

Spring 2016 Bills Signed Into Law

LGDF Reduction (HB 200/PA 99-0501): Provides that beginning July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, the net revenues collected from income taxes that are transferred from the General Revenue Fund (GRF) to the Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) would be reduced by 50 percent.

Pirogue as State Artifact (HB 538/PA 99-0545): Creates a new section that designates the pirogue (a long, narrow canoe) as the official State artifact of Illinois. This was the result of a history class survey/project amongst Wilmette Middle School students.

EDPA Grundy County (HB 694/PA 99-0513): Extends a county Economic Development Project Area (EDPA) located in Grundy County from 23 to 35 years. The EDPA must (for one year) receive approval from 2/3 of the taxing districts representing at least 75% of the aggregate tax levy for all of the affected taxing districts in order to establish or extend the EDPA.

Kaskaskia Regional Port District (HB 740/PA 99-0507): Makes numerous changes to the Kaskaskia Regional Port District Act that are initiatives of the district to expand its authority as part of its strategic plan. The change include: the expansion of the district's purpose; liability in respect to its property; location of its principal office; its authority for environmental remediation; mortgage property; and borrowing authority.

Personal Information Protection Act Changes (HB 1260/PA 99-0503): Updates the definitions used and notifications that are required when a data breach occurs that affects the personal information, including health insurance info, medical information, biometric data, etc., of consumers in Illinois. Makes technical changes.

Minority Subcontracting (HB 3748/PA 99-0514): Clarifies the amount of time a Business Enterprise Program bidder can cure a deficiency in the goals of having a certain percentage of minority, females or persons with disabilities within contract. Extends the sunset from June 30, 2016 to June 30, 2020.

Boating Safety and Certification (HB 4369/PA 99-0526): Provides that a boating safety certificate is not required for a person who is temporarily in Illinois waters for a boat racing event sanctioned by the Department of Natural Resources or authorized federal agency. Requires the organizer of the event to have liability insurance for property damage and personal injury or death with a minimum benefit of \$1,000,000 that shall remain in effect through the event.

Felon Officeholder Prohibition (HB 4391/PA 99-0546): States a person is ineligible to hold township office if convicted of a felony at the time of taking the oath of office.

TIF Oak Forest (HB 4423/PA 99-0508): Extends the life of the TIF adopted on June 11, 2002 by the City of Oak Forest to 35 years, or 2037.

Health Facilities Planning Changes (HB 4517/PA 99-0527): Gives the Health Facilities and Services Review Board the ability to contract with other agencies for services. No later than 90 days after a discontinuation of a health facility or a discontinuation of a category of service the applicant for a certificate of exemption must submit a statement to the State Board certifying that the discontinuation

is complete. If a public hearing concerning change of ownership or discontinuation of a health facility or a category of service is held, all interested persons attending the hearing shall be given a reasonable opportunity to present their positions in writing or orally. Removes language concerning certificates of recognition.

Abuse Records Access (HB 4552/PA 99-0547): Gives State's Attorneys who are investigating suspected abuse, neglect, financial exploitation and/or self-neglect cases access to records pertaining reports of abuse, neglect, financial exploitation and/or self-neglect.

Serious Wildlife Code Prosecution (HB 4558/PA 99-0528): Gives Conservation Police officers the ability to prosecute offenders on serious violations in the wildlife code rather than the entire wildlife code that includes minor violations.

Human Rights Real Estate Penalties (HB 4562/PA 99-0548): Increases penalties for Human Rights Act violations relating to real estate transactions. For a first violation, the penalty is increased to an amount not exceeding \$16,000. If the respondent has been adjudged to have committed one other violation during the previous 5 years, the penalty is increased to an amount not exceeding \$42,500. If the respondent has been adjudged to have committed 2 or more violations during the previous 7 years, the penalty is increased to an amount not exceeding \$70,000.

Currency Exchange Reports (HB 4614/PA 99-0549): Changes the titles of certain positions identified in the Financial Institutions Code. Removes language pertaining to currency exchanges requiring a licensee to file an annual report, annual bonds, and insurance policies at the same time the licensee pays his or her annual license fees.

Closed Meeting Minutes (HB 4630/PA 99-0515): Amends the Open Meetings Act to provide verbatim recordings and closed meeting minutes will be provided to duly elected officials or appointed officials filling a vacancy of an elected position. Access to the recordings and minutes will be granted in the public body's main office or storage location in the presence of a records secretary, administrative official or any elected official of the public body. No recordings or minutes will be recorded or removed from the office or storage location unless by a court order or vote of the public body.

ABLE Accounts (HB 4678/PA 99-0516): Allows the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) to increase Affordable Care Act (ACA) access payments to \$800 million and allow hospitals to increase assessment taxes by \$150 million. The new access payments come at no cost to Illinois and the additional hospital assessments will generate \$300 million for the state's Medicaid program. Could bring in \$600 million in revenue over the next two fiscal years (FY 2017 and FY 2018).

Water Fluoridation (HB 4688/PA 99-0529): The owners or official custodians of public water supplies shall comply with the recommendations on optimal fluoridation (0.7 milligrams of fluoride per liter of water) for community water levels as proposed and adopted by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Liquor at College Facilities (HB 4820/PA 99-0550): Allows liquor to be served or sold at facilities of a public university or community college district at events that are not student-related. Requires the Board of Trustees of the participating university or community college to issue a written policy detailing the types of events that should be eligible for an exemption within 6 months after the bill becomes law.

Interagency Fatality Review Terms (HB 4826/PA 99-0530): Requires the regional interagency fatality review teams to meet not less than four times a year (rather than six) to discuss cases for its possible review.

Health Facility Closures (HB 4964/PA 99-0551): States that upon a finding that an application to close a health care facility is complete, the health care facility must provide notice of closure to the local media that the health care facility would routinely notify about facility events. When an application to discontinue category of service is complete and if a public hearing is requested the hearing is required to be held in the affected area or community in a place of reasonable size.

Purchasing Contracts (HB 5530/PA 99-0552): Prohibits state entities and schools from entering into contracts for food purchases if those contracts prohibit the bidders from donating food to food banks, which includes homeless shelters, food pantries, and soup kitchens.

CPS Master Plans (HB 5556/PA 99-0531): Requires the CEO of Chicago Public Schools (CPS) to submit a draft revised Educational Facility Master Plan by July 1, 2016 (instead of January 1, 2016).

Opioid Addiction Treatment (HB 5593/PA 99-0553): Requires all programs serving persons with substance use issues licensed by DHS under the Act to provide educational information concerning treatment options for opioid addiction, including the use of a medication for the use of opioid addiction, recognition of and response to opioid overdose, and the use and administration of naloxone.

Medication Assisted Addiction Treatments (HB 5594/PA 99-0554): Prohibits drug court judges from denying medication assisted treatments, like methadone, for defendants. Provides that such medically prescribed treatment does not violate the terms or conditions of the drug court treatment program.

Department of Revenue Disclosures (HB 5598/PA 99-0517): States that sales tax information that IDOR already discloses to municipalities can also be disclosed to counties.

Licensure Dispute Resolutions (HB 5602/PA 99-0555): Clarifies that a long term care facility must submit comments refuting licensure findings for it to be considered an information dispute resolution. States that if the Department of Public Health (DPH) fails to provide a written explanation of the reason or reasons why the evidence or arguments were insufficient then the alleged and disputed violation shall be cited but no penalty shall be imposed.

Unclaimed Savings Bonds (HB 5607/PA 99-0556): Provides that US Savings Bonds will be presumed abandoned when such bond has remained unclaimed and unredeemed for five years after its date of final extended maturity.

All Kids Insurance Repeal Date (HB 5736/PA 99-0518): Extends the sunset of the All Kids health insurance program to October 1, 2019, which will align the end date with the federal end date of the program. It's worth noting that 753 undocumented children will still continue to receive full state benefits even though no federal matching dollars are received.

National Guard Discrimination (HB 5756/PA 99-0557): Provides that there shall be no unlawful discrimination in the Illinois National Guard and brings the Guard's policies in-line with federal standards and guidelines.

Private Pond Fishing Limits (HB 5796/PA 99-0532): States that limits on the amount of fish that can be taken do not apply to a person who is fishing in waters that are wholly within their property.

Plumber Licensing Act (HB 5913/PA 99-0504): Requires a licensed plumber to provide proof of completing four hours of continuing education to renew their license, as well as submit evidence that they have successfully completed a plumbing course supervised directly by an Illinois Licensed plumber. Also, requires the Director of the Department of Public Health to approve a plumbing license application.

Liquor License (HB 6125/PA 99-0558): Provides for 100 foot rule liquor license exemptions for eight Chicago restaurants and one restaurant in Thornton, IL.

Sentencing Council Positions (HB 6325/PA 99-0533): Removes the provision requiring that two sitting judges serve on the Illinois Sentencing Policy Advisory Council. States that the retired judges on the Council shall be selected by certain other members of the Council rather than by the Chief Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court.

Medical Cannabis Pilot Program Extension and Updates (SB 10/PA 99-0519): Extends the Medical Cannabis Pilot Program sunset date to July 1, 2020. Adds post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) to the list of conditions for which medical cannabis may be prescribed. Allows a person with a terminal illness diagnosis of six (6) months or less to use medical cannabis even if he or she does not have an approved debilitating condition. Requires all applicants to be fingerprinted as part of the application process if they are a first time applicant. Exempts terminally ill applicants from the fingerprinting and fees. Removes the fingerprinting requirement for renewal. States that a patient who has received a registry card shall have their card information to the Prescription Monitoring Program and allows the Program staff to place a notation on the patient's prescription record that the patient is allowed to use medical cannabis.

Youth Nicotine Prohibition (SB 32/PA 99-0496): Prohibits a person under the age of 18 from possessing alternative nicotine products.

Estate Assets (SB 163/PA 99-0497): Deletes provisions allowing the court to issue a citation for the appearance of any person who may have had assets in his or her position, and of any person who may be liable to the estate of a ward pursuant to any civil cause of action. This repeals P.A. 99-0093.

10th Circuit Judges (SB 185/PA 99-0520): Ensures a certain number of associate judges in the 10th Judicial Circuit and bases that number as a reflection of the population within the 10th Judicial Circuit's counties, which include Marshall, Peoria, Putnam, Stark, and Tazewell Counties.

Veterans Business Loans (SB 324/PA 99-0509): Creates a new assistance program that will provide state guarantees for loans to veteran-owned small business.

Water/Sewage Cost Study Trailer (SB 377/PA 99-0498): Acts as a follow-up to a previous law requiring townships that provide water/sewage services to conduct a cost study before increasing connection charges, by increasing the amount of time to 60 months (current 24) a township is required to conduct more than one cost study, and requiring petitioners or the municipalities/villages who triggered a subsequent cost study into the township water/sewage fees to pay their share of the new cost study.

MWRD Inclusion (SB 382/PA 99-0510): Includes a parcel of land in the Village of Hoffman Estates as part of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; this legislation secures contiguity of the district to the proposed enlarged area.

Alcohol at Libraries (SB 399/PA 99-0559): Allows alcohol to be delivered and sold at any building owned by a library district if the board of trustees of the library district votes to approve it.

Advanced Practice Nurses Licensure (SB 460/PA 99-0505): States that Advanced Practice Nurses who do not hold current national certification will not be able to have their license renewed during this licensure cycle (now through May 31, 2016). This legislation is a technical fix to ensure continuity of licensing of APN's.

REAL ID Compliance (SB 637/PA 99-0511): Makes the required legislative changes to bring Illinois into compliance with the federal REAL ID Act which seeks to improve homeland security and authentication of identification. Beginning July 1, 2017, SOS must refuse to issue a driver's licenses if a person concurrently holds an Illinois SOS issued ID card and must refuse to issue an ID card if a person concurrently holds a driver's license. Beginning July 1, 2017, all applicants for SOS issued Illinois Identification Cards and Illinois Person with a Disability Identification Cards shall provide proof of lawful status in the United States as provided by the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). Driver's license applicants who are unable to provide proof of lawful status in the United States may apply for a temporary visitor's driver's license. Provides that Secretary of State issued ID cards issued on or after July 1, 2017, to a person who has reached his or her 65th birthday shall expire 8 years (currently they do not expire). Provides that Illinois Person with a Disability Identification Card issued on or after July 1, 2017, shall expire every 8 year (currently 10 years).

Chicago Police/Fire Pension Holiday (SB 777/ VETO OVERRIDDEN PA 99-0506): Delays current law requiring 90 percent funding of Chicago Police/Fire pension funding by 2040, to state that Chicago Police/Fire pension funding must not be 90 percent funded until 2055. This would underfund the Chicago Police/Fire pension funds by nearly \$1 billion over a five year period. Currently, the Chicago Police pension fund is approximately 26 percent funded, and the Chicago Fire pension fund is approximately 24 percent funded.

Rental Property Theft (SB 1120/PA 99-0534): Adds rented equipment such as tools, construction equipment, and party or special event rentals to the offense of theft of labor, services, or property.

Upper Illinois River Valley Development Authority – Adds Lake County (SB 1262/PA 99-0499): Includes Lake County within the jurisdiction of authority maintained by the Upper Illinois River Valley Development Authority, and states that one member of the Authority's governing board will be appointed by the Lake County Board Chairman.

Collection Agency Conflict Clean-Up (SB 1369/PA 99-0500): Makes changes to address conflicting requirements between the Collection Agency Act and the federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act that are causing compliance issues for collection agencies and debt buyers.

Elections Omnibus Bill (SB 1529/PA 99-0522): Contains a litany of election-related changes and updates and serves as the 2016 elections omnibus bill. Impacts election commissions and entities across the state.

Budget Implementation (Senate Bill 1810/PA 99-0523): Creates the FY17 Stopgap Budget Implementation Act to make statutory changes necessary to implement the FY17 Stopgap Budget.

- Eliminates pay raises for Illinois legislators, State's attorneys, elected constitutional officers, agency directors, and other State officials, while also freezing per diem and mileage reimbursement rates for members of the General Assembly for another year;
- Authorizes funding for the Auditor General's office;
- Allows appropriations directly from the Budget Stabilization Fund and voids payback requirements;
- Extends IDOT's authority to pay PACE paratransit grants, RTA reduced fare subsidy grants and Amtrak subsidies, all from the Road Fund;
- School districts relying heavily upon Personal Property Replacement Tax (PPRT) receipts are to receive some additional PPRT funding;
- Extends the ability of State Police to receive funds from the Traffic and Criminal Conviction Surcharge Fund;
- Makes specific authorizations and transfers for the payment to state pension funds;
- Authorizes the sale of \$2 billion in capital bonds and \$2 billion in refunding bonds; and
- Several other fund changes and technical provisions are included to accommodate the appropriations made for the FY17 Stopgap Budget.

FY 2017 Stopgap Budget (SB 2047/PA 99-0524): Provides nearly \$50.6 billion in appropriations for past-due FY 2016 projects/programs, all twelve (12) months of Pre-K-12 education funding and capital/road projects, and six (6) months of other state agencies and programs in FY 2017. Agencies, operations and programs that are funded for half of FY 2017 will require new appropriations for January through July 2017. Does not include a tax increase and is revenue neutral.

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Higher Ed Funding (SB 2059/PA 99-0502): Appropriates approximately \$600 million in FY 2016 funds for higher education. These appropriations are designed to provide necessary funding and scholarship access through the summer of 2016 and come from the Education Assistance Fund (EAF). Includes the following appropriations:

- \$169.8 million for MAP grants;
- \$180.1 million for the U of I system;
- \$74.1 million for community colleges;
- \$57.5 million for the SIU system;
- \$26.4 million for NIU;
- \$20.9 million for ISU;
- \$20.1 million for Chicago State University;
- \$14.9 million for WIU;
- \$12.5 million for EIU;
- \$10.7 million for NEIU;

- \$7 million GSU and
- \$6 million for the Illinois Math & Science Academy.

Vegetative Filter Strip Property Tax Assessment Extension (SB 2160/PA 99-0560): Extends the sunset date on the assessment of vegetative filter strips to December 31, 2026.

False Personation (SB 2167/PA 99-0561): Expands the false personation offense to cover a person who knowingly and falsely represents himself or herself to be an active-duty member or veteran of the Armed Services, Reserve Forces, or Nation Guard to obtain money, property, or other benefit through that false representation.

SOS-Veteran ID and License (SB 2173/PA 99-0544): Clarifies that the Illinois Department of Veterans Affairs must advise the Secretary of State on ways to provide proof of service for designation on a driver's license/ID card. Also, those who qualify for the veteran designation would now include non-active duty service members; and any member reserve component or National Guard unit.

Enterprise Zones (SB 2241/PA 99-0525): Businesses located in an enterprise zone will be granted access to build facilities that cross railroad right-of-ways and can be used for transporting goods. Land management fees cannot exceed \$1,500.

Treasurer Warrants and Payments (SB 2260/PA 99-0562): Eliminates a provision requiring the State Treasurer to record the name to whom a warrant is made payable. This is a redundant law because the information is found on an online database. Also clarifies that the State Treasurer is to report to the State Comptroller all warrants, properly canceled, that may have been paid; and at appropriate intervals, the amount of money received and paid out.

ABLE Accounts (SB 2268/PA 99-0563): Permits the State Treasurer Act to accept contributions for Achieving a Better Life Experience Account Program (ABLE) accounts once the Internal Revenue Service has issued interim guidelines (currently has to wait for final regulations). Allows residents of any state to make contributions to ABLE accounts established by the Treasurer. Clarifies that the ABLE Accounts Administrative Fund may accept grants or other money from any other state government.

Annual Comprehensive Housing Plan (SB 2271/PA 99-0564): Reorganizes the State Housing Task Force and extends the sunset of the Annual Comprehensive Housing Plan to 2026.

Human Trafficking Awareness (SB 2286/PA 99-0565): Provides that required human trafficking awareness notices must be posted, among other places, in public restrooms of motels and hotels in clear view of the public and employees where similar notices are customarily posted.

Public Aid-Tech (SB 2331/PA 99-0566): Tightens current law and provides clarification that business affiliates of MCO's who contract out care coordination services are authorized to communicate with their enrollees.

Condo Association Board Closed Meetings (SB 2354/PA 99-0567): Clarifies what matters the condo board may discuss at a closed meeting usually involving contracts and litigation.

Dental Provider Notification of Plan Changes (SB 2355/PA 99-0566): Any dental provider contract entered into going forward that allows the rights and obligations of the contract to be assigned or leased

to another insurer shall provide for notice of that assignment or lease within 30 days after the assignment or lease to the contracting dentist.

Undeveloped Community Property Ownership (SB 2358/PA 99-0569): Provides that any assignment of a developer's interest in the property is not effective until the successor obtains the assignment in writing and records the assignment. Ensures that banks or subsequent purchasers of undeveloped portions of an association have written proof that they are the new owner instead of allowing verbal claims of ownership.

Adopted Rules Nullification (SB 2386/PA 99-0570): Establishes the DD Facility Advisory Board under the ID/DD Community Care Act to advise DPH on all aspects of its responsibilities under the Act. Provides that all rules, except emergency rules, that are adopted without review by the DD Facility Advisory Board are null. Further provides that if the Department declines to follow the advice of the advisory board, it must inform the advisory board in writing prior to adoption of the rules. Grants the board a 90-day deadline for acting on rules presented to it.

Mandatory Retirement Savings (SB 2420/PA 99-0571): Makes changes to the new Illinois Secure Choice Savings Program Act (mandatory retirement savings accounts) which was effective June 1, 2015. The bill provides that total annual expenses of the Board cannot exceed 0.75 percent of the total trust balance (currently annual administrative expenses).

Illinois Clinical Psychologist Licensing Act (SB 2433/PA 99-0572): Changes the Regulatory Sunset Act to extend the repeal date of the Illinois Clinical Psychologist Licensing Act for an additional 10 years. Also, changes the Illinois Clinical Psychologist Licensing Act to provide for technical clean-up and promote regularity of requirements among licenses issued under the Act.

Judicial Video Conferencing Mental Health Hearing (SB 2459/PA 99-0535): Authorizes the use of video conferencing in hearings to authorize involuntary administration of psychotropic medication and electroconvulsive therapy. Any court may permit any witness, including a psychiatrist, to testify by video conferencing equipment from any location in the absence of a court rule specifically prohibiting that testimony.

Property Tax Book Returns (SB 2517/PA 99-0573): Requires the chief county assessment officer to return the property tax assessment books to the board of review within 90 days of the township assessment roll or by the third Monday in June of the assessment year, whichever is later.

Annual Reports for Power Agencies (SB 2522/PA 99-0536): Changes duties and report deadline dates for Illinois Power Agency at the recommendation of an audit finding. Allows the IPA to voluntarily create a "Bureau" that would construct a power plant, instead of mandating that it does so.

Risk Retention Groups (SB 2589/PA 99-0512): Establishes new guidelines and standards for risk retention groups to apply within one (1) year of this language becoming law.

Addiction Treatment Vacate Judgement (SB 2601/PA 99-0574): Gives a person who has successfully completed alcohol or drug addiction treatment as a condition of probation more time in which to file a motion to vacate the judgment of conviction if they are eligible.

Transfer Tax Returns (SB 2611/PA 99-0575): Removes a provision requiring a copy of the Illinois transfer tax return be filed with the State Treasurer. Applies to payments made on or after July 1, 2012.

Mandate Reform (SB 2657/PA 99-0576): Repeals certain active state funds with no balances. Includes certain Budgeting for Results mandate reforms to identify outdated, duplicative or unduly burdensome mandates throughout state statutes.

Unclaimed Property Dormancy Period (SB 2783/PA 99-0577): Reduces the dormancy period for unclaimed property held by governmental units from 7 to 5 years.

External Review Request Deadline Change (SB 2787/PA 99-0537): Requires each health carrier to submit a report on all requests for external review to the Director of Insurance by June 1 rather than March 1 of each year.

Coal Mines (SB 2813/PA 99-0538): Makes changes concerning mine examinations, including timing and scope of the examination. Allows for the use of a multi-gas detector, rather than a flame safety lamp, to test for methane or oxygen. Requires examiners to enter the examination report either by calling out the results of the examination to a recorder on the surface or by personally recording the report so it is not susceptible to alteration. Makes other coal mine safety changes.

Cook County Pension Credit Code Act (SB 2817/PA 99-0578): Changes the Cook County Article of the Illinois Pension Code. This limits a provision allowing purchase of credit for certain former county service, to a person who first becomes a contributor before the effective date of the amendatory act.

Electronic Valuation Services (SB 2889/PA 99-0579): Proves that a board of review can serve a petition electronically to a taxing district when a change of \$100,000 in valuation is sought.

IMRF Survivors Benefits (SB 2894/PA 99-0580): Allows beneficiaries who have already begun receiving benefits, to apply for back payments previously denied by the 1 year limitation on application. Allows for IMRF member survivors qualified for benefits to apply for those benefits for more than a year after the death of the member and back payments from IMRF would not include interest.

Physician Assistants (SB 2900/PA 99-0581): Adds the term “physician assistant” to various acts that fall within the scope of practice of a license physician assistant.

Noxious Weeds (SB 2910/PA 99-0539): States that the governing body of each county may carry out the duties and responsibilities to include a coordinated program for control and eradication of noxious weeds within the county and do so by allowing the Department of Agriculture to send letters of non-compliance to weed control authorities that fail to carry out their responsibilities.

Pesticide Application (SB 2918/PA 99-0540): Provides that under the Illinois Pesticide Act a “Commercial Not For Hire Applicator,” includes a certified applicator who uses or supervises the use of pesticides classified for general or restricted use as an employee of a state agency, municipality, or other duly constituted governmental agency or unit. Also, removes the definition of “Licensed Public Applicator” from the act and changes fees for licensure.

Environmental Commission Organization (SB 2920/PA 99-0541): Adds four (4) more voting members to the Environmental Justice Commission. Requires the four (4) new members must be in communities

concerned with environmental justice and be made up of one member of the manufacturing sector, one from the energy sector, and two (2) from the labor sector.

Risked-Based Health Organization Accreditation (SB 2944/PA 99-0542): Satisfies the Health Organization element of the accreditation standard, the definitions of Company Action Level Event and specifically the trend test that is applicable to property and casualty insurers be applicable to health organizations.

State and Federal Environment Code Unifier (SB 2956/PA 99-0582): Amends the Environmental Barriers Act to incorporate 2010 changes in federal law, clear up confusion in existing statute, and create one code that architects can use to comply with their federal and state accessibility law obligations.

Aluminum Recycling (SB 2963/PA 99-0543): Amends the Illinois Solid Waste Management Act section regarding aluminum can recycling to change the language to say “implemented” instead of “shall implement.”

Donating Jury Fees (SB 3034/PA 99-0583): Creates the Lake County Children's Advocacy Center Pilot Program. This will allow any juror in Lake County to elect to have his or her juror fees donated to the Lake County Children's Advocacy Center.

Minority and Women Trades People (SB 3104/PA 99-0584): Institutes a civil penalty system for violations of the State Construction Minority and Female Building Trades Act.

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Chicago Pension Property Tax (SB 318/PA 99-0521): Grants the Chicago Board of Education the ability to levy an additional property tax to help support the Chicago Teachers Pension Fund. Does not require the Board to levy a tax increase. This is not considered a new rate under the PTELL laws/rules.

Bath Salts Prohibition (SB 210/PA 99-0585): Makes it a Class 3 felony with a maximum \$150 fine to sell or offer for sale any bath salts in a retail mercantile establishment. The bill defines "bath salts" as any synthetic or natural material containing any quantity of a cathinone chemical structure, including any analogs, salts, isomers, or salts of isomers of any synthetic or natural material containing a cathinone chemical structure.

Early Childhood Block Grant (SB 238/PA 99-0589): States that beginning FY16 at least 25 percent of any additional Early Childhood Block Grant funding that exceeds funding in the previous Fiscal Year allocation, must be used to fund programs for children age 0 – 3. Furthermore, the measure states that once the percentage of this funding reaches 20 percent of the overall allocation for a full fiscal year, it must remain at this 20 percent level. Currently, not less than 14 percent of block grant funding is to be used to fund these programs.

3D Mammogram Coverage (SB 466/PA 99-0588): Requires the state to begin an insurance mandate to cover 3D mammography on July 1, 2016.

FOIA Penalties – Molly's Law (HB 4715/PA 99-0586): Another component of Molly's Law, which states that if a public body fails to comply with a court order to disclose public records after 30 days and the court's order is not on appeal or stayed and the court does not grant an extension of the time for compliance, the court may impose an additional penalty of up to \$1,000 for each day the violation continues.

Molly's Law (HB 6083/PA 99-0587): Advances another portion of "Molly's Law" and extends the statute of limitations in wrongful death cases to five (5) years after the date of death if the death is the result of violent intentional conduct or within one (1) year after the final disposition of the criminal case if the defendant is charged with a homicide offense. However, it only applies to the violent actor and that these changes apply to causes of action that accrue on or after the effective date.

Juvenile Offense Reduction (SB 2777/PA 99-0628): Amends the Juvenile Court Act of 1987 so that a minor cannot be committed to the Department of Juvenile Justice for a Class 4 felony of criminal trespass to a residence, criminal damage to property, criminal damage to government supported property, criminal defacement of property, disorderly conduct, or obstructing justice.

Amputation Definition (SB 3082/PA 99-0635): Moves a sentence defining amputation from one section to another to clarify the effect. Makes no substantive changes to the Act.

CPS Matriculation Committee (HB 119/PA 99-0592): Allows the Chicago Public Schools school board to create a committee on retention of students, which would have the following members: district superintendent (or designee); a district administrator who directs instruction/curriculum; a school principal; and a teacher. The committee is to review and make determinations concerning students a school has found not qualified to go the next higher grade.

Manufactured Home Sales (HB 1056/PA 99-0593): States that no person may/shall sell manufactured homes unless that person is licensed by the Secretary of State's office. Provides for a licensure process.

Will County Land Acquisition (HB 1191/PA 99-0594): Grants quick take authority for a period of one year to Will County for the acquisition of approximately two miles of property for the purpose of expanding the portion of Weber Road (County Highway 88) between Normantown Road and West 135th Street.

CPS Student Council (HB 3239/PA 99-0597): Allows a student who is 17 or older to run as a community resident for the local school council. Redefines "community resident."

Blue Light on Motorcycles (HB 4105/PA 99-0598): Allows motorcycles to be equipped with a blue light or lights located on the rear of the motorcycle as a part of the motorcycle's rear stop lamp or lamps.

Military Family Care Plan (HB 4327/PA 99-0599): Allows a parent who is on active military duty to appoint a short term guardian for their child and allows that guardianship to last up to thirty (30) days after the end of the parent's active duty.

State Seal of Biliteracy (HB 4330/PA 99-0600): Requires Illinois public universities to accept the State Seal of Biliteracy as two years of high school foreign language credit if student's high-school transcript indicates that he or she will be receiving or has received the State Seal of Biliteracy.

Attendance Commission Sunset (HB 4343/PA 99-0601): Requires the Attendance Commission within ISBE to release an initial report to the General Assembly and ISBE on March 15, 2016 instead of December 15, 2015 until the year 2020.

Dyslexia Definition (HB 4352/PA 99-0602): Adds the specific definition of dyslexia into the school code that ISBE is to incorporate in both general and special education classes.

Reading Instruction Advisory Group (HB 4367/PA 99-0603): Requires ISBE to reestablish the Reading Instruction Advisory Group to complete the abolished group's work. The group is to complete its work before December 31, 2016, and is abolished on this date.

Local Government Travel Expenses (HB 4379/PA 99-0604): Requires that non-home rule units of local government, community colleges, and school districts create a regulation and documentation process for travel, meal, and lodging expenses.

Airman Registration (HB 4387/PA 99-0605): Codifies that registration of an airman with the Division of Aeronautics of the Department of Transportation (IDOT) will come with a one-time fee of \$20 payable at registration.

School Energy Efficiency Grants (HB 4397/PA 99-0606): Provides that school energy efficiency grants that were awarded in 2014 may be expended over four years from the date the funds were distributed.

Federal Motor Carrier Safety (HB 4445/PA 99-0607): Adds employees of farmers to the farm vehicle driver waiver of Commercial Driver's License & Commercial Learner's Permit requirements. Restricts the farm vehicle driver and covered farm vehicle waivers for interstate transportation to those individuals 21 years and older and intrastate to those 18 years and older.

Business Documents Verification (HB 4449/PA 99-0608): Requires that documents be executed and verified (rather than just executed) by the president, a vice-president, the secretary, an assistant secretary, the treasurer, or other officer duly authorized by the board of directors of the corporation.

Land Trust Rights (HB 4697/PA 99-0609): States that if the identity of the trustee of a land trust has been changed by virtue of sale, assignment, or appointment - but the beneficial owner or owners of the land trust remain unchanged - then the rights of the beneficial owner or owners shall in no way be impaired by the change of trustees.

Online Privacy from Employer (HB 4999/PA 99-0610): Makes it unlawful for any employer or prospective employer to require, request, access, authenticate, or coerce any employee or prospective employee to provide usernames and passwords to their personal online account.

Accelerate College Program (HB 5561/PA 99-0611): Authorizes a community college district board of trustees to enter into an Accelerate College educational partnership agreement with any school district within the community college respective district. The community college district shall offer a group of high school students the right to take community college courses without paying tuition for those courses but may charge fees for these courses.

Condo Association Acceptable Technology (HB 5696/PA 99-0612): Amends the definition of "acceptable technological means" to add any generally available technology that, by rule of the Association, is deemed to provide reasonable security, reliability, identification, and verifiability. Condo association communications are allowed to be made by acceptable technological means.

Uninsured Operator Offense (HB 5723/PA 99-0613): States that a person convicted of operating a motor vehicle without an insurance policy shall be guilty of a petty offense (rather than a business offense) unless the person has been convicted of this same offense three or more times.

Credit Union Operations (HB 5755/PA 99-0614): Intends to provide parity with federal law and makes technical amendments intended to enable credit unions to operate efficiently and better serve their members. This measure makes a number of changes having to do with a credit union's board of directors, including their duties, and also makes other changes relating to penalties and certain credit union mergers.

Assessment Reporting (HB 5901/PA 99-0590): Beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, requires every school district in the state to report, for every school in the district and before the 30th day of the school year, information about assessments that will be administered by each school that school year.

Professional Development Hours Rollover (HB 6181/PA 99-0591): Allows a teacher who earns more than the required professional development hours during the renewal cycle to carry the extra hours over to the next renewal cycle if the hours were earned between April 1 and June 30.

Enterprise Zones (SB 571/PA 99-0615): Provides the effective date of an Enterprise Zone be the date of the DCEO's certification, and provides the zone application process will begin three years prior to expiration.

ADA Training (SB 2137/PA 99-0616): Provides that beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, teacher institutes must include instruction on the federal Americans with Disabilities Act as it pertains to the school environment, at least once every two years.

Sexual Assault DNA Profiles (SB 2221/PA 99-0617): Requires the State Police to notify the investigating law enforcement agency and the appropriate State's Attorney's Office any time a consistent DNA profile has been identified in a sexual assault case by comparing the submitted sexual assault evidence with a known standard from a suspect or with DNA profiles in the "Combined DNA Index System" (CODIS) database.

Bail Payments (SB 2252/PA 99-0618): Allows bail payments to be in the form of currency as well as other forms of payment as the sheriff, by rule, shall authorize.

Library Grant Eligibility Waiver (SB 2255/PA 99-0619): Permanently allows the State Librarian to waive a library grant eligibility requirement. Public libraries will be able to continue receiving state library grants, even if not charging a minimum property tax rate for library purposes.

Secretary of State Fund Transfers (SB 2303/PA 99-0620): Changes the annual excess fund transfers to GRF from June 30 to August 31 for the following funds: 1) The Department of Business Services Special Operations Fund; 2) Corporate Franchise Tax Refund Fund and; 3) Division of Corporations Limited Liability Partnership Fund. The transfers cannot be done June 30 due to lapse period spending and any required legislative transfers.

Clinical Social Worker Rules (SB 2332/PA 99-0621): Requires the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to make rules to implement already existing law regarding the licensed activities of clinical social workers in Illinois. These rules will allow clinical social workers in Illinois access to Medicaid services in order to practice legally authorized activities.

Citizen Privacy Protection Act (SB 2343/PA 99-0622): Requires law enforcement to obtain a warrant based on probable cause before using cell site simulator. The bill would also require law enforcement to delete any data the devices pick up from phones used by those who aren't the target of an investigation.

School Support Personnel/Principal Endorsements (SB 2440/PA 99-0623): extends for two years the sunset date for school personnel who have at least four-years of educational personnel experience, in order to obtain a principal endorsement. Educators would still be required to go through principal-preparation programming and have at least a master's degree or higher.

Career and College Success for All Act (SB 2505/PA 99-0624): Requires public universities and community colleges to accept scores of 4 or higher on the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program examinations for credit to satisfy degree requirements. Each institution shall determine for each AP and IBDP subject whether credit will be granted for elective, general education, or major requirements.

DCFS Living Adult Relatives Finder (SB 2512/PA 99-0625): The bill is an initiative to bring DCFS into federal compliance by providing that the court shall ensure, by inquiring in open court of each parent, guardian, custodian, or responsible relative; that the parent, guardian, custodian, or responsible relative, has had the opportunity to provide DCFS with all known names, addresses, and telephone numbers of each of the minor's living maternal and paternal adult relatives. The court shall advise those persons to inform DCFS if additional information regarding the minor's adult relatives becomes available.

Property Tax Appeal Board Decision Email (SB 2593/PA 99-0626): Provides that the PTAB can send an appellant's petition to the board of review via email, when the board of review's decision is being appealed.

Community Instrument Error Corrections (SB 2741/PA 99-0627): Provides the process to make changes to community documents to correct errors, omissions or conform to statute to only require board of directors approval (2/3 vote) and make consistent with changes to the Condominium Property Act that were made last year.

Money Laundering Joinder (SB 2876/PA 99-0629): Adds the criminal offense of money laundering to the list of offenses that can be joined into one count of an indictment, rather than requiring each transaction to be prosecuted separately.

Child Victim Battery Testimony (SB 2880/PA 99-0630): Allows taking victim's testimony via one-way closed circuit television in aggravated battery or aggravated domestic battery offenses of a child or developmentally delayed victim if it is taken during the proceeding and the trial court determines that testimony by the child or developmentally delayed victim in the courtroom will result in serious emotional trauma or severe emotional distress.

Property Damage Threshold (SB 2907/PA 99-0631): Increases the felony threshold amount for damage to property from over \$300 to over \$500 for the offenses of criminal damage to property, institutional vandalism, and criminal defacement of property.

Electrologist Licensing (SB 2984/PA 99-0632): Requires a person to complete a total of 600 hours in the study of electrology over a period of not less than 16 weeks nor more than 4 (rather than 2) years at a program approved by the Department.

Genetic Counseling Referral Act (SB 2985/PA 99-0633): Removes language prohibiting a genetic counselor from providing genetic counseling without a referral.

County Appointments (SB 2994/PA 99-0634): Requires the county board or county commissioners of each county to submit a report to the General Assembly identifying any local public entity a county board, board of county commissioners, county board chairman or president, or county executive appoints members to.

Illinois Articulation Initiative Act (SB 3301/PA 99-0636): Requires all public universities and community colleges to participate in the Illinois Articulation Initiative. Intends to ease transfer for students enrolled in participant Illinois community colleges and public universities.

Limited Liability Company (LLC) Changes (HB 4361/PA 99-0637): Creates new guidelines for LLC's to include oral agreements, member management, member authority lists, LLC transfers, and various other technical changes.

DCFS Abuse Report of a Service Member (HB 4425/PA 99-0638): Requires the Department of Children and Family Services to determine the military status of each parent or guardian who is named as the alleged perpetrator in a child abuse or neglect report. Sets forth several guidelines.

Illinois Commission Act (HB 4529/PA 99-0639): All municipalities with a population of less than 1,000,000 or a county adopting a new building code or amending an existing building code must provide an identification of the code, by title and edition, or the amendment to the Capital Development Board, at least 30 days before adopting the code or amendment. The Capital Development Board must identify the proposed code by title and edition and note if any amendments were made to the public on the Capital Development Board website.

Making Homes Affordable Extension (HB 4595/PA 99-0640): Extends the Making Home Affordable Program by two years to January 1, 2018. The federal government extended the program through the end of 2016. Changes the date by when a mortgagor must apply for assistance to December 31, 2016.

Tax Preparer Identification (HB 5527/PA 99-0641): Beginning January 1, 2017, the Department of Revenue (DOR) can require any income tax return preparer to include his or her Preparer Tax Identification Number on any returns or claims prepared by the preparer.

2016 General Revisions Act (HB 5540/PA 99-0642): Combines multiple versions of Sections amended by more than one Public Act. Renumbers Sections of various Acts to eliminate duplication. Corrects obsolete cross-references and technical errors. Makes stylistic changes.

P-20 Council (HB 5566/PA 99-0643): Allows the chairperson of the Illinois P-20 Council to authorize the creation of a working group to focus on tuition, financial aid, and other issues related to keeping postsecondary education affordable for Illinois residents.

Vehicle Registration Expiration (HB 5651/PA 99-0644): Allows the Secretary of State to require an owner of a car or light truck to select his or her birthday as the motor vehicle's registration expiration date. If the motor vehicle has more than one registered owner, the owners may select one registered owner's birthday as the date of expiration.

Youth Unemployment Task Force (HB 5668/PA 99-0645): Creates the Youth Unemployment Task Force to examine the State-wide youth unemployment crisis – particularly its effect on young people of color - including recommendations on how to improve employment among young people of color in this State.

Wage Transparency (HB 5684/PA 99-0646): Creates the Local Government Wage Increase Transparency Act. Applies to employees under the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) who began participation before January 1, 2011 and who are not subject to a collective bargaining agreement. Defines "disclosable payment" as a payment that: 1) would be made to the employee by the employer after the employee expressed the intent to retire or withdraw services; 2) would increase the employee's reportable monthly income by more than 6%; and 3) would be made between 12 months and 90 days prior to the employee's expected termination of service. After an employee has expressed to the employer an intent to retire or withdraw from service, the employer may not pay a disclosable payment

to the employee within a specified period before the expected date of retirement or withdrawal without first disclosing certain information about the payment at a public meeting of the governing body of the employer. Includes a home rule preemption.

Computer Science Education Task Force (HB 5720/PA 99-0647): Requires the State Board of Education (ISBE) to establish the Task Force on Computer Science Education to be comprised of 14 members with the following goals: analyze the current state of computer science education in this State; analyze current science education laws in other jurisdictions; and make funding recommendations if the Task Force's recommendations to the General Assembly would require a fiscal commitment from the state. One of the members must be the CEO of the Chicago Public Schools (CPS) system.

Unused Meds Disposal (HB 5781/PA 99-0648): Codifies the authority of police officers, coroners, and medical examiners to dispose of unused medications found at the scene of a death following consultation with the investigating law enforcement agency. If an autopsy is performed as part of a death investigation, no medication seized shall be disposed of until after a toxicology report is received by the entity requesting the report.

Drone Task Force Expansion (HB 5808/PA 99-0649): Changes the composition of the "drone" task force. The proposal adds nine additional members - eight appointed by Senate and House Majority and Minority Leaders and a member of a statewide broadcasters association - who will be appointed by their president within 60 days of becoming law. Pushes back the deadline of the report to July 1, 2017.

Area Planning Councils (HB 5894/PA 99-0650): Makes technical changes to existing Area Planning Councils legislation. Updates language and ensures non duplication of services with the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act (WIOA).

Federal "Peace Officers" (HB 5910/PA 99-0651): Includes officers in the Department of Homeland Security, US Citizenship and Immigration Services, US Coast Guard, Customs and Border Patrol, and ICE in the Illinois definition of "peace officer" and entitles them to those rights under Illinois law. Removes the FBI Special Agent in Charge in the Springfield field office from the Training Standards Board.

IDES Reporting Requirements (HB 5930/PA 99-0652): Changes the monitoring of employment progress for women and minorities in the workforce from the Department of Labor to the Department of Employment Security (IDES). Codifies that that a nursing employing agency, prior to any employment, must check the Health Care Worker Registry to verify that the nurse certification is valid and that the nurse is eligible to be hired. Requires the reports details employment progress of women and minorities in the work force to be filed biennially, instead of annually, and that the reports shall be filed on April 1st of every even-numbered year.

Local Food, Farms, and Jobs Council Reduction (HB 5933/PA 99-0653): Reduces the size of the voting members on the Local Food, Farms and Jobs Council from 35 to 18 in order to increase efficiency. Removes the council's responsibility to develop a label and certification program.

Pharmacy Pilot Program (HB 5949/PA 99-0654): Extends the repeal of the medicine locking closure package pilot program from January 1, 2017 to January 1, 2018.

Community College Clean-up (HB 6009/PA 99-0655): Provides local community colleges with data collection relief by reducing data redundancy and eliminating data collections that are not vital to the

goals established by the ICCB. Removes sections of the Community College Act that are outdated and clarifies coordination of specific responsibilities between IBHE and ICCB.

Vehicular Endangerment (HB 6010/PA 99-0656): Provides that the offense of vehicular endangerment includes striking a motor vehicle by causing an object to fall from an overpass or other elevated location above or adjacent to and above a highway in the direction of a moving motor vehicle with the intent to strike a motor vehicle while it is traveling upon a highway in this State.

Annual School Code Cleanup (HB 6044/PA 99-0657): This bill is the latest piece of legislation put forth by ISBE to cleanup and update outdated sections of code and not to make consequential substantive changes.

Animal Immunization and Bite Reporting (HB 6084/PA 99-0658): A veterinarian immunizing a dog, cat, or ferret against rabies shall provide the Administrator of the county in which the dog, cat, or ferret resides with a certificate of immunization. Any owner, agent, or caretaker of an animal documented to have bitten a person shall present the animal to a licensed veterinarian within 24 hours. At the end of the confinement period, the animal shall be examined by a licensed veterinarian, inoculated against rabies, if eligible, and microchipped, if the dog or cat has not been already, at the expense of the owner.

Identification Cards Act (SB 2524/PA 99-0659): Provides for the application and fee for first identification cards issued to a youth for whom the Department of Children and Family Services is legally responsible for or foster children upon turning the age of 16 years old until they reach the age of 21 years old.

Real Estate Law Suits (SB 2677/PA 99-0660): Requires that all statewide written notices that a law suit has been filed concerning real estate, involving either the title to the property or a claimed ownership in it, be filed to the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) via an electronic system.

Emergency Medical Systems (SB 2704/PA 99-0661): Defines "clinical observation" as the on-going observation of a patient's condition by a licensed health care professional. Defines "medical monitoring" as the performance of medical tests and physical exams to evaluate potentially negative effects to an individual's health. Includes medical monitoring and clinical observation into "Basic Life Support Services" of pre-hospital and inter-hospital emergency care.

Real Estate E-Recording Commission (SB 2805/PA 99-0662): Adds two members to the Illinois Electronic Recording Commission. These two new members will be appointed by the Secretary of State. They are to be licensed real estate brokers or managing brokers under the Real Estate License Act of 2000.

Railroad Crossing Failure to Stop (SB 2806/PA 99-0663): Doubles the fine for not stopping at a railroad crossing. The first violation is increased to \$500 (currently \$250) and the second or subsequent violation is increased to \$1,000 (currently \$500).

Juvenile Critical Incidents (HB 114/PA 99-0664): States that if the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) is appointed legal custodian or guardian of a minor the Department must file updated case plans with the court every six months. Requires the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) to file a "critical incident report" within ten (10) days after the occurrence of a critical incident involving a youth

committed to the DJJ. Also requires the DJJ must file a detailed case plan with the court every 6 months for every juvenile held in detention facility.

PACE Borrowing for Transit Buses (HB 750/PA 99-0665): Allows the purchase of new transit buses as an eligible purpose for PACE to borrow money. Removes cost estimates for various PACE construction projects. PACE's current borrowing limit of \$100 million as provided by current law is not increased.

Criminal Racial Data (HB 1437/PA 99-0666): Requires the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (ICJIA) to use data reported by law enforcement agencies to determine and report the number of persons arrested and released without being charged, and report the racial and ethnic composition of those persons.

Drug and Sex Offenders Teacher Licensing (HB 4360/PA 99-0667): Permits a person who has been convicted of certain drug offenses to obtain an educator license beginning seven years after the person has completed his or her criminal sentence for the offense. This is subject to other licensing requirements. Allows individuals with certain indecent exposure convictions to obtain a teacher licensure. Does not compel a school district to hire former offenders and allows local school boards and administrators to set their own personnel policies related to hiring former offenders.

Water Authority Dissolution (HB 4371/PA 99-0668): Provides a process for the dissolution of water authorities through referendum.

North Shore Water Reclamation District (HB 4492/PA 99-0669): Changes the title to the North Shore Water Reclamation District (*previously North Shore Sanitary District*) and codifies current practices and clarifies the enforcement powers of the District.

Non-resident Student Hearings (HB 4606/PA 99-0670): For non-Chicago schools: changes the process for determining whether a pupil is a nonresident of a district and requires additional detail in the notification process as well as specific disclosure of evidence to be used in a hearing. Provides for a process in which the person who enrolled the pupil can petition the regional superintendent if the school board determines the pupil to be a non-resident. For Chicago Public Schools (CPS): codifies that, if a hearing concerning residency is requested, the pupil may continue to attend the school district pending the final decision of the CPS board of Education. However, the person enrolling the pupil is still obliged to pay the tuition charged if the pupil is determined to be a non-resident.

Crime Victim & Witness Definition (HB 5472/PA 99-0671): Amends the Crime Victims Compensation Act so that a victim also includes a person who will be called as a witness by the prosecution to establish a necessary nexus between the offender and the violent crime. Changes the definition of witness to include a person who will be called by the prosecution to give testimony establishing a necessary nexus between the offender and the violent crime.

Contraception Coverage (HB 5576/PA 99-0672): Provides that any accident or health insurance policy must provide coverage for all contraceptive drugs, devices and other FDA-approved products. Currently, ACA requires insurance to cover the complete cost of at least one version of each type of contraception. This measure requires an insurance company to cover any difference in cost with no ability to cost-share, if the patient or physician prefers a different version of contraception than normally provided by the insurance network.

Notice of Claim for Labor or Material – Public Construction Bonds (HB 5660/PA 99-0673): A verified notice of a claim shall be deemed filed on the date personal service occurs, or the date when the verified notice is mailed as authorized by statute.

College and Career Framework (HB 5729/PA 99-0674): Establishes a College and Career Expectations Framework model for college and career expectations that defines high school coursework and criteria in order to place students into college credit-bearing work and provides for Career Pathway endorsements on high school diplomas through a voluntary system. Adds in provisions regarding mandate waivers relating to teacher tenure and teacher or principal evaluations. Any waiver or modification of a teacher educator license to permit instruction by non-educators or educators without the proper license must be approved by an appropriately licensed teacher. Limits the amount of school districts for the pilot program for the first two years to twelve (12) school districts and fifteen (15) school districts after that. A school district having a population exceeding 500,000 inhabitants may not include more than six schools.

Paternity Denial Forms (HB 5775/PA 99-0675): Requires that if new data elements are included in the paternity forms the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) - in conjunction with the Department of Public Health (DPH) - shall provide instructions that have been prescribed by DHFS about the new data elements to the hospital personnel responsible for assisting the child's mother, biological father or presumed father with completing the forms. Also removes font size requirements about the right to a DNA test.

Municipal & County Investments (HB 5884/PA 99-0676): Allows municipalities and counties can invest up to \$250,000 in public funds per year in not-for-profit community development financial institutions (CDFIs) across all financial institutions.

Co-Op Businesses (HB 5898/PA 99-0677): Allows a co-operative to be formed without regard to the type of business.

Speech Rights of Student Journalists (HB 5902/PA 99-0678): Provides a student journalist has the right to exercise freedom of speech and of the press in school-sponsored media, regardless of whether the media is supported financially by the school district or by use of school facilities or produced in conjunction with a class in which the student is enrolled.

Immigrant Terminology (HB 5945/PA 99-0679): Changes terminology to "documented or undocumented immigrant" in The Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act.

Public Health Hygienists (HB 5948/PA 99-0680): Provides increased education requirements for newly expanded scope of practice for "public health hygienists", which was created a public act from 2015.

Disabled Vehicle Safety (HB 6006/PA 99-0681): Codifies that an individual driving on a highway of at least four lanes - with at least two going in the same direction - must make a lane change into a lane not next to a disabled vehicle with lighted hazard lights. Further clarifies that if changing lanes is not feasible then the driver must proceed with caution and reduce the speed of the car so to maintain a safe speed for road conditions. A person who violates this rule commits a petty offense.

Benefit Reinstatement (HB 6021/PA 99-0682): Creates for TRS, SURS, and IMRF, a one year window that allows annuitants who received a refund of contributions in lieu of a survivor benefit to repurchase those survivors benefits, with added interest, from the fund.

Deceased Annuitants Pension Fund (HB 6030/PA 99-0683): Requires every pension fund or retirement system - except downstate fire and police funds - to develop a process to identify annuitants who are deceased at least once per month. The entities noted in this legislation must provide free and open access to the records and information in their respective databases.

Medicaid Facility Groupings (HB 6060/PA 99-0684): Adds the percentage of Medicaid-funded residents as one of the factors the Department of Healthcare and Family Services must consider in grouping nursing facilities for purposes of payment. Provides that a resident of a nursing facility whose application for long term care benefits is awaiting final action shall be included in the calculation as a Medicaid funded resident.

Photographic Evidence (SB 211/PA 99-0685): Allows law enforcement agencies to use undercover drug money for other purposes while the criminal case is pending, by allowing photographs of the currency to be admissible as evidence in court to the same extent as the currency itself.

Seized Drug Money Uses (SB 212/PA 99-0686): Allows moneys and sale proceeds of all other property forfeited and seized to also be used for public education in the community or schools in the prevention or detection of the abuse of drugs or alcohol.

Patient Safety Closed Meetings (SB 384/PA 99-0687): Allows a public body to hold a closed meeting to discuss matters protected under the federal Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2005 or HIPAA (or the regulations adopted under either Act) by a hospital or other institution providing medical care, that is operated by the public body.

Torture Inquiry & Relief Commission (SB 392/PA 99-0688): Allows the Illinois Torture Inquiry and Relief Commission to also hear claims of police torture that allegedly occurred in Cook County. Extends the recently expired deadline for filing claims an additional five years.

Vehicle Video Event Recording (SB 629/PA 99-0689): Allows a person to operate a video event recorder in a contract carrier vehicles, which is a device that allows video to be continuously recorded in a digital loop. These vehicles must have a notice posted stating that a passenger's conversation may be recorded. Any data recorded is the sole property of the registered owner or lessee of the vehicle.

Conscience Based Medical Objections (SB 1564/PA 99-0690): Requires health care facilities to adopt written access to care and information protocols that are designed to ensure that conscience-based objections do not cause impairment of patients' health and that explain how conscience-based objections will be addressed in a timely manner to facilitate patient health care services.

Community College Audits (SB 2155/PA 99-0691): Requires that part of recognition granted by ICCB must include regular peer audits of the finances and operations of community colleges. Every community college shall be subject to a peer audit every 5 years. The peer audit shall review compliance with all State law including: transparency, contract formation, renewal, extension or termination, bonuses payments, and Open Meetings Act requirements.

Community College Trustee Training (SB 2157/PA 99-0692): States that all trustees elected or appointed after the effective date must complete training covering community college and labor law, opening meetings law, freedom of information law, ethics, financial oversight and accountability, audits, contract law and the fiduciary responsibilities of a community college trustee.

Community College Contract Blackout Period (SB 2158/PA 99-0693): Establishes a blackout period beginning 45 days prior to local elections in April of odd numbered years and continuing until the first organizational meeting of the community colleges board of trustees. During that blackout period no addendum to modify and amend an employee agreement between a community college district and the district's president, chancellor, or chief executive officer nor may an employment contract be made and entered into between the Board and the president, chancellor, or chief executive officer.

Higher Education Transparency (SB 2159/PA 99-0694): Establishes new requirements and limitations on community college and public university contracts with the president or chancellors. Requires contracts to be agreed to in open meetings. Makes changes that would put severance payments and buyouts into an escrow account if there are pending charges against a president or chancellor.

Board of Trustees Training (SB 2174/PA 99-0695): Requires every voting member of the governing board of a public university appointed for a term beginning after January 1, 2016 to complete a minimum of 3 hours of professional development training within 2 years after beginning service and within every 2 years of service thereafter. Requires the university to maintain on its website the names of all members who have completed training.

FOID Revoke by Clerk (SB 2213/PA 99-0696): Requires the circuit court clerk to notify the State Police twice a year if no one has been adjudicated mentally disabled by the court or has been involuntarily admitted by the court within the last 6 months. The Supreme Court may adopt rules necessary to identify individuals who have been adjudicated mentally disabled or have been involuntarily admitted and must be reported to the State Police.

Cannabis Decriminalization (SB 2228/PA 99-0697): Seeks to reduce arrests of individuals in possession of small amounts of cannabis, to remove low-level offenders from the state's overcrowded court system.

- Makes possession of up to 10 grams of marijuana a civil violation punishable by a minimum fine of \$100 and a maximum fine of \$200. The civil offense is automatically expunged to prevent a permanent criminal record. An individual can receive an unlimited number of \$100 fines without additional consequences, as long as the fines are paid.
- Establishes a per se standard for Cannabis-DUI of 5 nano/decil of blood or 10 nano/decil of saliva in system (previously zero tolerance).
- Allows for alternative ways to test for cannabis DUI using "any bodily substance" (including saliva) for testing—this is an expansion from current law of breath, blood, and urine.
- Creates a new Class 2 felony for manufacturing Butane Hash Oil.

Parolees Community Involvement (SB 2282/PA 99-0698): Allows parolees to associate with other parolees involving activities related to community programs, worship services, volunteering, and engaging families without prior written permission of his or her parole agent.

Child Care Act Day Care Center (SB 2321/PA 99-0699): Clarifies the programs or portions of programs at child care facilities for them to be deemed "day care centers."

Teen REACH Program Act (SB 2407/PA 99-0700): Establishes a state grant program called Teen Responsibility, Education, Achievement, Caring, and Hope (Teen REACH) Grant Program. This grant program is intended to support local communities by providing grant funding to after-school activities for children ages 6-17.

Peoria Election Commission (SB 2468/PA 99-0701): Extends until December 31, 2019 a provision for the Peoria Election Commission regarding tabulation of fractional cumulative votes. The current provision expired in 2015 and the City of Peoria elects its At-Large Council members every four years by fractional cumulative voting; this system was created by a lawsuit and is restricted to the City of Peoria.

Chicago Teacher Pension Fund (SB 2584/PA 99-0702): Shortens the time frame that an annuitant of the Chicago Teacher Pension Fund may retroactively collect on annuity payments to 1 year.

Child Bereavement Leave (SB 2613/PA 99-0703): Mandates employers of 50 or more and all public employers to provide at least two weeks (ten work days) of unpaid leave from work in the event that the employee wants to attend the funeral of a child, make arrangement necessitated by the death, or grieve the death of the child. Establishes a cap of six work weeks of child bereavement leave for the employee during each calendar year.

Financial Standards Sunset (SB 2739/PA 99-0704): Changes the repeal date for the Financial Reporting Standards Board Act to June 30, 2018 (Currently set to expire June 30, 2016).

Yoga School Certification (SB 2743/PA 99-0705): Adds a school or program within a school that exclusively provides yoga instruction, yoga teacher training, or both to the list of exemptions that are not considered private business and vocational schools. Allows these schools or programs to operate without obtaining permit approval by the Board of Higher Education.

Untapped Potential Act (SB 2970/PA 99-0706): Makes changes with regard to the funding application process for schools applying for gifted education program funding. Establishes requirements that schools who wish to pursue this funding must meet and demonstrate in a plan they will submit to ISBE.

Senior Surcharge Registration Fees (SB 2974/PA 99-0707): Removes the requirement to pay surcharges for vehicle registration fees from any vehicle owner who has been approved for benefits under the Senior Citizens and Disabled Persons Property Tax Relief Act. Adds to the list of those eligible for permanent vehicle registration plates, now including vehicles owned by public school districts and public community colleges (but not buses) and smaller vehicles owned by a medical facility or hospital of a municipality.

Custodian of the IL State Board of Investment Board (SB 3071/PA 99-0708): Provides that the Illinois State Board of Investment must appoint and retain a qualified custodian of the board.

Local Government Dissolution (HB 229/PA 99-0709): Allows both Lake County and McHenry County to dissolve units of local government whose governing body is appointed by the county chairman. Adds conservation districts to the units of local government that are excluded from dissolution. Also excludes community mental health boards from being dissolved. Currently these consolidation powers are only granted to DuPage County.

Patient Increase of FEC Ambulance (HB 4388/PA 99-0710): Clarifies that Freestanding Emergency Centers (FECs) can receive a limited number of patients by ambulance. Patients can only be received by ambulance according to the facilities 24-hour capabilities and protocols developed by The Resource Hospital and must be pre-approved both the EMS Medicaid Director and Illinois Department of Public Health.

Training for Epinephrine Auto-Injectors (HB 4462/PA 99-0711): Expands access to epinephrine to treat life-threatening allergic reactions. Allows state police and other law enforcement agencies to conduct training programs for officers on how to recognize and respond to anaphylaxis, including administration of an epinephrine auto-injector. Also allows a student to self-administer an epinephrine auto-injector while being transported on a school bus, and allows a school nurse, or trained personnel to administer an epinephrine auto-injector on anyone they believe is having an anaphylactic reaction while on a school bus. School districts, public schools, or nonpublic schools would be allowed to maintain a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors in a secure location that can be accessible before, during, and after school hours.

Long Term Care Facility Definition (HB 5009/PA 99-0712): Provides that any long term care facility is any facility that is licensed under the Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation Act of 2013, and then clarifies the provisional licensure period for the full three years after which point the license is issued.

Interfund Transfers (HB 5529/PA 99-0713): Extends certain interfund transfer abilities for school districts - which are set to sunset on June 30, 2016 - to June 30, 2019.

Open Meetings Requests (HB 5683/PA 99-0714): States that if a person files a request for review of a potential Open Meetings Act violation with the Public Access Counselor at the Attorney General's Office they have sixty (60) days after the decision by the Attorney General to resolve the request with a non-binding opinion or means other than issuing a binding opinion.

Fire District Transfer (HB 6041/PA 99-0715): The voters of the entire fire protection district may vote on whether a territory of that district may be disconnected and transferred to another district.

Urgent Need of Services List (HB 6086/PA 99-0716): Requires the Department of Human Services (DHS) to consider the length of time spent on the Prioritization of Urgency of Need for Services (PUNS) waiting list. Also requires other factors to be considered - such as age of requestor - when selecting individuals on the list for services.

Vehicle Code Omnibus (HB 6093/PA 99-0717): Contains federally-mandated changes that are required by the Federal FAST Act and MAP 21 transportation bills. Includes changes to the allowed length of auto hauler trucks and the type of cargo they could carry. Ensures the state will still be eligible for various federal transportation funding.

Electronic Orders of Protection (HB 6109/PA 99-0718): States that the Supreme Court may establish a pilot program for the filing of petitions for temporary orders of protection by electronic means and for the issuance of such orders by audio-visual means.

Uranium Testing (HB 6123/PA 99-0719): Requires the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide non-monetary assistance to any resident of Illinois who served in active duty in Afghanistan, Iraq, Kuwait, or Qatar with any component of the U.S. Armed Forces, including the Illinois National Guard, who requests

a pre-deployment or post-deployment test for depleted uranium in accessing federal resources for pre-deployment and post-deployment testing for depleted uranium.

Traffic Stop Education (HB 6131/PA 99-0720): States that starting with the 2017-2018 school year driver education courses are to include instruction concerning law enforcement procedures for traffic stops. Applies to both public school and non-public school driver education courses.

Advisory Council on At-Risk Students (HB 6136/PA 99-0721): Creates the Advisory Council on At-Risk Students to address academic issues for students who meet a provided definition of "at-risk". The council is to have 20 members - including one member appointed by each of the legislative leaders of the General Assembly.

Election Involvement for 17-Year Olds (HB 6167/PA 99-0722): Allows 17 year old children who will be 18 before the next general election to sign and circulate petitions, pre-register to vote and act as deputy registrars. They can also execute and attest to any voter registration forms. Also allows 17 year olds to participate in a township caucus or primary election if they will be 18 before the general election.

Roadside Monarch Butterfly Habitat Fund (HB 6182/A 99-0723): Creates the Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund as a special fund in the State treasury. Allows the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to issue decals for Universal special license plates. The original issuance and renewal fees are \$25.

Accelerated Resolution Expansion (HB 6190/PA 99-0724): Adds certain traffic offenses and Class 4 controlled substances violations as eligible to be considered as part of the accelerated resolution program. The law creates a faster way for courts and jails to address the indigent accused who often stay in jail instead of being released on bail simply because they do not have enough money for a bail bond by processing certain non-violent offenders within 30 days.

HFS Website (HB 6213/PA 99-0725): Requires the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) to display on its website consumer oriented information describing how a Medicaid enrollee can file a complaint or grievance, request a fair hearing for any adverse action taken by HFS or an MCE, and access free legal assistance or other assistance made available by the State for Medicaid enrollees to pursue an action.

Leased Employees Workers Comp (HB 6225/PA 99-0726): Requires either an employee leasing company or the receiving employer to provide workers' compensation insurance coverage to the employee.

Highway Designation (HB 6226/PA 99-0727): Allows a unit of local government to consult a highway design publication outside of IDOT's Bureau of Local Roads and Streets for the construction of any highway in ownership or control of the unit of local government, except for a highway that is part of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways if certain provisions are met.

Realtor Continuing Education (HB 6245/PA 99-0728): Realtor managing brokers and brokers are no longer limited to six hours of continuing education credit in one calendar day.

District 89 Special Ed Joint Agreement (HB 6252/PA 99-0729): Allows School District 89 to withdraw from its special education joint agreement upon approval of the school board and notification to and the filing of an intent to withdraw statement with the governing body of the joint agreement

program. Requires School District 89 to submit and get approved a comprehensive plan as required under the School Code for children with disabilities before they can withdraw from the special education joint agreement.

County Health Contracts (HB 6261/PA 99-0730): In order to protect the public health in the most effective manner, this bill allows a county's board of health to enter into contracts with municipal health departments, county health departments and other boards of health, private/public hospitals and not for profit entities to provide public health services outside of a board of health's own jurisdiction. This is in response to a situation in DuPage, whereby the county health department contracted with other entities outside its jurisdiction in order to respond to disease outbreaks and other concerns, and the state's attorney suggested that authority needs to be authorized by law.

Mobile Home Park Fines (HB 6285/PA 99-0731): States that if a tenant breaches his or her lease or rules and regulations then the mobile home park owner must provide written notice for any fine that may be imposed. A "fine" does not include fees for services or products.

Egg Sales (HB 6287/PA 99-0732): No eggs may be offered for sale for consumer use 45 days or more after candling (rather than after the original 30-day candling date). Extends the expiration date labeling requirement for grade A and AA eggs to no later than 45 days after candling.

River Edge Development Zone (SB 321/PA 99-0733): Extends the expiration date for the River Edge Redevelopment Zone from 2017 to 2022.

Student Trustee Voting (SB 579/PA 99-0734): Allows student trustees at all public universities in Illinois to vote on measures involving the employment or compensation of the President or Chancellor as well as the election of officers.

School Debt Limit Increases (SB 2469/PA 99-0735): Amends the School Code to allow debt limitation increases for the following three school districts: Bureau Valley Community Unit School District 340 (\$25,000,000); Paxton-Buckley-Loda Community Unit School District 10 (\$28,500,000); Hillsboro Community Unit School District 3 (\$34,500,000). Also allows the Brookfield Library District to borrow additional funds. These borrowing measures must be approved by a popular vote referendum by local voters.

MWRD Officer (SB 2533/PA 99-0736): Authorizes the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District executive director to appoint, with board approval, an administrative services officer. Exempts the administrative services officer position from classified civil service.

Vehicle Liability Insurance Policy (SB 2567/PA 99-0737): Makes the section of verification of liability insurance policy permanent. The section is currently set to expire on December 31, 2016.

PPV Property Tax Valuation (SB 2782/PA 99-0738): Allows the valuation procedures in place for private companies furnishing rental housing to a military installation, or PPV, leasing be extended through January 1, 2017.

Enforcing Judgments (SB 2833/PA 99-0739): Provides that a judgment made by a hearing officer, during cases in which a defendant does not comply with a judgment, can be enforced the same way a judgment entered by a court would be enforced.

Public School Highways (SB 2835/PA 99-0740): Includes highways on public school property in the classification of non-designated highways. Requires vehicles to stop prior to passing a stopped school bus on public school highways.

Community College Sexual Violence Expulsion (SB 2839/PA 99-0741): Outlines a community college's ability to respond to a student who has committed an act of sexual violence. Sanctions may include, but are not limited to, suspension, expulsion, or removal of the student found, after complaint resolution procedures, to be in violation of the comprehensive policy of the higher education institution.

Homeless GED Tests (SB 2840/PA 99-0742): Provides that anyone who qualifies as a homeless person, child or youth, is under the age of 25, has completed a prep course and is taking the test at an ROE or the Cook County High School Equivalency Office does not have to pay any fees associated with taking a high school equivalency exam.

Transfer of Legal Title (SB 2842/PA 99-0743): Requires transfer of legal title of real property to a trust in writing to provide that an interest in real property does not become trust property unless the transfer is recorded in the office of the Recorder of the County in which the property is located.

Civil Procedure Amendments (SB 2845/PA 99-0744): The Code of Civil Procedure is amended to:

- Clarify that a petition must be served and an order entered for a judgment to be revived.
- In attachment cases, provides that bond will be obtained after entry of an order setting the bond rather than before the order.
- Provides that all charges relating to the electronic filing of cases and pleadings, imposed by the court, clerk of the court, county, or a person with whom the court, clerk, or county may contract, are taxable as court costs.
- Changes "shall" to "may" to allow the court discretion to vacate a judgment and dismiss the action upon filing of a release or satisfaction in full satisfaction of judgment.
- Repeals provisions dealing with a sheriff's sale of corporate stock which are antiquated.

IMRF Return to Work Act (SB 2896/PA 99-0745): Creates a reimbursement mechanism for IMRF in the event that a retired employee returns to work within IMRF but there is a failure to notify the Fund. The reimbursement may be charged to the employer by the fund for annuities paid during the annuitants time working for the employer. The fund may not charge the employer for reimbursement if the annuitant worked less than a year and was not aware of the employee annuity benefit.

DHS Work Equivalency (SB 2906/PA 99-0746): Requires the Department of Human Services to treat participation in high school and high school equivalency programs as work activities, and count this participation toward the TANF program. Gives DHS the flexibility to determine whether it's ideal for the TANF recipient to go through these programs. Addresses a situation wherein a constituent wanted to obtain their GED, but was told it wouldn't count toward the requirements of their employment plan until they completed other plan activities.

IMRF Separation Benefit Act (SB 2972/PA 99-0747): Allows a participant who is terminating service with the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund to elect a separation benefit rather than a retirement annuity if his or her annuity would be less than \$100 (now \$30) per month.

Glider Kits Registration (SB 3018/PA 99-0748): Adds a definition and procedures for titling and registering a glider kit, to help trucking companies register them quicker. A glider kit is defined as a

motor vehicle of the second division that includes a chassis, cab, front axle, and other essential parts, except for an engine, transmission, or rear axle.

