800  Rep. Robert Rita
225 ILCS 80/16 from Ch. 111, par. 3916

Amends the Illinois Optometric Practice Act of 1987. Provides that beginning April 1, 2024, all continuing education may be completed online through live, real-time presentations or by pre-recorded video provided by an approved continuing education sponsor. Provides that an approved continuing education sponsor is a person, firm, association, corporation, or another entity that has been recommended by the Illinois Optometric Licensing and Disciplinary Board to coordinate and present continuing education courses or programs and approved by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

HB 05801  Rep. Charles Meier
415 ILCS 5/9.15

Amends the Environmental Protection Act. In provisions concerning greenhouse gases, provides that by June 30 of each year, beginning in 2023 (rather than 2025), the Environmental Protection Agency shall prepare and publish on its website a report setting forth the actual greenhouse gas emissions from individual units and the aggregate statewide emissions from all units for the prior year. Provides that every 2 years (rather than every 5 years) beginning in 2023 (rather than 2025), the Agency, Illinois Power Agency, and Illinois Commerce Commission shall jointly prepare, and release publicly, a report with specified requirements to the General Assembly. Requires the report to examine the current and projected status of electric resource adequacy and reliability throughout the State for the period beginning 2 years (rather than 5 years) ahead. Effective immediately.

HB 05802  Rep. Charles Meier
415 ILCS 5/9.15

Amends the Environmental Protection Act. In provisions concerning the regulation of greenhouse gases, provides that specified provisions shall not apply to or be enforced against an EGU during a calendar year if the EGU operates in either MISO Zone 4 or the PJM ComEd Zone and one of several specified entities indicates or forecasts that during that calendar year a resource adequacy shortfall will occur in that Zone. Effective immediately.
HB 05803  Rep. Katie Stuart

40 ILCS 5/14-104 from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 14-104

40 ILCS 5/14-135.13 new

Amends the State Employee Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that certain contributions for service must be paid in full before retirement either in a lump sum or in installment payments over a period not to exceed 5 years (instead of in a lump sum or in installment payments) in accordance with such rules as may be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the System. Sets forth provisions concerning written appeals, hearings, rehearings, and written reappeals. Effective immediately.

Sep 02 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Katie Stuart
HR 00930  Rep. Justin Slaughter
        Declares the month of August of 2022 as Moorish-American Awareness Month to further the awareness of Moorish-Americans and the Moorish Science Temple of America.
        Aug 29 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Justin Slaughter

HR 00931  Rep. Patrick Windhorst
        Congratulates William Ribbing, M.D. for receiving the 2022 Rural Physician Lifetime of Service Award and commends him for his compassion and dedication to his patients and for filling such a tremendous void in rural medicine over the past 45 years in Southern Illinois.
        Aug 29 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Patrick Windhorst

HR 00932  Rep. Carol Ammons
        Mourns the death of Barbara Tatum.
        Aug 31 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Carol Ammons

HR 00933  Rep. Frances Ann Hurley
        Mourns the death of Officer Scott Kleina.
        Sep 02 22  H  Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Frances Ann Hurley
HJR 00094  Rep. Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz

Urges the Administration of President Biden to publish without delay the Equal Rights Amendment as the Twenty-Eighth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Urges Congress to pass a joint resolution affirming the Equal Rights Amendment as the Twenty-Eighth Amendment. Calls on other states to join in this action by passing the same or similar resolutions.

Sep 01 22  H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz