

Legislative Report

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Bill Information

HB1052 PEN CD-DNS FIRE-TIER 2 *(REP. JAY HOFFMAN)*

Amends the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. In a provision that reduces the amount of the pension for a Tier 2 firefighter who retires with at least 10 years of creditable service before attaining age 55, provides that the pension of a Tier 2 firefighter who is retiring after attaining age 50 with 20 or more years of creditable service shall not be reduced. Makes a conforming change. Provides that each annual increase for Tier 2 firefighters shall be increased on the January 1 occurring either on or after the attainment of age 55 (instead of age 60) or the first anniversary of the pension start date, whichever is later, and shall be calculated at 3% of the originally granted pension (instead of calculated at the lesser of 3% or one-half the annual unadjusted percentage increase in the consumer price index-u for a 12-month period ending in September preceding each November 1). Provides that the changes shall apply without regard to whether a Tier 2 firefighter is in active service under the Article on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/16/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/10/2023 - House Committee Amendment No. 1 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

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HB1065 WORKERS COMP-PRESUMPTION *(REP. RITA MAYFIELD)*

Amends the Workers' Compensation Act. Provides that the rebuttable presumption concerning specified conditions or impairments of health of an employee employed as a firefighter, emergency medical technician, emergency medical technician-intermediate, advanced emergency medical technician, or paramedic is intended to shift the burden of proof to the employing entity and any party attacking the presumption must establish by clear and convincing evidence an independent and non-work related cause for the condition or disability and prove that no aspect of the employment contributed to the condition. Provides that the rebuttable presumption relating to hearing loss cannot be overcome with evidence allegedly showing that the injured employee did not meet specified exposure thresholds.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/8/2023 - House Business & Industry Innovation Subcommittee

3/8/2023 - House Labor & Commerce

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HB1068 INS CD-DISCRIMINATION-FELONY *(REP. RITA MAYFIELD)*

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that an insurer or producer authorized to issue policies of insurance in the State may not make a distinction or otherwise discriminate between persons, reject an applicant, cancel a policy, or demand or require a higher rate of premium for reasons based solely upon the basis that an applicant or insured has been convicted of a felony.

RECENT STATUS

5/31/2023 - House Floor Amendment No. 2 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

5/31/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

5/26/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

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HB1136 CRIME&ACC SCENE PHOTO *(REP. DAN CAULKINS)*

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Creates the offense of unlawful dissemination of crime, crash, or accident scene information. Provides that a person commits the offense when he or she is a first responder or representative of a governmental agency and disseminates or publishes the photograph of any crime, crash, or accident scene or the names of the victims of a crime, crash, or accident until after the immediate family of all victims have been notified of the crime, crash, or accident. Exempt the dissemination of information that does not include images or names of victims in order to alert the public to avoid a crime, crash, or accident scene. Provides that a violation is a Class A misdemeanor. Defines terms. Provides that the Act may be referred to as the Accident and Crisis Victims Privacy Protection Act.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Judiciary - Criminal

3/7/2023 - To Criminal Administration and Enforcement Subcommittee

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HB1147 SECURE CHOICE SAVINGS-EMPLOYER *(REP. CHARLES MEIER)*

Amends the Illinois Secure Choice Savings Program Act. Provides that the definition of "employer" does not include a volunteer fire department. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/12/2023 - Referred to Rules Committee

1/12/2023 - FIRST READING

1/12/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Charles Meier

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HB1185 PENCD-DWNST POL&FIRE-FINANCING *(REP. DAVE VELLA)*

Amends the Downstate Police and Downstate Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the annual employer contribution shall include an amount sufficient to bring the total assets of the pension fund up to 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the pension fund by the end of municipal fiscal year 2050 (instead of 2040). Makes a conforming change. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

9/28/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

1/31/2023 - FIRST READING

1/31/2023 - Referred to House Rules

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HB1208 CLAIMS CT-LINE OF DUTY AWARDS *(REP. DAVE VELLA)*

Amends the Court of Claims Act. Provides that for the purpose of making up any deficiency in the appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act, there is appropriated, on a continuing annual basis in each fiscal year, from the General Revenue Fund to the Court of Claims, the amount, if any, by which the total appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for the fiscal year is less than the amount required for the payment of claims pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for that fiscal year. Provides that the amount of any continuing appropriation used by the Court of Claims under the amendatory Act for a given fiscal year shall be charged against the unexpended amount of any appropriation for line of duty awards to the Court of Claims for that fiscal year that subsequently becomes available. Requires the Court of Claims to report to the President and Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and the Governor's Office of Management and Budget any continuing appropriation that is used at the conclusion of a fiscal year. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - House Committee Amendment No. 1 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

2/28/2023 - House Committee Amendment No. 1 Rules Refers to Revenue & Finance Committee

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HB1233 INS CODE-GUARANTY ASSOCIATION *(REP. THADDEUS JONES)*

Amends the Illinois Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Law of the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that the Illinois Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association must submit a plan of operation to the Director of Insurance within 200 days.

RECENT STATUS

3/13/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Insurance

3/7/2023 - House Insurance

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HB1248 PEN CD-FIRE INVESTMENT BOARD *(REP. STEVEN REICK)*

Amends the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the candidate receiving the highest number of votes who is from a fire protection district shall be elected if the candidate or candidates who are mayors, presidents, chief executive officers, chief financial officers, or other officers, executives, or department heads of municipalities or fire protection districts receiving the highest number of votes would result in there being no trustee who is from a fire protection district. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/27/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/24/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

3/23/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

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HB1277 PEN CD-FELONY-SUSPEND BENEFITS *(REP. AMY ELIK)*

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that benefit or annuity payments to a member or participant in a retirement system or pension fund shall be suspended if the member or participant is indicted or charged by information with a felony and the board of the retirement system or pension fund determines that the felony relates to or arises out of or in connection with his or her service as a member or participant of the retirement system or pension fund. Provides that if the member or participant is not convicted of that felony, payment of the benefit or annuity shall resume and the retirement system or pension fund shall pay to the member or participant the amount of the suspended annuity or benefit payments with interest. Provides that if the member or participant is convicted of that felony, the suspended annuity or benefit payments shall not be paid to the member or participant. Provides that the amendatory Act applies without regard to whether the member or participant first became a member or participant of a retirement system or pension fund before the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/31/2023 - FIRST READING

1/31/2023 - Referred to House Rules

1/19/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Amy Elik

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HB1515 PEN CD-CHICAGO-RECIPROCAL ACT *(REP. MARTIN MOYLAN)*

Amends the Chicago Police and Chicago Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act (Article 20 of the Code) is adopted and made a part of the Chicago Police and Chicago Firefighter Articles, but only with respect to a person who, on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act, is entitled under the Chicago Police or Chicago Firefighter Article to begin receiving a retirement annuity or survivor's annuity and who elects to proceed under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State.

RECENT STATUS

3/23/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

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HB1516 PEN CD-CHI FIRE-RECIPROCAL ACT *(REP. MARTIN MOYLAN)*

Amends the Chicago Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act (Article 20 of the Code) is adopted and made a part of the Chicago Firefighter Article, but only with respect to a person who, on or after the

effective date of the amendatory Act, is entitled under the Chicago Firefighter Article to begin receiving a retirement annuity or survivor's annuity and who elects to proceed under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State.

RECENT STATUS

3/23/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

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HB1552 PEN CD-FELONY FORFEITURE *(REP. CURTIS TARVER, II)*

Amends the Counties Code. Provides that if a person who is covered under a retirement system or pension fund created under the Illinois Pension Code is convicted of a disqualifying offense as that term is defined in the Illinois Pension Code, the State's Attorney must notify the board of trustees for that retirement system or pension fund. Amends the Downstate Police, Chicago Police, Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), Chicago Municipal, Cook County, Cook County Forest Preserve, State Employee, and State Universities Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that upon petition by the Board or on its own motion, a circuit court may order that none of the benefits provided under the Article be paid to a person who first becomes a police officer on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act and who has been convicted of a disqualifying offense if the court finds that: (1) the disqualifying offense was committed with the use of police authority, resources, or other materials; (2) the disqualifying offense threatened public safety; or (3) the totality of the circumstances of the disqualifying offense are against the guiding principles and training of law enforcement. Provides that upon petition by the Board or on its own motion, a court may order that none of the benefits provided for in the Article be paid to any person who otherwise would receive a survivor benefit if the benefit results from the service of a police officer who first became a police officer on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act and who was convicted of a disqualifying offense if the court finds that: (1) the disqualifying offense was committed with the use of police authority, resources, or other materials; (2) the disqualifying offense threatened public safety; or (3) the totality of the circumstances of the disqualifying offense are against the guiding principles and training of law enforcement. Defines "disqualifying offense" and "police officer". Makes conforming and other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/2/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

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HB1595 EMS SYSTEMS-DISPUTE RESOLUTION *(REP. ANN WILLIAMS; SEN. BILL CUNNINGHAM)*

Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Provides that specified Advisory Committees shall include one representative from the labor organization recognized as the exclusive representative of specified entities' employees. Provides that an EMS Medical Director may only suspend any EMS personnel, EMS Lead Instructor, individual, individual provider, or other participant considered not to be meeting the requirements of the Program Plan if the EMS Medical Director obtains agreement from the Department of Public Health. Allows arbitration meeting specified requirements as alternative dispute resolution procedures for EMS System licensing and makes conforming changes throughout the Act. Provides that a member of a fire department's or fire protection district's collective bargaining unit shall be eligible to work under a silver spanner program for another fire department EMS System that is not the full time employer of that member, for a period not to exceed 12 months, without being required to test into the EMS System of the fire department or fire protection district. Makes other changes.

House Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. Provides that an individual interviewed or investigated by an EMS Director or the Department of Public Health

shall have the right to a union representative or legal counsel of the individual's choosing present at any interview or investigation and that the union representative must comply with the requirements for confidentiality and protection of patient information presented during the proceeding. In provisions concerning EMS System suspensions, provides that an EMS Medical Director must submit a suspension order to the Department describing which requirements of the Program Plan were not met and the suspension's duration. Provides that the Department shall review and confirm receipt of the suspension order, request additional information, or initiate an investigation. Provides that the Department shall incorporate the duration of that suspension into any further action taken by the Department to suspend, revoke, or refuse to issue or renew the license of the individual or entity for any violation of the provisions or the Program Plan arising from the same conduct for which the suspension order was issued if the suspended party has neither requested a Department hearing on the suspension nor worked as a provider in any other system during the term of the suspension. Provides that a member of a fire department's or fire protection district's collective bargaining unit shall be eligible to work under a silver spanner program for another fire department EMS System that is not the full-time employer of that member, for a period not to exceed 2 weeks (rather than 12 months), if the member satisfies specified requirements. Changes the definition of "regional EMS Advisory Committee". Removes provisions concerning emergency medical services personnel licensure and provisions concerning complaint investigations. Makes other changes.

House Floor Amendment No. 3 - Provides that an individual interviewed or investigated by an EMS Director, the local system review board, or the Department of Public Health shall have the right to a union representative and legal counsel of the individual's choosing present at any interview (rather than any interview or investigation).

RECENT STATUS

8/11/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024

8/11/2023 - Public Act 103-0521

8/11/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB1614 PEN CD-BENEFIT FORFEITURE (REP. CURTIS TARVER, II)

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that none of the benefits provided for in the Code shall be paid to any person who first becomes a member or participant under any Article of the Code on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act and is convicted of a disqualifying offense. Provides that with respect to benefits attributable to a member or participant who first becomes a member or participant on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act, none of the benefits provided for in the Code shall be paid to any person who otherwise would receive a survivor benefit who is convicted of a disqualifying offense. Specifies that the provisions are an additional cause for forfeiture of benefits under the Code and does not limit the causes for forfeiting pension benefits in any Article of the Code. Defines "disqualifying offense". Makes other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/2/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

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HB1625 FIRE DIST-SURPLUS PROPERTY (REP. DANIEL SWANSON; SEN. NEIL ANDERSON)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that, when selling surplus real estate of a fire protection district, the value of the surplus real estate shall be determined by a written MAI certified appraisal or by a written certified appraisal of a State certified or licensed real estate appraiser (currently, by only a written MAI certified appraisal conducted by a State certified or licensed real estate appraiser).

RECENT STATUS

6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0131
6/30/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB1626 FIRE DIST-COMPETITIVE BIDDING *(REP. DANIEL SWANSON; SEN. RAM VILLIVALAM)*

Amends the Fire Protection District Act. Changes the requirement for competitive bidding for fire protection district contracts to contracts over \$30,000 (currently, over \$20,000).

RECENT STATUS

3/24/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
3/24/2023 - FIRST READING
3/24/2023 - Chief Senate Sponsor Sen. Ram Villivalam

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HB1627 PEN CD-IMRF-FIRE/PARAMEDIC *(REP. LAWRENCE WALSH, JR.)*

Amends the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that if a full-time firefighter or firefighter/paramedic employed by a city, village, incorporated town, or township that meets certain requirements is not eligible to participate in a retirement fund created under the Downstate Firefighters Article of the Code, then he or she is eligible to participate, as a sheriff's law enforcement employee, under the IMRF Article of the Code. Specifies survivor and occupational disease disability benefits that are available to the qualifying firefighters. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions
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HB1644 PEN CD-ANNUAL INCREASES *(REP. BLAINE WILHOUR)*

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the retirement annuity or supplemental annuity for a participant, member, or annuitant in any pension fund or retirement system under the Code shall be subject to annual increases equal to the 10-year moving average of the annual unadjusted percentage increase in the consumer price index-u. Provides that the changes apply without regard to whether the participant is in active service on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/1/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/1/2023 - FIRST READING

2/1/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Blaine Wilhour

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HB1645 **PENCD-RETIREMENT ANNUITY LIMIT** (REP. BLAINE WILHOUR)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the total amount of the retirement annuity or pension benefits a person may receive from any pension fund or retirement system under the Code in any year shall not exceed \$132,900; however, that amount shall annually thereafter be increased by the percentage increase (but not less than zero) in the consumer price index-u for the 12 months ending with the September preceding each November 1, including all previous adjustments. Provides that the changes apply without regard to whether a person became a member, participant, beneficiary, or annuitant before the effective date of the amendatory Act. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/1/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/1/2023 - FIRST READING

2/1/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Blaine Wilhour

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HB1740 **LOCAL GOVERNMENT-TECH** (REP. CHARLES MEIER; SEN. JASON PLUMMER)

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Rescue Squad Districts Act. Changes the short title of the Act to the Emergency Services District Act. Makes conforming changes. Provides that the board of trustees of an emergency services district may recruit, employ, or contract with ambulance, rescue squad, or both ambulance and rescue squad personnel (rather than may recruit rescue squad personnel). Sets forth powers of a district relating to ambulance services. Provides that the board of trustees of a district may fix, charge, and collect fees not exceeding the reasonable cost of the service for ambulance services rendered by the district against persons who are not residents of the district and against businesses and other entities that are not located within the district. Sets forth permissible fees. Provides that a rescue squad district organized under the Act before the effective date of the amendatory Act may (i) continue to be named a rescue squad district or be renamed an emergency services district by ordinance of the board of trustees of the district, (ii) operate under the provisions of the Act as if they were organized as an emergency services district, and (iii) continue exercising taxing authority that was approved before the effective date of the amendatory Act. Provides that an emergency services district may be organized in whole or in part within a fire protection district that provides rescue services if the emergency services district is formed and operated solely to provide ambulance services. Amends the Collective Bargaining Freedom Act to make a conforming change.

RECENT STATUS

6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0134

6/30/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024

6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2057 **PEN CD-CHI LABORERS-SUBPOENA** (REP. KELLY BURKE; SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Chicago Laborers Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Board of Trustees of the Fund has the power to issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses to testify before it and to compel the production of documents and records upon any matter concerning the Fund, including, but not limited to, in conjunction with specified matters (instead of the Board having the authority to compel witnesses to testify before it upon any matter concerning the Fund). Provides that the fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State and shall be paid by the party seeking the subpoena. Provides that subpoenas issued under the provisions shall be subject to the Code of Civil Procedure. Removes language providing that the Board may allow witness fees not in excess of \$6 per day. Effective immediately.

House Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. Further amends the Illinois Pension Code. In the Chicago Park District Article, provides that the Board of Trustees of the Fund has the power to issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses to testify before it and to compel the production of documents and records upon any matter concerning the Fund, including, but not limited to, in conjunction with specified matters. Provides that the fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State and shall be paid by the party seeking the subpoena. Provides that subpoenas issued under the provisions shall be subject to the Code of Civil Procedure. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

8/4/2023 - Effective Date August 4, 2023
8/4/2023 - Public Act 103-0424
8/4/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2058 PUBLIC FUNDS-AUTH INVESTMENTS (REP. KELLY BURKE)

Amends the Public Funds Investment Act. Provides that any public agency may invest any public funds, in addition to other investments, in pooled life settlement policies in which each of the underlying insurance policies have no greater than 60-day liquidity and are issued by insurance companies of A-grade investment quality. Provides further requirements concerning the investment of public funds in specified pooled life settlement policies.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
2/15/2023 - Assigned to House Revenue & Finance
2/7/2023 - Referred to House Rules

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HB2089 INSURANCE-VARIOUS (REP. THADDEUS JONES; SEN. NAPOLEON HARRIS, III)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Changes references from "Public Pension Division of the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation" to "Public Pension Division of the Department of Insurance", and changes references from "Secretary of Financial and Professional Regulation" to "Director of Insurance". Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Changes fee amounts for failure of an industrial insured or surplus line producer to file a tax return or report. Removes provisions added by Public Act 94-677, which has been held unconstitutional. In provisions concerning coverage for medically necessary treatment of mental, emotional, nervous, or substance use disorders or conditions, removes language that provides that a request for expedited external review must be initiated within 24 hours following the adverse determination notification by the insurer, and failure to request an expedited external review within 24 hours shall preclude a covered person or a covered person's authorized representative from requesting an expedited external review. Makes other changes. Amends the Small Employer Health Insurance Rating Act. Provides that the provisions shall not apply to any health benefit plan for a small employer that is delivered, issued, renewed, or continued in the State on or after January 1, 2022, unless specified federal law is repealed. Amends the Health Maintenance Organization Act. Provides that health maintenance organizations shall be subject to specified provisions of the Illinois Insurance Code mandating coverage for certain services. Amends

the Managed Care Reform and Patient Rights Act. Changes the definition of "health care plan" to include specified not-for-profit voluntary health services plans. Effective July 1, 2023.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 - Further amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that every company authorized to do business in the State or accredited by the State with assets of at least \$50,000,000 shall submit a report on its voluntary supplier diversity program, or the company's procurement program if there is no supplier diversity program, to the Department of Insurance. Provides that the voluntary supplier diversity report shall set forth specified information. Provides that each company is required to submit a report to the Department on or before April 1, 2024, and on or before April 1 every year thereafter. Provides that the Department shall publish the results of supplier diversity reports on its Internet website for 5 years after submission. Provides that the Department shall hold an annual insurance company supplier diversity workshop in July of 2024 and every July thereafter to discuss the reports with representatives of the companies and vendors. Provides that the Department shall prepare a one-page template for the voluntary supplier diversity reports. Provides that the Department may adopt rules necessary to implement the provisions. Makes conforming changes in the Dental Service Plan Act, the Health Maintenance Organization Act, and the Limited Health Service Organization Act.

RECENT STATUS

8/4/2023 - Effective Date July 1, 2023

8/4/2023 - Public Act 103-0426

8/4/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2121 FIREWORKS REGULATION-SPARKLERS (REP. ROBERT RITA)

Amends the Fireworks Regulation Act of Illinois and the Pyrotechnic Use Act. Provides that "fireworks" and "consumer fireworks" do not include handheld or ground-based sparklers that are nonexplosive and nonaerial, sometimes producing a crackling or whistling effect, and containing 75 grams or less of pyrotechnic composition per tube or a total of 500 grams or less for multiple tubes (rather than only sparklers) or wood stick or wire sparklers containing not more than 100 grams of pyrotechnic mixture per item. Effective January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

3/27/2023 - House Floor Amendment No. 1 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/27/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/24/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

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HB2203 INS-MOTOR VEHICLE RATES (REP. WILL GUZZARDI)

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that the amendatory Act may be referred to as the Motor Vehicle Insurance Fairness Act. Provides that no insurer or insurance company group shall refuse to issue or renew a private passenger motor vehicle liability policy based in whole or in part on specified prohibited underwriting or rating factors. Sets forth factors that are prohibited with respect to automobile liability insurance underwriting and rating. Provides that every insurer or insurance company group selling automobile liability insurance in the State shall demonstrate that its marketing, underwriting, rating, claims handling, fraud investigations, and any algorithm or model used for those business practices do not disparately impact any group of customers based on race, color, national or ethnic origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, disability, gender identity, or gender expression. Provides that no rate shall be approved or remain in effect that is excessive, inadequate, unfairly discriminatory, or otherwise in violation of the provisions. Provides that every insurer that desires to change any rate shall file a complete rate application with the Director of Insurance. Provides that all information provided to the Director under the provisions shall be available for public inspection. Provides that any person may initiate or intervene in any proceeding permitted or established under the provisions and challenge any action of the Director under the provisions. Provides that the Department of Insurance shall adopt rules. Provides that all insurers subject to the provisions shall be assessed a fee of 0.05% of their total earned premium from the prior calendar year, and that the fee shall be payable to the

Department no later than July 1 of each calendar year and shall be used by the Department to implement the provisions.

RECENT STATUS

5/2/2023 - House Insurance

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Insurance

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HB2216 LOCAL GOV-LIFT-ASSIST SERVICES (REP. MICHAEL KELLY)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act and the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that municipalities and fire protection districts may fix, charge, and collect reasonable fees from independent living facilities, assisted living facilities, nursing home facilities, or other similar congregate care facilities for all lift-assist services rendered by a fire department, firefighter, emergency response unit, public safety employee of a municipal department, or fire protection district in connection with providing lift-assist services to a patient or other individual. Provides that the fees may not exceed the actual personnel and equipment costs for all services rendered by the municipality or fire protection district in connection with providing lift-assist services to a patient or other individual. Provides that the municipality or fire protection district may require a facility to enter into a written agreement to reimburse the municipality or fire protection district for the costs of injuries suffered at the facility by municipal or district personnel when providing lift-assist services, including, but not limited to, costs of medical treatment, payments required under the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act, disability payments, and pension payments for injured personnel, but provides that any such agreement does not relieve the municipality or fire protection district of a statutory or contractual obligation it may have to its employees for an injury suffered relating to lift-assist services rendered. Contains provisions relating to third-party claims and intervention in a suit relating to claims made by a municipal or fire protection district employee for an injury suffered relating to lift-assist services rendered.

RECENT STATUS

5/19/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

5/12/2023 - House Appropriations-Health & Human Services

5/11/2023 - House Appropriations-Health & Human Services

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HB2221 INC TX-FIRE SPRINKLERS (REP. MARY FLOWERS)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates an income tax credit for taxpayers who have an approved NFPA 13D residential fire sprinkler system installed in a new or existing residential dwelling in the State during the taxable year. Provides that the credit shall be in an amount equal to 50% of the total cost of the installation but not to exceed \$10,000 per taxpayer in any taxable year. Provides that the credit is exempt from the Act's automatic sunset provisions. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

4/19/2023 - House Revenue & Finance

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

2/23/2023 - To Revenue-Income Tax Subcommittee

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HB2258 FURNITURE FIRE SAFETY-REPEAL (REP. DANIEL SWANSON; SEN. MEG LOUGHRAN CAPPEL)

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Furniture Fire Safety Act. Repeals everything but the Act title. Requires the Office of the State Fire Marshal to adhere to the federal requirements for the flammability of upholstered furniture. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0151

6/30/2023 - Effective Date June 30, 2023

6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2337 PUBLIC SAFETY-VARIOUS (REP. JOHN CABELLO)

Restores the statutes to the form in which they existed before their amendment by Public Acts 101-652, 102-28, and 102-1104, with certain exceptions. Amends the Criminal Code of 2012 concerning aggravating factors for which the death penalty may be imposed. Amends the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963. Eliminates a provision that abolishes the sentence of death. Transfers unobligated and unexpended moneys remaining in the Death Penalty Abolition Fund into the reestablished Capital Litigation Trust Fund. Enacts the Capital Crimes Litigation Act of 2023 and amends the State Appellate Defender Act to add provisions concerning the restoration of the death penalty. Amends the Downstate Police and Downstate Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Removes Tier 2 limitations on the amount of salary for annuity purposes; provides that the automatic annual increases to a retirement pension or survivor pension are calculated under the Tier 1 formulas; and provides that the amount of and eligibility for a retirement annuity are calculated under the Tier 1 provisions. Provides that the changes that provide benefit increases for firefighters and police officers apply without regard to whether the firefighter or police officer was in service on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act. Makes other and conforming changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that a municipality that provides health insurance to police officers and firefighters shall maintain their health insurance plans after retirement and shall pay the cost of the health insurance premiums for each retiree who has completed 20 years of service. Makes other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/14/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/14/2023 - FIRST READING

2/14/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. John M. Cabello

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HB2372 OSFM-YOUTH INTERVENTIONISTS (REP. NATALIE MANLEY; SEN. PATRICK JOYCE)

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Fire Investigation Act. Requires the Office of the State Fire Marshal to create the position of Youth Firesetter Interventionist Coordinator within the Division of Arson. Sets forth the responsibilities of the Youth Firesetter Interventionist Coordinator, including a time limitation to connect with a youth whose case was referred to the Office, Freedom of Information Act request assistance, and reporting requirements. Allows a local Certified Youth Firesetter Interventionist rostered with a fire department or fire protection district to receive a \$250 stipend and mileage reimbursement for any necessary travel for a case only if the local Certified Youth Firesetter Interventionist is not otherwise compensated by another employer or entity for that case.

RECENT STATUS

7/28/2023 - Effective Date July 28, 2023
7/28/2023 - Public Act 103-0307
7/28/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2427 PEN CD-CLIMATE CHANGE POLICY *(REP. CAMILLE LILLY)*

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. By no later than December 31, 2023, requires every pension fund, except for a Downstate Police or Downstate Firefighter fund, to develop a climate change risk minimization policy. Provides that the policy shall consider the financial risk to the investments held by the pension fund in the event of different levels of climate change, as defined by the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change. Requires the policy to explain what sources of data, which must include specified sources, were used to make certain projections. Requires the policy to consider the scope of the financial risk of climate-related events. Authorizes the pension fund to determine a policy for all corporate equities held by the pension fund on voting for shareholder resolutions and directors to advance corporate policies that minimize the long-term risk to the pension fund's assets from increased climate change. Requires the policy to be updated annually and published on the pension fund's website. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions
2/28/2023 - Assigned to House Personnel & Pensions

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HB2542 PREVETERINARY EMERGENCY CARE *(REP. JOYCE MASON; SEN. RACHEL VENTURA)*

Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Provides that emergency medical (EMS) personnel may provide preveterinary emergency care to a dog or cat to the extent the EMS personnel have received commensurate training and are authorized by their employer to provide care. Provides that requirements governing the circumstances under which EMS personnel may provide preveterinary emergency care to dogs and cats may be specified in the employer's policies governing the provision of care. Contains language stating that nothing in the Act imposes upon EMS personnel any obligation to provide care to a dog or cat or to provide care to a dog or cat before a person. Amends the Veterinary Medicine and Surgery Practice Act of 2004. Provides that nothing in that Act shall apply to EMS personnel who provide preveterinary emergency care to a dog or cat under the amended provisions of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

5/5/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
4/28/2023 - Rule 2-10 Committee Deadline Established As May 6, 2023
4/26/2023 - Assigned to Senate Health and Human Services

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HB2567 MUNI CD-FIREFIGHTER DEFINITION *(REP. KATIE STUART)*

Amends the Civil Service In Cities Division and Board Of Fire and Police Commissioners Division of the Illinois Municipal Code.

Expands the definition of "firefighter" to include persons appointed to a fire department or fire protection district, or employed by a State university, unit of local government, or Emergency Medical Services (EMS) System, and sworn or commissioned or employed to perform (i) firefighter duties, (ii) paramedic, emergency medical technician (EMT), emergency medical technician-basic (EMT-B), emergency medical technician-intermediate (EMT-I), or advanced emergency medical technician (A-EMT) duties, (iii) or both (rather than persons appointed to a fire department or fire protection district or employed by a State university and sworn or commissioned to perform firefighter duties, paramedic duties, or both).

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - To Fire Subcommittee

3/9/2023 - House Police & Fire

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HB2577 MEDICAID-AIR AMBULANCE *(REP. JAY HOFFMAN)*

Amends the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. In a provision concerning reimbursement rates for ambulance services, provides that ambulance services includes medical transportation services provided by means of air ambulance. Provides that on and after July 1, 2023, the Department of Healthcare and Family Services shall increase the base rate of reimbursement for both base charges and mileage charges for medical transportation services provided by means of an air ambulance to a level not lower than 75% of the Medicare ambulance fee schedule rates, by designated Medicare locality, in effect on January 1, 2023. Effective July 1, 2023.

RECENT STATUS

5/19/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

5/12/2023 - House Appropriations-Health & Human Services

5/11/2023 - House Appropriations-Health & Human Services

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HB2589 PEN CD-TIER 3 PLAN *(REP. TRAVIS WEAVER)*

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. With respect to the 5 State-funded Retirement Systems: requires each System to implement a Tier 3 plan by July 1, 2024 that aggregates State and employee contributions in individual participant accounts which are used for payouts after retirement. Provides that a person who becomes a participant of a System on or after July 1, 2024 shall participate in the Tier 3 plan instead of the defined benefit plan. Authorizes a Tier 1 or Tier 2 participant to elect to participate in the Tier 3 plan instead of the defined benefit plan and to also elect to terminate all participation in the defined benefit plan and to have a specified amount credited to his or her account. Makes related changes in the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/15/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/15/2023 - FIRST READING

2/15/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Travis Weaver

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HB2616 FIREFIGHTER-HIRING (REP. DAVID FRIESS)

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code and the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that a person applying for a position in a fire department or fire protection district must disclose if he or she has been convicted, arrested, or charged with arson, aggravated arson, or criminal damage to property due to recklessly, by means of fire, damaging the property of another or knowingly starting a fire on the land of another. Provides that the person or board hiring an individual who has applied to a position in a fire department or fire protection district may take into consideration the disclosed convictions, arrests, or charges in the hiring or retention of the applicant. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/15/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/15/2023 - FIRST READING

2/15/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. David Friess

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HB2782 SUSTAINABILITY DISCLOSURES (REP. ANN WILLIAMS; SEN. RAM VILLIVALAM)

Amends the Illinois Sustainable Investing Act. Provides that, effective January 1, 2024, every investment manager shall comply with annual disclosure requirements that will require the investment manager to provide a description of the process through which the manager prudently integrates sustainability factors into its investment decision-making, investment analysis, portfolio construction, due diligence, and investment ownership in order to maximize anticipated financial returns, identify and minimize projected risk, and execute its fiduciary duties more effectively. Provides that the investment manager shall provide the annual disclosure to each public agency, pension fund, retirement system, or governmental unit for whom the investment manager is acting as a fiduciary or seeking selection as a fiduciary prior to acting in this capacity and at least annually thereafter. Provides that annual disclosures shall be submitted by January 31st of every year after the effective date of the amendatory Act. Defines "investment manager".

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Removes the requirement that annual disclosures shall be submitted by January 31st of every year. Makes technical changes in the provision concerning annual disclosures.

RECENT STATUS

7/28/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024

7/28/2023 - Public Act 103-0324

7/28/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB2972 RESCUE SQUAD DISTRICTS-FEES (REP. CHRISTOPHER DAVIDSMEYER; SEN. JIL TRACY)

Amends the Rescue Squad Districts Act. Provides that a rescue squad district may fix, charge, and collect fees for rescue squad services and ambulance services within or outside of the rescue squad district not exceeding the reasonable cost of the service. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0174

6/30/2023 - Effective Date June 30, 2023

6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

HB2984 CHINESE INVESTMENTS PROHIBITED (REP. BLAINE WILHOUR)

Amends the Deposit of State Moneys Act and the Public Funds Investment Act. Prohibits the investment of State moneys and public funds in certain investments or institutions tied to the Chinese Communist Party or the People's Republic of China. Amends the Procurement Code. Provides that each bid or offer submitted for a State contract shall include a disclosure of whether or not the bidder, offeror, or any of its corporate parents or subsidiaries, within the 24 months before submission of the bid or offer had business operations that involved contracts with or provision of supplies or services to the Chinese Communist Party and certain other companies tied to the Chinese Communist Party. Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the State-funded retirement systems shall not invest moneys in Chinese Communist Party sovereign debt, Chinese Communist Party-backed securities, any investment instrument issued by an entity that is domiciled or has its principal place of business in the People's Republic of China, or any investment instrument issued by a company that is subject to Chinese Military-Industrial Complex Companies Sanctions. Provides that as soon as practicable, each State-funded retirement system shall instruct its investment advisors to sell, redeem, divest, or withdraw all direct holdings of Chinese Communist Party sovereign debt and direct holdings of Chinese Communist Party-backed securities. Requires the Illinois Investment Policy Board to make its best efforts to identify all companies that are domiciled or have their principal place of business in the People's Republic of China and companies subject to Chinese Military-Industrial Complex Companies Sanctions and to include those companies in the list of restricted companies. Makes other changes. Amends the Board of Higher Education Act. Provides that the Board of Higher Education shall require a public institution of higher education to disclose to the Board any endowment or other donation given to the institution from a source associated with any company that is domiciled or has its principal place of business in the People's Republic of China and is on the list of restricted companies developed by the Illinois Investment Policy Board. Makes other changes.

RECENT STATUS

3/27/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/24/2023 - Placed on Calendar Order of 3rd Reading - Short Debate
3/24/2023 - SECOND READING

HB3004 PEN CD-DNST FIRE-DROP PLAN (REP. JANET YANG ROHR)

Amends the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Pension Code. Provides for a Deferred Retirement Option Plan, under which a firefighter who is at least age 50 with 20 years of service may continue in active service for up to 3 years while having his or her retirement pension paid into a special account, to be distributed to the firefighter upon retirement. Bases the retirement pension on the firefighter's service and salary at the time of joining the DROP plan. Requires termination of service at the end of the DROP plan participation period. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions
2/28/2023 - Assigned to House Personnel & Pensions

HB3037 PEN CD-FOSSIL FUEL DIVESTMENT (REP. WILL GUZZARDI)

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the amendatory Act may be referred to as the Fossil Fuel Divestment Act. With regard to the pension funds and retirement systems established under the General Assembly, Chicago Police, Chicago Firefighter, Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), Chicago Municipal, Chicago Laborers', State Employees, State Universities, Downstate Teachers, or Judges Article of the Code, prohibits investment of pension system assets in fossil fuel companies. Requires pension systems to adopt an update to its written investment policies if necessary. Requires pension systems to divest any holdings of stocks, securities, or other obligations of a fossil fuel company. Provides that, beginning one year after the effective date of the amendatory Act, the board of trustees of a pension system shall ensure that the pension system does not invest in any indirect investment vehicle unless the board of trustees is satisfied that the investment vehicle is unlikely to have more than 2% of its assets invested in coal, oil, or gas producers. Requires pension systems to post on its publicly accessible website information detailing all its holdings in the public market and private equity investments. Requires pension systems to annually issue a report reviewing its environmental, social, and governance investment policy. Sets forth definitions and other provisions. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/16/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/16/2023 - FIRST READING

2/16/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Will Guzzardi

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HB3082 PEN CD-CHI POLICE-DISABILITY (REP. JUSTIN SLAUGHTER)

Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a policeman who assumes regular employment for compensation, while in receipt of disability benefits (instead of ordinary or duty disability benefits), shall not be entitled to receive any amount of such disability benefits which, when added to his or her compensation for such employment during disability, would exceed 125% (instead of 150%) of the rate of salary which would be paid to the policeman if he or she were working in his or her regularly appointed civil service position as a policeman. Provides that each policeman who is granted a disability benefit shall supply the Fund with a copy of his or her federal and state tax returns, along with all accompanying schedules, within 30 days after filing those returns. Provides that a policeman shall have no further right to receive the disability benefit if the policeman refuses to provide his or her filed tax returns. Provides that a policeman shall have an affirmative obligation to inform the fund when he or she has received a medical opinion that he or she no longer has a disability. Provides that when the disability ceases, the policeman shall have no further right to receive the benefit and he or she shall be returned to active service. Makes other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/17/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/17/2023 - FIRST READING

2/16/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Justin Slaughter

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HB3137 PEN CD-IMRF SLEP-EMT (REP. KATIE STUART)

Amends the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Authorizes sheriff's law enforcement employee (SLEP) status for a person who is not eligible to participate in a downstate firefighter fund and is employed on a full-time basis by a participating municipality to perform duties as a paramedic, emergency medical technician (EMT), emergency medical technician-intermediate (EMT-I), or advanced emergency medical technician (A-EMT); but only if the governing authority of that municipality has approved sheriff's law enforcement employee status for such employees by adoption of an affirmative resolution. Provides that the resolution must specify that SLEP status shall be applicable to such employment occurring on or after the adoption of the resolution and that the resolution shall be irrevocable. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/16/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions
3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

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HB3162 PEN CD-CHI POLICE/FIRE-COVID *(REP. JAY HOFFMAN; SEN. BILL CUNNINGHAM)*

Amends the Chicago Police and Chicago Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Establishes a presumption that a fireman or policeman who becomes disabled as a result of exposure to and contraction of COVID-19 was injured in the line of duty and is entitled to receive a duty disability benefit under the applicable Article of the Code. Specifies that the changes made by the amendatory Act apply retroactively to March 9, 2020, and any policeman or fireman who has been previously denied a duty disability benefit that would otherwise be entitled to a duty disability benefit under the amendatory Act shall be entitled to a retroactive duty disability benefit. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

5/10/2023 - Effective Date May 10, 2023
5/10/2023 - Public Act 103-0002
5/10/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB3238 CRIM CD-BODY ARMOR *(REP. MAURA HIRSCHAUER)*

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Provides that, with certain exceptions, it is unlawful for any person within the State to knowingly manufacture, deliver, sell, import, or purchase or cause to be manufactured, delivered, sold, imported, or purchased by another, an armor plate, body armor, or military helmet. Provides that, with certain exceptions, beginning January 1, 2024, it is unlawful for any person within this State to knowingly possess an armor plate, body armor, or military helmet. Provides that this provision does not apply to a person's possession of an armor plate, body armor, or military helmet if the person lawfully possessed that armor plate, body armor, or military helmet prohibited by this provision, if the person has provided in an endorsement affidavit, within 6 months after the effective date of the amendatory Act, under oath or affirmation and in the form and manner prescribed by the Illinois State Police: (1) an affirmation that the affiant: (i) possessed an armor plate, body armor, or military helmet before the effective date of the amendatory Act; or (ii) inherited the armor plate, body armor, or military helmet from a person with an endorsement or from a person authorized to possess the armor plate, body armor, or military helmet possessed by the affiant prior to the effective date of the amendatory Act. Provides exemptions. Provides that a violation of these provisions is a Class A misdemeanor for a first offense and a Class 4 felony for a second or subsequent offense.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Judiciary - Criminal

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HB3249 PUBLIC SAFETY-HEALTH INSURANCE *(REP. MARY BETH CANTY; SEN. KARINA VILLA)*

Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act. In a provision requiring a public safety employer to pay the entire premium of its health insurance plan for a public safety employee, the employee's spouse, and the employee's dependent children after the employee suffers a fatal or catastrophic injury in the line of duty, requires the employer to offer any individual who qualifies for such premium payments the choice of any health insurance plan available to currently employed full-time public safety employees.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the engrossed bill with the following changes: Provides that the requirement does not apply to a cafeteria plan administered under the State Employee Group Insurance Act of 1971, for which changes in coverage may only be elected during open enrollment or following a qualifying event.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 3 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the engrossed bill with the following changes: Provides that for purposes of plans administered under the State Employee Group Insurance Act of 1971, changes in coverage may only be elected during open enrollment or following a qualifying event.

RECENT STATUS

7/28/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024

7/28/2023 - Public Act 103-0340

7/28/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB3271 INC TX-FIREFIGHTER-EMS *(REP. TRAVIS WEAVER)*

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates an income tax credit in an amount equal to \$1,400 for individuals who serve as volunteer emergency workers for at least 9 months during the taxable year. Defines "volunteer emergency worker". Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - To Revenue-Income Tax Subcommittee

2/28/2023 - Assigned to House Revenue & Finance

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HB3342 PENCDC-HI POLICE-OTHER SERVICE *(REP. KELLY BURKE; SEN. BILL CUNNINGHAM)*

Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that certain participants are entitled to credit for service while on leave of absence from the police department of the city and assigned or detailed to perform in a sworn law enforcement capacity for: (1) the County of Cook, the State of Illinois, or the federal government (instead of assigned or detailed to perform safety or investigative work as an employee for the County of Cook, the State of Illinois, or the federal government); or (2) the department (instead of investigative work for the department while employed as a civilian employee of the police department of the city). Provides that the changes requiring an applicant for credit for other service to have been performing in a sworn law enforcement capacity are operative beginning January 1, 2024. Makes a conforming change. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

6/26/2023 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-9(b) / Referred to Assignments

5/25/2023 - House Bills on Third Reading

5/24/2023 - House Bills on Third Reading

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HB3343 **PENCD-CHI POLICE-PRIOR SERVICE** *(REP. KELLY BURKE)*

Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. In a provision authorizing an active policeman to establish credit for certain prior law enforcement service, provides that the requirement that the policeman applies for the credit within 2 years after beginning employment does not apply to an active policeman who becomes a member of the Fund on or after December 1, 2019, makes an application for the credit in writing prior to December 31, 2023, and pays to the Fund, within 5 years after the date of application, a specified amount. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/27/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/24/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

3/23/2023 - House Bills on Second Reading

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HB3388 **CLAIMS CT-LINE OF DUTY AWARDS** *(REP. DAVE VELLA)*

Amends the Court of Claims Act. Provides that, for the purpose of making up any deficiency in the appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act, there is appropriated, on a continuing annual basis in each fiscal year, from the General Revenue Fund to the Court of Claims, the amount, if any, by which the total appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for the fiscal year is less than the amount required for the payment of claims pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for that fiscal year. Provides that the amount of any continuing appropriation used by the Court of Claims under the amendatory Act for a given fiscal year shall be charged against the unexpended amount of any appropriation for line of duty awards to the Court of Claims for that fiscal year that subsequently becomes available. Requires the Court of Claims to report to the President and Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and the Governor's Office of Management and Budget on any continuing appropriation that is used at the conclusion of a fiscal year. Amends the Line of Duty Compensation Act. Provides that if a claim is made within 2 years (rather than one year) of the date of death of a law enforcement officer, civil defense worker, civil air patrol member, paramedic, fireman, chaplain, or State employee killed in the line of duty, compensation shall be paid to the person designated by the law enforcement officer, civil defense worker, civil air patrol member, paramedic, fireman, chaplain, or State employee. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

5/19/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/29/2023 - House Appropriations-General Services

3/22/2023 - House Appropriations-General Services

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HB3392 **PENCD-FIRE-OCC DISEASE PENSION** *(REP. JOE SOSNOWSKI)*

Amends the Downstate Firefighter and Chicago Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Adds an impairment or condition resulting from a bloodborne pathogen, contagious staph infection, including Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), lung or respiratory disease or condition, vascular disease or condition, hypertension, cancer resulting in any disability (temporary, permanent, total, or partial), or hearing loss to the list of diseases for which certain firefighters may be eligible for an occupational

disease disability pension. Provides that any condition or impairment of health of a firefighter that results directly or indirectly from any bloodborne pathogen, contagious staph infection, including Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), lung or respiratory disease or condition, heart or vascular disease or condition, hypertension, tuberculosis, cancer resulting in any disability (temporary, permanent, total, or partial), or hearing loss is rebuttably presumed to have resulted from service as a firefighter. Makes a conforming change. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement.

RECENT STATUS

2/17/2023 - Referred to House Rules
2/17/2023 - FIRST READING
2/17/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Joe C. Sosnowski

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HB3406 VEH CD-EMERGENCY-POLICE VEH (REP. JOHN CABELLO; SEN. JULIE MORRISON)

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the definition of "authorized emergency vehicle" includes emergency vehicles of municipal departments or public service corporations as are designated or authorized by proper State or county authorities. Provides that the definition of "police vehicle" includes any vehicle, recreational off-highway vehicle, all-terrain vehicle, watercraft, aircraft, bicycle, or electric personal assistive mobility device that is designated or authorized by proper State or county authorities for police use.

RECENT STATUS

6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0190
6/30/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB3470 GASOLINE STORAGE-REFUELING (REP. TOM WEBER)

Amends the Gasoline Storage Act. Provides that the State Fire Marshal shall allow residential refueling services to be provided by watercraft that are approved by the State Fire Marshal to provide fuel and that meet all applicable fire safety standards.

RECENT STATUS

2/17/2023 - Referred to House Rules
2/17/2023 - FIRST READING
2/17/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Tom Weber

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HB3485 PEN CD-INDEMNIFICATION (REP. LAMONT ROBINSON)

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that every retirement system, pension fund, or other system or fund established under the Code shall (instead of may) indemnify and protect the trustees and staff (instead of the trustees, staff, and consultants) against all damage claims and suits, including the defense thereof, when damages are sought for negligent or wrongful acts alleged to have been committed in the scope of employment or under the direction of the trustees. Amends the State

Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State.

RECENT STATUS

2/17/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/17/2023 - FIRST READING

2/17/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Lamont J. Robinson, Jr.