IDOT and DNR Land Transfer (SB 3063/PA 99-0749/HB 5958): Allows IDOT/DNR agencies to transfer specific properties in Morris, Edwardsville, Bureau Junction, and Stephenson County.

Manufactured and Mobile Home Inspections (SB 3079/PA 99-0750): Adopts HUD standards for mobile home installation by incorporating federal regulations. Provides for an installation inspection of mobile homes to be done by DPH or by an approved third party. Provides an exemption for municipalities with populations that exceed 1,000,000 but requires those municipalities to adopt rules and enforce standards under the federal HUD regulations.

Managed Care Organizations (SB 3080/PA 99-0751): Requires managed care organizations (MCOs) to confirm information received from the MCO provider networks regarding physician additions and deletions within three (3) days. Prohibits a denial of coverage for medically necessary services rendered in good faith based on eligibility documents provided by the provider if eligibility coverage is later found to be inaccurate. Establishes rules on payment resolutions and requires them to be applicable for both MCO coverage and fee for service coverage. Sets several reporting and benchmark dates for HFS.

Hearsay - Intellectual Disability (SB 3106/PA 99-0752): Extends the application of this hearsay exception to cases where the victim is a person with an intellectual disability, cognitive impairment, or developmental disability. For the purposes of allowing certain hearsay exceptions.

Eviction Judgement with Foreclosure (SB 3166/PA 99-0753): Changes terminology in the motion to extend an eviction judgment from “landlord” to “plaintiff.”

Administrative Adjudication (SB 3284/PA 99-0754): Allows any county to provide administrative adjudication for units of local government (within the county boundaries) where the county and the unit have entered into an intergovernmental agreement.

Chicago Sex Offender Registration (SB 3354/PA 99-0755): Amends the Arsonist Registration Act, the Sex Offender Registration Act, and the Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Act by changing the place of registration for a person who is required to register under any of the Acts from Chicago Police Department Headquarters to a fixed location designated by the Superintendent of the Chicago Police Department.

Off Track Betting (HB 940/PA 99-0757): Distributes the Off Track Betting (OTB) licenses that were previously held by Maywood and Balmoral to Fairmount, Hawthorne and Arlington. Allows Fairmount to have nine (9) OTB licenses. Allows Hawthorne to have sixteen (16) OTB licenses. Allows Arlington to have eighteen (18) OTB licenses. Increases the distance that the OTB has to be from the track from 140 miles to 160 miles. Transfers the five (5) licenses held by the Quad City Downs to Arlington (who owns the Downs) and retains the purse distribution generation status for wagering on Illinois races for those 5 locations. Prohibits Arlington's current tax credit from being used on the Quad City Down's OTB locations.

Domestic Workers’ Rights (HB 1288/PA 99-0758): Defines a domestic worker as a person that provides household services for members of households or their guests in or about a private home or residence or any other location where the domestic work is performed. Provides these workers with same

workers protections under the Illinois Human Rights Act, Illinois Minimum Wage Law, Wages of Women and Minors Act, and the One Day Rest in Seven Act; allowing the workers to be able to sue for harassment and discrimination, collect minimum wage and overtime pay, and receive at least one continuous 24 hour period of rest every calendar week.

Vehicle Storage Fees (HB 2642/PA 99-0759): Requires notification of any storage fees to the lienholder of a vehicle via written notice. States that the notice shall include the rate of the fees and allows the entity providing the storage an opportunity to inspect the vehicle on premises.

Recyclable Metal Theft Task Force (HB 3363/PA 99-0760): Establishes that a representative of a local exchange carrier doing business in Illinois is added as a member of the Recyclable Metal Theft Task Force.

Step Therapy Standards (HB 3549/PA 99-0761): Provides standards for step therapy. When certain conditions are met, patients will be granted access to drugs prescribed by their health care provider. Seeks to retain an insurance plan's step therapy program while providing for an exceptions process when clinically appropriate.

Wage Payment Recovery (HB 3554/PA 99-0762): Directs the Department of Labor (DOL) to conduct a good faith search to find aggrieved employees harmed by unpaid wages so they may recover what they are owed. If the DOL cannot locate the aggrieved employee then the Department can deposit the amount recovered into a specified DOL fund. Also prohibits the Department from requiring proof of citizenship or Social Security numbers.

Marriage and Dissolution of Marriage Act Clean-ups (HB 3898/PA 99-0763): Makes a number of technical clean-ups following up on the re-write of the Marriage and Dissolution of Marriage Act in 2015 and replaces the current Parentage Act regarding establishing parentage when assisted reproductive technology is used with a new Article 7 in the Parentage Act of 2015.

Child Support Formula (HB 3982/PA 99-0764): Changes child support guidelines to an income shares model that considers the income of both parents - as well as the time the child spends with each parent - rather than just looking at the income of the paying parent and applying a strict percentage.

Unpaid Leave for Domestic Abuse Victims (HB 4036/PA 99-0765): Expands the job protection and four (4) workweek unpaid leave benefit that is mandated on employers with 50 or more employees to now include all employers. This is a leave benefit that is already mandated by law for victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse. Adds four (4) workweeks of leave for employees of employers with 1-14 employees. This leave is referred to as "VESSA".

Cosmetology Renewal License Domestic Violence Course (HB 4264/PA 99-0766): Requires all licensed professionals under the Cosmetologist Act that include continuing education requirements for renewal include at least one (1) hour of a domestic violence and sexual violence awareness in the next renewal process.

Minority Hospital Vendor Reporting (HB 4370/PA 99-0767): Requires hospitals that have more than 100 beds and capital expenditures that meet or exceed \$200,000, add to their annual capital expenditures report if female-owned, minority-owned, veteran-owned and small business enterprises vendors were used for those expenditures.

Used Car Warranties (HB 4377/PA 99-0768): Requires motor vehicle dealers to warranty used cars for 15 days or 500 miles (whichever is earlier). The warranty does not apply to damage resulting from abuse or failure to properly maintain the vehicle. The purchaser must pay up to \$25.00 for each of the first two repairs if the warranty is violated.

Parentage Act Clean-Ups (HB 4447/PA 99-0769): Makes a number of technical clean-ups and changes requested by DHFS to eliminate conflicts with federal law with regard to the recently enacted Parentage Act of 2015.

Non-resident Fire Protection Fee (HB 4522/PA 99-0770): Authorizes municipalities with volunteer fire protection services to charge non-residents fees for fire and emergency services. Caps the amount a fire protection district can charge to non-residents for fire emergencies at \$250 per hour (instead of \$250 per hour per vehicle).

Park District Bidding (HB 4536/PA 99-0771): Increases the amount of contracts requiring competitive bidding for supplies, materials, and work from \$20,000 to \$25,000 or a lower amount if required by board policy.

Prophylaxis Medicaid Coverage (HB 4554/PA 99-0772): Requires Medicaid coverage for all FDA approved drugs which have also been recommended by the federal Public Health Service or the CDC for pre-exposure prophylaxis.

Rare Disease Commission (HB 4576/PA 99-0773): Creates a fifteen (15) member Rare Disease Commission. Each legislative leader gets one appointment. The Commission will focus on advisement on issues concerning the care and treatment of individuals with rare diseases. The sunset date of this Commission is January 1, 2020.

County Public Defender Reports (HB 4603/PA 99-0774): Allows counties to either accept monthly or quarterly reports, as determined by the county board from Public Defenders instead of the current monthly submissions required under law.

Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets (HB 4648/PA 99-0775): Allows the executor of an estate, guardian of a person or holder of a power of attorney to gain access to digital assets in accordance with the deceased or ward's directions.

Common Interest Community Ombudsperson (HB 4658/PA 99-0776): Implementation of the Common Interest Community Ombudsperson is delayed by a year. The requirement that all associations register with IDFPR is deleted. Additional changes are made to make it easier for IDFPR to implement the program.

State Treasury Funds (HB 4675/PA 99-0777): Provides that the ICCB Adult Education Fund and the Career and Technical Education Fund are federal funds (instead of special funds) in the State Treasury. The goal is to ensure that the Comptroller's office codes the funds as federal and provides clarity in the future as to the revenue source of each fund so the funds are not passed over in any future federal fund appropriation bills.

Appeals after Death (HB 4683/PA 99-0778): Allows a criminal appeal to proceed after a defendant's death through the executor, administrator, or successor in interest. Provides for abatement of the case or continuation on behalf of the deceased as if he or she were still alive.

Foster Care Records and Licensing (HB 4966/PA 99-0779): Provides a guardian or attorney for the child access to foster care licensing records of the home a child was placed in. Also provides a process for review of past performance of foster care license applicants through a quality of care concerns preliminary application process.

State Global Scholar Certification Program (HB 4983/PA 99-0780): Creates the State Global Scholar Certification Program and recommends criteria that will be used by the State Board of Education for certification standards. School district participation is voluntary.

School DCFS Liaison (HB 4996/PA 99-0781): Provides that school boards may appoint at least one employee to act as a liaison to facilitate enrollment and records transfer for students who are wards of the state when they are enrolling in or changing schools. Encourages districts to designate a liaison by the beginning of the 2017-2018 school year.

Cruelty to Animals (HB 5010/PA 99-0782): States that no owner of a cat or dog that is a companion animal may expose the animal in a manner that causes hypothermia, hyperthermia, frostbite, or similar condition as determined by a veterinarian.

Sanitary District Dissolution (HB 5584/PA 99-0783): Allows the Round Lake Sanitary District to dissolve itself into Lake County. All the statutory powers of the former District will be assumed by the Lake County board. Also provides that Lake County can dissolve the Fox Lake Hills Sanitary District upon adopting a resolution. All of the statutory powers of the former District will be assumed by the Lake County board. Requires the Illinois EPA to be notified within sixty (60) days after the dissolutions.

Long Term Care Facilities (HB 5603/PA 99-0784): Makes several minor changes to the Electronic Monitoring in Long Term Care Facilities Act.

Bicycle Rules of the Road (HB 5912/PA 99-0785): States that a person riding a bicycle has all the rights applicable to a driver of a vehicle and includes those regarding a vehicle's right-of-way.

Driver's Ed Pension Exemption (HB 6298/PA 99-0786): Exempts driver's education teachers from the rule that says a retired Chicago teacher's pension will be canceled if they return and work more than 100 days or earn more than \$30,000 in a school year. The Pension Code is amended to allow the Chicago Teachers Pension Board to issue subpoenas. (gives CTPF same subpoena powers as TRS).

FOID Revocation Notice (HB 6331/PA 99-0787): Requires the State Police to give notice of the revocation of a person's Firearm Owner's Identification (FOID) Card for being subject to an existing order of protection to all law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction to assist with the seizure of the person's FOID Card.

Autism Treatment (SB 345/PA 99-0788): Outlines therapy coverage (Immune gamma globulin) for patients with Autism. Conforms language to current medical practice. Codifies that the insurance plan would need to include immune gamma globulin therapy before coverage and provides that an insurance policy, after successful two (2) years of treatment, cannot require reauthorization for a period of 12

months. Does not mandate such coverage but makes it easier for an insurance provider to cover this treatment.

State Mandates Report (SB 2227/PA 99-0789): Requires the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity to submit a bi-yearly report on mandates enacted in the previous two years, beginning in 2019. Also requires the Department to review and report on all effective mandates every 10 years, beginning in 2017.

Lead Contamination Notice (SB 2300/PA 99-0790): Owners of regulated facilities must provide notice of a lead hazard to a lessee or a perspective buyer prior to renewal of a lease or entering into a new sales contract.

Quality of Life Lotto Extension (SB 2397/PA 99-0791): Extends the scratch off Lotto game “Quality of Life” to December 31, 2025 that helps to fund HIV/AIDS prevention education.

Omnibus TIF Legislation (SB 2562/PA 99-0792): Creates an omnibus tax increment financing (TIF) bill. Authorizes the City of Chicago to create a TIF district to help fund 4 transportation projects: (1) the Chicago Union Station Master Plan, (2) the CTA’s Red and Purple Modernization Plan and (3) the CTA's Blue Line Modernization and Extension (4) the CTA’s Red Line extension. Extends nine conventional municipal TIF districts from 23 to 35 years, as well as a special 35 to 47 year TIF extension for the City of Springfield. Also provides to add 17 acres to the Loves Park Industrial TIF.

Chicago Firefighter Pension Fund (SB 2820/PA 99-0793): Adds to the Illinois Pension Code to permit the Board of Trustees of the Chicago Firefighter Pension Fund to engage in financial transactions that involve securities lending.

Sale of Student-Built Homes (SB 2823/PA 99-0794): Permits a real estate broker to be used when a school board determines to sell a residential property constructed or renovated by students as part of a curricular program, but the property must be listed for 14 days.

Liquor Sales at SIU Events (SB 2824/PA 99-0795): Allows liquor to be served or sold at facilities under control of the SIU board of trustees at events, and the board determined to be public events and not student-related. Requires the SIU Board of Trustees to issue a written policy detailing the types of events that should be eligible for an exemption within six months after the bill becomes law. Also allows a college student aged 18-21 who is enrolled in a fermentation science course to be able to taste but not imbibe alcohol up to 6 times per class

Illinois Code of Military Justice Update (SB 2861/PA 99-0796): Creates an appeal process for ICMJ court martials, by adopting procedures from the Model State Code of Military Justice which is modeled after the UCMJ.

Third Party Electric Monitoring (SB 2870/PA 99-0797): Provides that the Chief Judge may by administrative order establish a program for electronic monitoring of drug-related and alcohol-related offenses, in which a vendor approved by the county board supplies and monitors the electronic monitoring device, and collects the fees on behalf of the county.

Electronic Search Warrants (SB 2875/PA 99-0798): Allows for a warrant seeking current or future location information to be made through testimony using a simultaneous video and audio transmission between the requestor and judge, based on sworn testimony communicated in the transmission.

Contract Carrier Vehicle Insurance Liability (SB 2882/PA 99-0799): Requires a contract carrier transporting employees, including but not limited to railroad employees, to verify hit and run, uninsured, and underinsured motor vehicle coverage in an amount no less than \$500,000 per passenger.

Liquor - Importing Distributors (SB 3095/PA 99-0800): Codifies a long-standing Illinois Liquor Control Commission interpretation prohibiting a non-resident dealer (out of state manufacturers or non-manufacturing importers of beer, wine or spirits) from holding a distributor or importing distributor's license while simultaneously prohibiting a distributor or importing distributor from holding a non-resident dealer's license.

Sexual Assault Incidents (SB 3096/PA 99-0801): Creates the Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act. Requires law enforcement officers to complete written reports of every sexual assault complaint. Extends the time period for victims to consent to the release of their forensic evidence kit for testing. Allows victims to request the status of their rape kit testing unless doing so would compromise or impede an ongoing investigation. Requires the Illinois State Police (ISP) to develop administrative rules on release of toxicological reports from crime lab. Allows the employment of polygraph operators to be permissive rather than mandatory. For a period of two years allows the ISP to work more directly with the Chief Procurement Officer on their contracts for equipment, services and commodities as ISP addresses the backlog.

Heroes Way Designation Program (HB 4344/PA 99-0802): Creates the Heroes Way Designation Program Act and allows the family of Veteran's who were killed in action while on active duty to apply for a designation that would allow the placement of an honorary sign on roadways under the jurisdiction of IDOT.

Gold Star Family Day (HB 4389/PA 99-0803): Requires the Governor to annually designate the day after Gold Star Mothers' Day as Gold Star Family Day.

Student Musicians at Military Funerals (HB 4432/PA 99-0804): Permits a child in grades 6 through 12 to be excused from a public school when absent from class for the purpose of playing "Taps" at a military funeral in Illinois for a deceased veteran.

Military License Plates Transfer (HB 4433/PA 99-0805): Allows the surviving spouse of a deceased military service member to retain the special license plates if he/she is a resident of Illinois and if the transfer takes place within 180 days of the death of the service member.

Veterans Court Mandate (HB 5003/PA 99-0807): Makes Veteran's court mandatory by requiring the Chief Judge of each judicial circuit shall to establish a Veterans' and Servicemembers' Court program.

National Public Safety Telecommunicators' Week (HB 5018/PA 99-0808): Designates the second full week of April of each year as National Public Safety Telecommunicators' Week.

Veteran License Plate Reclassification (HB 5402/PA 99-0809): States that individuals who qualify for the military specialty plates may reclassify their standard plate registration without paying replacement fees or the registration sticker cost.

Domestic Violence Psychology Training (HB 5538/PA 99-0810): Specifies initial recruit training and continuing education for current law enforcement officers in domestic violence victim and abuser dynamics. The bill also requires law enforcement agencies to consult with community organizations and other agencies with domestic violence expertise.

Fire Chief Authority (HB 5611/PA 99-0811): Allows a fire chief to refer an order to the State's Attorney if the owner or occupant does not comply with an order issued by the fire chief.

Firefighter Motorcycle Plates (HB 5649/PA 99-0812): Allows the Secretary of State to issue Illinois Fire Fighter's Memorial license plates to motorcycles having an engine over 150cc.

Exploitation of the Elderly (HB 5805/PA 99-0820): Adds financial exploitation of an elderly person or a person with a disability to the offenses whose statute of limitations have been extended to seven (7) years of the last act committed in furtherance of the offense.

Ward Children Notification (HB 5924/PA 99-0821): Unless there is a court order to the contrary, a guardian must use reasonable efforts to notify a ward's known adult children who have requested notification and provided contact information of the ward's admission to a hospital or hospice program, the ward's death, and the arrangements for the disposition of the ward's remains.

Physicians to Veteran Homes Incentive (HB 5938/PA 99-0813): Renames the Nurse Loan Repayment Program to the Medical Providers Loan Repayment Program. Expands the eligibility pool to include physicians in order to help get more physicians applying to work in the State's veteran homes.

Universal Special License Plates Issuance (HB 6149/PA 99-0814): Allows the Illinois Veterans' Homes, which run by the Illinois Department of Veterans' Affairs (IDVA), to issue decals for universal special license plates at \$26 each. The money will go to the Illinois Veterans' Homes Fund.

Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Service Act (SB 2301/PA 99-0822): Creates the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Services Act. Applies across the board standards for training of direct care staff and employees at residential and community facilities. States that all staff with direct access to clients with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia hired prior to the adoption of rules implementing this Act must receive a minimum of 6 hours of training. Staff that is hired after the adoption of rules implementing this Act must receive a minimum of 6 hours of training within the first 60 days of employment. Also, provides that the training required by this Act doesn't apply to staff who has received at least 6 hours of comparable training in compliance with licensure or certified training requirements or to staff that is temporarily hired by a facility to meet staffing quotas as required by the Nursing Home Care Act.

Chicago Police Memorial License Plates (SB 2431/PA 99-0815): Requires the Secretary of State to issue Chicago Police Memorial Foundation special registration plates suitable for a motorcycle.

Crimes Against Emergency Medical Personnel (SB 2947/PA 99-0816): Changes various references from "emergency medical technician" to "emergency medical services personnel" to create uniform sentence

minimum and maximums for crimes committed against emergency medical services personnel, no matter who they are employed by.

Police Dog Retirement Act (SB 3129/PA 99-0817): A police dog that is in use by a county, municipal, or State law enforcement agency and is deemed no longer fit for public service shall be offered to the officer or employee who had custody during its service. If that officer does not want the police dog, it can be offered to another officer, non-profit agency or a no-kill animal shelter.

PPV Lease Valuation (SB 3149/PA 99-0818): This legislation involves an agreement to resolve litigation between St. Clair County and Scott Air Force Base over how a PPV lease used for military housing can be assessed and valued to the terms of a real property tax assessment agreement between local county assessment officials and the taxpayer. A PPV lease is a leasehold interest in U.S. military property that is leased to another whose property is not exempt for the purpose of the design, finance, construction, renovation, management, operation, and maintenance of rental housing units and associated improvements.

Veterans Court Treatment Act (SB 3401/PA 99-0819): Allows a Veterans Court Treatment program to use a veterans assistance commission as an assessment and treatment option.

Agribusiness Recognition Signs (HB 4318/PA 99-0823): Allows the Department of Agriculture to sell (at cost) to qualified applicants signs recognizing an agribusiness that has operated for 100 years or more or 150 years or more.

Bicentennial Farms (HB 5790/PA 99-0824): Allows the Department of Agriculture to recognize "Bicentennial Farms," which they will issue a sign for displaying their long history of farming in Illinois.

Wind Farm Assessments (SB 2612/PA 99-0825): Extends assessment provisions that apply to wind energy devices through year 2021 (currently 2016).

Ag Teacher Grant Program (SB 2975/PA 99-0826): Creates the Agricultural Education Teacher Grant Program that aims to assist school districts in paying for personal services costs of agriculture education instructors.

Sepsis Screening and Gabby's Law (SB 2403/PA 99-0828): Implements evidence based procedures for the early recognition and treatment of patients with sepsis or septic shock. The requirements for caring for children with sepsis may differ from adults, and DPH to publish guidelines to assist hospitals in developing sepsis protocols required under the Hospital Licensing Act. This will be known as Gabby's Law in memory of Gabby Gallo from Monticello. Ms. Gallo passed away due to complications from sepsis.

Disability Wallet Card (HB 4257/PA 99-0829): Requires the Secretary of State (SOS) to issue a "person with disability" wallet card that specifies the cardholder has been medically diagnosed with a disability (i.e. autism). The wallet card may only be available to applicants with a Type 2 (developmental disability) or Type 5 (mental disability). Requires the Department of Human Services (DHS) to work with the SOS to design the card and then requires DHS to produce and distribute the cards to the SOS. Also requires DHS and SOS to work together to adopt rules.

Pension Eligibility (HB 4259/PA 99-0830): Prevents non-direct employees of association that work with State entities from participating in TRS, SURS or IMRF.

Concussion Reporting (HB 4365/PA 99-0831): Beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, associations relating to athletic competition must require high schools to complete a monthly report on student-athletes who have had a concussion.

Adoption Information Additions (HB 4590/PA 99-0832): Includes facts surrounding adoption to the list of non-identifying information that is provided to adult adoptees upon request. Adds the reason or reasons the birth parent or parents stated for placing the child for adoption, how and why the adoptive parent or parents were selected and who selected the adoptive parent or parents, and whether the birth parent or parents requested or agreed to post-adoption contact with the child at the time of placement and, if so, the frequency and type of contact.

Adoption-only Homes (HB 4641/PA 99-0833): Provides a process for adoption-only homes that does not require the home to be licensed as a foster care home.

Newborn Hearing Screening (HB 4935/PA 99-0834): Requires each medical care facility to conduct a bilateral hearing screening of each newborn infant, unless medical reasons prevent this from being completed. Identifies how these screenings must take place in cases where children are born outside a medical care facility.

Expungement of Juvenile Records (HB 5017/PA 99-0835): Allows a person who has been arrested, charged, or adjudicated delinquent for an incident occurring before his or her 18th birthday to petition the court at any time for expungement of law enforcement records and juvenile court records relating to the incident.

Incarcerated Parents Rights (HB 5551/PA 99-0836): Includes foster parents in the definition of fictive kin and requires incarcerated parents be included in DCFS case planning and to allow DCFS to not seek termination of parental rights when a parent is incarcerated if specific efforts by the parent are shown.

Fire District Approval (HB 5610/PA 99-0837): Requires a fire protection district's board approval to assume duties of an adjacent city/village's dissolved fire department.

Grandparent Visitation (HB 5656/PA 99-0838): Allows grandparent and great-grandparent visitation of children who are in DCFS care.

Foster Care Normalcy Standards (HB 5665/PA 99-0839): Authorizes the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) to adopt rules and procedures that allow and promote children in the custody of DCFS to participate in age-appropriate extracurricular, enrichment, and social activities. Rules that promote and protect the children should be adopted no later than June 1, 2017.

Charter School Renewal (HB 5918/PA 99-0840): States that new charters can only be granted for an initial term of five (5) years. Currently new charters may be granted for not less than five and not more than ten (10) years. Established charters can be renewed in incremental periods not to exceed ten (10) school years if they meet established standards and goals. Currently they can only be renewed for five (5) year periods. The State Charter School Commission can still only renew for five (5) year periods.

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College Illinois! Expansion (HB 6302/PA 99-0842): Expands a College Illinois! beneficiary's range of postsecondary options, streamlines program administration, and makes the program more attractive to potential contract purchasers.

Asthma Action Plans (HB 6333/PA 99-0843): States that every two years school personnel who work with pupils may complete an in-person or online training program on asthma management. ISBE is to make resource material available for school personnel about asthma and emergency response in the school setting. Sets timelines for the various action plan requirements.

Diesel Truck Franchise (SB 140/PA 99-0844): Provides that a vehicle manufacturer of diesel truck engines may own or operate a motor vehicle franchise or financing affiliate. Provides that these places of business do not sell other vehicles, were in existence as of January 1, 2016, and makes other technical changes.

Community College Residency Reqs (SB 232/PA 99-0845): States that all students will be classified as residents of the community college district without meeting the 30 day residency requirement of the district if they are currently residing in the district and are youth: 1. Who are currently under the legal guardianship of DCFS or have recently been emancipated from DCFS and 2. Who had previously met the 30 day residency requirement of the district, but who had a placement change into a new community college district.

CEO Superintendents (SB 242/PA 99-0846): Allows the Elgin Area School District U-46 to appoint a Chief Executive Officer to serve as its superintendent. This is subject to a majority vote of the school board. This individual will be exempt from the Educator Licensure portion of the School Code for only five years, to allow for time to obtain an educator license.

Hearing Aid Dispensing (SB 462/PA 99-0847): Allows the IL Department of Financial & Professional Regulation (DFPR) to approve educational qualifications for those who dispense hearing aid equipment.

Statewide Towing Commission (SB 2261/PA 99-0848): Creates the Statewide Relocation Towing Licensure Commission Act. The newly created commission will consist of members appointed by the Legislative Leaders of the General Assembly and other stakeholders and shall issue a report.

Community Board Approved Loans (SB 2359/PA 99-0849): Allows the Board of the Association to obtain loans and mortgage or pledge assets of the association if approved by a majority vote of the entire board of managers and no longer require a vote of the owners.

Breakfast After the Bell (SB 2393/PA 99-0850): Requires all school districts in Illinois to implement and operate a "breakfast after the bell" program in accordance to federal guidelines. If the school falls below a certain threshold they don't have to continue participating, but can voluntarily choose to participate.

Cook County Property (SB 2427/PA 99-0851): Amends the Property Tax Code and clarifies that in Cook County only if a property owner is not residing at the property receiving a homestead exemption as of January 1st of the current tax year then the owner must notify the Chief County Assessment Officer (CCAO) by March 1st of the collection year.

Mechanics Lien Extension (SB 2450/PA 99-0852): Provides that the changes made by extending the time frame to obtain a mechanics lien to 5 years from the commencement of work are operative from January 1, 2013 (the effective date of P.A. 97-966) through December 31, 2020. This extends the effectiveness of those changes which extended the time frame for completion of work on non-residential property to five years. The current law (PA 97-966) expired Jan 1 2016.

Field Office Dept. of Veterans Affairs (SB 2532/PA 99-0853): Removes the combat duty requirement for a veteran to become a veteran service officer (VSO), so the only requirement would be an honorably discharged veteran who has served at least two years of military service.

Intergovernmental Revenues and Reports (SB 2585/PA 99-0854): Impacts the Governor's Office of Management and Budget (GOMB). Makes a technical change concerning an intergovernmental cooperation and requires reports to include any assumptions concerning tax rates and fees that are used to determine revenue and expenditure for future fiscal years.

Feminine Hygiene Tax Exemption (SB 2746/PA 99-0855): Exempts feminine hygiene and incontinence products from all state taxes imposed and is not subject to the automatic sunset provision.

Treasurer Bond Purchasing (SB 2864/PA 99-0856): Allows the State Treasurer to invest in qualified corporate bonds with a maturity of five years or less, to purchase county and municipal bonds without restrictions on price; and provides that publication on the Treasurer's website satisfies the requirement that that the Treasurer provide a monthly financial report to the Governor regarding time deposits.

