

## Senate Floor Action for May 12, 2017

**Census Outreach Strategy (SB 100):** Creates the Illinois Complete Count Commission to develop, recommend, and assist in the administration of a census outreach strategy that encourages full participation in the 2020 federal census.

**Liquor Sales (SB 322):** Provides sale of alcoholic liquor at a premises located within a municipality with population in excess of 1,000,000 inhabitants can be within 100 feet of a church if the building is between 3,600 to 4,000 square feet and the original building was built before 1922.

### House Bills passed by the Senate

**District General State Aid for Memorial Service (HB 1254):** Addresses a specific situation involving Chester CUSD 139 in Randolph County. The gymnasium at the Chester HS was used for a fallen police officer's funeral and memorial. The day of the funeral was a full day that no child was present at school. The day before the memorial, the students were released at noon. This resulted in the school district not receiving the adequate number of full school days for their General State Aid claim, which resulted in a \$19,000 reduction. This legislation is intended to ensure that a district will still receive their full General State Aid allotment even if they do not meet the adequate number of days if it is due to offering their building(s) for the use of a memorial or funeral service in remembrance of a community member.

**Reasonable Accommodations for Breast feeding students (HB 2369):** Requires public schools (including charters and CPS) to provide reasonable accommodations to a lactating student on a school campus to express breast milk, breastfeed an infant child or address other

needs related to breastfeeding. Defines reasonable accommodations. Also provides that a lactating pupil must be provided a reasonable amount of time to accommodate her need to express milk or breastfeed her infant child. Schools are only required to provide these accommodations if there is a lactating pupil on campus and they may use an existing facility to meet the requirements of the legislation.

**DOC Visitation (HB 2738):** States all Department of Corrections' institutions and facilities shall permit every committed person to receive in-person visitors and video contact, if available, except in cases of abuse of the visiting privilege or when the chief administrative officer determines that such visiting would be harmful or dangerous.

**Water Reclamation District (HB 3010):** Amends the North Shore Water Reclamation District act to make several changes: clarifies that a trustee vacancy must be filled with an individual of the same political party, adds barium, cadmium, mercury, selenium, and silver to the list of substances noted as toxic to the wastewater treatment processes, states that it is unlawful to discharge effluent, gaseous wastes, sewage, industrial wastes, or other wastes into the sewage system, authorizes disconnection for violations of district final orders; and allows owners of non-contiguous territory to enter into annexation agreements.

**Military Casualty Notification (HB 3017):** Provides that in lieu of notice being provided by the Department of Veterans' Affairs, any other state or federal entity, agency, or person holding such information may notify the Governor of the death by hostile fire of an Illinois resident member of the United States armed forces.

**Notice for Filing Complaint Against a Judge (HB 3054):** States that court clerks shall post in common areas of the courthouse a notice that a person may file a complaint against the judge and will include contact information for the Judicial Inquiry Board. The Judicial Inquiry Board will develop a statewide notice and format for each clerk.

**Home Kitchen Regulations (HB 3063):** Seeks to address challenges facing farmers' market vendors, and seeks to implement safe, fair, and consistent regulations throughout the state. With relation to farmers' markets, in the Home Kitchen Operation section, provides baked goods and only high-acid fruit pies are allowed. Under the Cottage Food Operation section, removes a list of non-potentially hazardous foods allowed, and includes a list of prohibited foods. Adds a statement regarding safety to the cottage food operation application.

**Implicit Bias Training (HB 3869):** Creates a new section on in-service implicit bias training. Requires the in-service training to include training to develop cultural competency (rather than training on civil rights and in cultural diversity), including understanding and reducing implicit racial bias (rather than including racial and ethnic sensitivity and implicit racial bias). Defines "implicit racial bias."