Medicaid Long Term Care Services Act (SB 2929/PA 99-0857): Enables a nursing home resident who is Medicaid eligible to have their care paid retroactive to the date of admission, or the date of conversion from Medicare of private pay. Regardless of whether a case coordination unit had completed a screening in advance of admission or conversion. Also, prohibits HFS from closing a pending Medicaid application based solely on the applicant's death if services were provided pending a determination of eligibility. Then requires HFS to take steps in an effort to collect financial information if necessary and determine if outstanding obligations for authorized services exist.

Cancer Treatments Tax Rate (SB 3047/PA 99-0858): Amends the various sales tax acts to provide products and associated therapies classified as Class III medical devices that are used for treating cancer to be taxed at the lower rate of one percent.

Supreme Court E-Filing Fee (SB 3162/PA 99-0859): Charges an e-business filing fee of \$9 on civil cases to fund Supreme Court's e-filing program and reduces several other fees beginning in 2022.

Low Wage Non-Compete Clauses (SB 3163/PA 99-0860): Prohibits a mutually agreeable covenant not to compete, also known as a non-compete clause, between an employer and a low-wage employee, an hourly worker who makes the greater of the state/local minimum wage or \$13.00 an hour. Any covenants will be declared illegal and void.

Presumptive Probation (SB 3164/PA 99-0861): Strengthens the presumption of probation for a non-violent offender being sentenced on a Class 3 or Class 4 felony who has no prior sentence of probation or prior conviction for a violent crime unless the court considers a presentence report and then determines certain findings in aggravation apply and that prison is an appropriate sentence.

EMT's Epinephrine Administering Act (SB 3335/PA 99-0862): Authorizes EMT-Basics, EMT-Intermediates, Advanced EMT's and EMT-Paramedics to administer Epinephrine drawn from a glass vial, using a syringe, as opposed to using a pre-filled epinephrine auto-injector, such as an Epi-Pen, once the individual completes a department approved course.

Pharmacist's Termination (SB 3336/PA 99-0863): Requires a pharmacy to remit to the Department information regarding termination of a pharmacist for violating public safety protocols within 60 days. Allows for attorneys from the Attorney General's Office representing the Department to have access to records of misconduct remitted to the Department from a Pharmacy Manager.

Human Trafficking Task Force (HB 2822/PA 99-0864): Creates the Human Trafficking Task Force to address the growing problem of human trafficking across this State.

Route 66 Motorcycle Plates (HB 4315/PA 99-0865): Allows the Secretary of State to issue Illinois Route 66 license plates to motorcycles having an engine over 150cc.

Public Hunting of Game Birds (HB 4604/PA 99-0866): Allows hunters to take bobwhite quail, chukar partridge, and gray partridge on public hunting grounds.

Fishing Rules/Regulations (HB 5788/PA 99-0867): Adds catfish to the list of species that may be taken with a pitchfork, underwater spear gun, bow and arrow, or a bow and arrow device. Allows the Department of Natural Resources to authorize the selling of species taken by the above methods within that specific section.

Youth Trapping Licenses (SB 2410/PA 99-0868): Allows individuals age 18 and younger to trap without having to take the hunter training course required by DNR. Youth must be accompanied by parent, grandparent, or guardian 21 years of age or older. Provides that beginning January 1, 2016 anyone person born on or after January 1, 1998 cannot obtain a trapping license unless they provide proof they have a certificate of competency provided for in the section regarding trapping.

Specialty Hunting Licenses (SB 3003/PA 99-0869): States that DNR, on an annual basis, may establish a youth-only spring wild turkey season which shall include 2 consecutive weekends. Consolidates lines referring to the special permits for Equity members, partners, and shareholders of land owned by a company, as well as Illinois residents who own 40 or more acres of property they intend to hunt on into one new section.

Victims of Violence Public Aid (SB 3007/PA 99-0870): States that medical Assistance, SNAP and TANF cash assistance coverage must be provided to non-citizen foreign born victims of trafficking, torture or

other serious crime and their families. Sets eligibility and work criteria and requires DHS to adopt all necessary rules for implementation. Ensures that a person is not ineligible for benefits and continued benefits if they have Continued Presence status under the US Code or have filed for Continued Presence status.

Guilty Pleas (HB 2569/PA 99-0871): States that before a court can accept a guilty plea the court must explain to the defendant that as a consequence of a conviction or plea of guilty there may be an impact on the defendant as to (1) enhanced sentencing on future crimes, (2) offender registration requirements, and (3) the defendant's ability to retain or obtain housing, employment, firearms, an occupational license, or a driver's license.

Multiple Care Worker Registries (HB 4515/PA 99-0872): Requires the Department of Public Health (DPH) to maintain two versions of the Health Care Worker Registry. Requires the public registry to report that an individual is ineligible for employment if he or she has a disqualifying offense under the Health Care Worker Background Check Act. Requires that the public registry report that an individual is eligible for employment if he or she has received a waiver.

Sex Offender Monitoring (HB 5572/PA 99-0873): Creates the Sex Offenses and Sex Offender Registration Task Force tasks with identifying ways to help law enforcement and communities identify and monitor high-risk sex offenders.

Law Enforcement Information Task Force (HB 5613/PA 99-0874): Creates the Law Enforcement Information Task Force Act. Grants the Task Force the ability to analyze information sharing between law enforcement agencies for the possible creation of a standardized statewide case records management system.

Juvenile Sexual Assault (HB 5771/PA 99-0875): Prohibits mandatory natural life sentencing of juveniles for criminal sexual assault, aggravated criminal sexual assault, and predatory criminal sexual assault.

Occupational Licensing with Past Crimes (HB 5973/PA 99-0876): The Department of Financial and Professional Regulation may only deny a license based upon consideration of specified mitigating factors for specified felonies directly related to the practice of funeral directing and embalming, roofing contracting, or cosmetology, esthetics, hair braiding, nail technology, or barbering.

Mental Illness Sentencing (HB 6037/PA 99-0877): Allows the degree of mental illness of a criminal defendant to be considered in sentencing.

Inmate Payphone Pricing (HB 6200/PA 99-0878): Beginning January 1, 2018, Central Management Services (CMS) shall contract with the qualified vendor who proposes the lowest per minute rate not exceeding 7 cents per minute for debit, prepaid, collect calls. The current rate is \$0.11 per minute.

Juvenile Probation (HB 6291/PA 99-0879): Eliminates the five-year mandatory juvenile probation period on all offenses other than first degree murder. This reduces the probationary period for aggravated criminal sexual assault, criminal sexual assault, aggravated battery with a firearm, among other crimes. Also prohibits the commitment of minors to the DJJ for Class 3 and Class 4 controlled substances violations, unless for multiple probation violations.

Conviction Data Access (HB 6324/PA 99-0880): Codifies that the Sentencing Policy Advisory Council will provide data analysis and research to assist in the administration of criminal laws through access to the Criminal History Reporting System data maintained by the Illinois State Police.

Expungement of Records (HB 6328/PA 99-0881): Removes the existing prohibition on criminal arrest record expungement for those with prior criminal convictions, but allows state's attorneys to object on the grounds that the records contain specific relevant information aside from the mere fact of an arrest. Currently a person cannot expunge arrests if there is a prior criminal conviction.

Minors Charged with Homicide Counsel (SB 2370/PA 99-0882): Requires that minors under 15 years of age (rather than 13 years of age) be represented by counsel throughout the entire custodial interrogation of the minor for homicide and certain sex offenses. Provides for a simplified Miranda warning be given to minors during custodial interrogation and expands videotaping requirement of minors during questioning.

Conviction Reversal Costs Refunds (SB 2885/PA 99-0883): Provides that a defendant whose conviction is reversed by a finding of actual innocence, the refund of costs paid by the defendant shall be determined by the judge and paid by the clerk of the court based upon the availability of funds in the subject fund account.

Park District Employment (SB 3005/PA 99-0884): Removes adult convictions or juvenile adjudications for prostitution, misdemeanor public indecency, and certain cannabis, controlled substances, and meth offenses from the offenses which permanently disqualify a person for employment in a park district. Instead an adult who has been convicted of a cannabis, controlled substances, or meth offense could be employed by a park district in as little as seven (7) years following the end of a sentence. Juvenile offenders could be hired immediately.

Firearms Trafficking (HB 6303/PA 99-0885): Targets purchasers of firearms who intend to buy firearms in other states and sell these firearms illegally to persons without FOID cards in Illinois. Makes the offense a Class 1 felony for trafficking a firearm and a Class X felony for trafficking both the firearm and ammunition. Does not apply to: (1) those exempt under the FOID Card Act from having a FOID card; (2) a common carrier under the exemption from unlawful use of weapons violations under the Criminal Code of 2012; or (3) a non-resident who may lawfully possess a firearm in his or her resident state.

Vehicle Registration – No Delinquency Fee (HB 4334/PA 99-0887): States that the Secretary of State cannot impose a delinquent registration renewal fee if a vehicle's registration expires during a period of time in which no notice was sent to the vehicle owner. Introduced in response to the lack of the state budget, which resulted in the Secretary of State's office suspending mailing of vehicle renewal reminder notices. This led to a significant increase in the number of motorists failing to renew their vehicle registration.

Health Care License - Forcible Felony (SB 42/PA 99-0886): Provides that a felon cannot apply for reinstatement of a healthcare license until at least 3 years from their release from incarceration or 5 years after their conviction, whichever is the later date. (As passed the senate, reinstatement was set at 5 years from conviction.)

School Transportation (SB 1582/PA 99-0888): Allows a student in grades K-12 with an Individualized Education Plan and a staff to student ratio of 1 to 5 may be transported in a multi-function school

activity bus for any curriculum-related activity except for transportation on regular bus routes from home to school or from school to home. This bill is for only six (6) small schools.

Snow Removal Liability (SB 2138/PA 99-0889): Creates the Snow Removal Service Liability Act. Voids and deems unenforceable any language in a snow or ice removal contract that requires either party to the contract to indemnify the other party for the other party's own negligence.

School Zoning Clarification (SB 2186/PA 99-0890): Introduced in response to a situation in Crystal Lake where bleachers were constructed without giving advance notice to nearby homeowners. Seeks to clarify law regarding local zoning ordinances by establishing that a school district is subject to, and its school board must comply with, any valid local government zoning ordinance or resolution that applies where the pertinent part of the school district is located.

Racetrack Reporting Requirements (SB 2357/PA 99-0891): Eliminates an annual reporting requirement regarding minority contracting for the Racing Board. Provides uniformity in the reporting required by the Racing Board and the Gaming Board.

Unclaimed Life Insurance Benefits Act (HB 4633/PA 99-0893): Requires all authorized insurers in Illinois to locate and pay beneficiaries' proceeds under unclaimed life insurance policies, annuity contracts, and retained asset accounts issued in the State or remit such proceeds to the Treasurer's Unclaimed Property Division. Does not impact the operations within the Treasurer's office. Failure to meet requirements of this Act is an unfair trade practice under the Illinois Insurance Code.

Youth Diversion Task Force (SB 320/PA 99-0894): Creates a youth diversion task force within DHS to identify existing diversion programs, available funding sources, and any possible barriers to the program.

Complex Needs Patient Act (SB 420/PA 99-0895): Creates the Complex Needs Patient Act. Requires the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) to provide separate recognition within the state's Medicaid program for individually configured complex rehabilitation technology products and services for complex needs patients. Defines "complex needs patient" to mean an individual with a diagnosis or medical condition that results in significant physical or functional needs and capacities. Requires separate recognition for technology products and services for complex needs patients. Sets forth several additional rules and coding guidelines for complex needs patients and their medical providers.

Capitol Police Age Limit (SB 805/PA 99-0896): Provides that the Secretary of State may not retain a person employed in the title of Capitol Police Investigator and who began employment on or after January 1, 2011 (Tier 2) in service as an investigator after he or she has reached 65 years of age (rather than the current 60 years of age limit for Illinois Vehicle Code investigators of the Secretary of State).

SURS Union Pension Membership (SB 2156/PA 99-0897): States that all future employees of the education associations working with employers, but who are not direct employees, are not eligible to participate in the SURS pension system. All currently participants in the pensions system are held harmless. Also adds "bonuses" to the list of non-pensionable income/compensation.

Medicaid Algorithm (SB 2306/PA 99-0898): Requires HFS to develop and implement an algorithm that is based on quality scores and operational proficiency criteria to automatically assign Medicaid enrollees

into managed care entities with the highest quality scores and levels of operational proficiency criteria established.

TANF Benefits (SB 2340/PA 99-0899): Clarifies that the first \$100 of monthly child support collected by a family with one child and the first \$200 collected by a family with two (2) or more children must be passed through to the family and disregarded in determining the amount of TANF assistance or TANF Cash provided to the family. This would add approximately \$2- \$2 million to the state's current obligations.

IMRF County Board Pension (SB 2701/PA 99-0900): Requires all government officials participating in the IMRF pension system to keep records of the hours they spend working at their position as well as pass a resolution following each general election stating the normal hours the elected office holder would spend working annually. Prohibits participation by a person who is a newly elected member of a county board after the effective date

Health Grant (SB 2734/PA 99-0901): Provides that DPH consult with the Advisory Board as provided by the Maternal and Child Health Block Grant Program Act.

Craft Distillery Production (SB 2797/PA 99-0902): Increases production and storage limits for craft distillers to 100,000 gallons per year (currently 30,000/annually). Allows craft distillers to store spirits at another location, but in no case may they produce or sell, in aggregate, more than 100,000 gallons per year or 2,500 gallons per year, respectively. Creates a craft distiller tasting permit with a \$25 fee.

Wage Assignment Revocation (SB 2804/PA 99-0903): Allows an employee, who originally consented to a wage assignment, the ability to revoke the wage assignment as long as it is revocable under federal law.

Winery Shipping License (SB 2989/PA 99-0904): Makes changes in what is required for a winery shippers license, increases penalties for illegal shipments of alcohol into the state and increase fees on every type of liquor license.