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HB3608 PEN CD-DNST FIRE-PENSION (REP. EVA-DINA DELGADO)

Amends the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that in July 2023, the monthly pension of a firefighter who retired between July 1, 1977 and January 1, 1986 shall be recalculated and increased to reflect the amount that the firefighter would have received in July 2023 had the firefighter been receiving a 3% compounded increase for each year he or she received pension payments after his or her retirement date. Provides that in each January thereafter, he or she shall receive an additional increase of 3% of the amount of the pension then being paid. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/17/2023 - Referred to House Rules

2/17/2023 - FIRST READING

2/17/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Eva-Dina Delgado

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HB3718 PENC D-DNST FIRE-RECIPROCAL ACT (REP. AARON ORTIZ)

Amends the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act (Article 20 of the Code) is adopted and made a part of the Downstate Firefighter Article, but only with respect to a person who, on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act, is entitled under the Downstate Firefighter Article to begin receiving a retirement annuity or survivor's annuity and who elects to proceed under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State.

RECENT STATUS

3/23/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

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HB3719 PROP TX-RECORDS (REP. CURTIS TARVER, II)

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that, where assessment records are presently maintained in electronic format, the township assessor, multi-township assessor, or chief county assessment officer shall make those records available for immediate public inspection through Internet access. Provides that where assessment records, or some of them, are not presently maintained in electronic format, the township assessor, multi-township assessor, or chief county assessment officer shall convert all assessment

records into electronic format and maintain those records in that format. Provides that those records shall be made available for immediate public inspection, preferably through Internet access. Contains provisions concerning requests for assessment records. In provisions providing that property records shall contain the elements (or basis) of valuation and computations that are taken into consideration by the chief county assessment officer in determining the fair cash value of property, provides that those elements include, but are not limited to, capitalization rates and tax loads, rental income data and any adjustments thereto, ratios of expenses to income, net income, vacancy and collection loss, reproduction or replacement cost calculators or manuals, physical, functional, and economic depreciation or obsolescence, and comparable sales and sales adjustment factors. Contains provisions concerning tax objections in the circuit court. Repeals provisions providing that the circuit court shall consider tax objections concerning valuation without regard to the correctness of any practice, procedure, or method of valuation followed by the assessor, board of appeals, or board of review in making or reviewing the assessment, and without regard to the intent or motivation of any assessing official. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - To Revenue - Property Tax Subcommittee
2/28/2023 - Assigned to House Revenue & Finance

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HB3769 INS-FIREMEN'S CONTINUANCE *(REP. KATIE STUART; SEN. DALE FOWLER)*

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. In provisions concerning firemen's continuance privilege, changes the definition of "fireman" and "firemen" to include any person who is not eligible to participate in a pension fund established under the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code and is employed on a full-time basis by a participating municipality or fire protection district to perform duties as a firefighter, paramedic, emergency medical technician, emergency medical technician-basic, emergency medical technician-intermediate, or advanced emergency medical technician.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. Defines "firefighter". Removes the definition of "fireman" and "firemen". Makes conforming changes.

RECENT STATUS

6/9/2023 - Public Act 103-0052
6/9/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
6/9/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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HB3777 CRIM CD-FIRST RESPONDER *(REP. MICHAEL KELLY)*

Provides that the Act may be referred to as the Daniel Capuano Memorial Act. Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Creates the offense of first responder endangerment. Provides that a person commits the offense when he or she knowingly creates a dangerous condition and intentionally conceals the dangerous condition in a commercial property under his or her management or operational control and the dangerous condition is found to be the primary cause of the death or serious bodily injury of a first responder in the course of his or her official duties. Provides that a violation is a Class 4 felony. Defines various terms.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/9/2023 - House Judiciary - Criminal
3/7/2023 - To Criminal Administration and Enforcement Subcommittee

HB3812 INS-HEALTH BENEFITS/COST SHARE *(REP. ANGELICA GUERRERO-CUELLAR)*

Amends the Accident and Health Article of the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that a group or individual policy of accident and health insurance or managed care plan amended, delivered, issued, or renewed on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act shall provide any mental health treatment coverage without imposing a deductible, coinsurance, copayment, or any other cost-sharing requirement for any police officer, firefighter, emergency medical services personnel, or veteran. Makes conforming changes in the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971, the Counties Code, the Illinois Municipal Code, the School Code, the Health Maintenance Organization Act, the Limited Health Service Organization Act, the Voluntary Health Services Plans Act, and the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/27/2023 - House Floor Amendment No. 2 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/27/2023 - House Floor Amendment No. 1 Rule 19(c) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/27/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

HB3827 HIGHER ED-FIREFIGHTER GRANT *(REP. BRAD HALBROOK)*

Amends the Higher Education Student Assistance Act. Requires the Illinois Student Assistance Commission to establish a grant program for volunteer firefighters or volunteer EMS personnel who are enrolled in an associate degree program at a public community college. Sets forth eligibility requirements. Requires a grant recipient not to have an outstanding balance with the public community college and to maintain satisfactory academic progress to remain eligible for a grant assistance. Provides that the grant may be renewed for up to a total of 2 years of full-time enrollment. Provides for rulemaking. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

5/19/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/30/2023 - House Appropriations-Higher Education

3/23/2023 - House Appropriations-Higher Education

HB3828 TAX CREDIT-VOLUNTR FIREFIGHTER *(REP. BRAD HALBROOK)*

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates a tax credit for individual taxpayers who were members in good standing of a volunteer fire department for at least 6 months during the taxable year. Provides that the amount of the credit is \$1,000. Provides that the credit may not be carried forward or back and may not reduce the taxpayer's liability to less than zero. Exempts the credit from the Act's sunset requirements. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

4/20/2023 - House Revenue & Finance

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - To Revenue - Tax Credit and Incentives Subcommittee



HB3883 FIRST RESPONDER CANNABIS TESTS (REP. MICHAEL KELLY)

Creates the First Responder Cannabis Testing Act. Provides that, before a first responder may be tested for any substance prohibited by the Cannabis Control Act, the person ordering the test must demonstrate there is cause for testing, such as an actual suspicion that the first responder is currently intoxicated with a substance prohibited under the Cannabis Control Act or there was vehicular crash or other accident at work that may have been caused by intoxication with a substance prohibited under the Cannabis Control Act. Provides that a test administered to detect any substance prohibited under the Cannabis Control Act shall be a saliva-based test and may not be a urine, blood, or hair follicle test. Provides that, if a first responder tests positive for any substance prohibited under the Cannabis Control Act, that first responder may be discharged only if there is evidence that the first responder was intoxicated with a substance prohibited under the Cannabis Control Act immediately prior to the start of or during the first responder's shift. Limits the concurrent exercise of home rule powers. Makes conforming changes in the Illinois State Police Act, the Compassionate Use of Medical Cannabis Program Act, and the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/8/2023 - House Executive

2/28/2023 - Assigned to House Executive



HB3906 PEN CD-SURS-TIER 2 RETIREMENT (REP. KATIE STUART)

Amends the State Universities Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a Tier 2 member who has at least 20 years of service in this system as a police officer or firefighter is entitled to a retirement annuity upon written application on or after the attainment of age 55 (instead of age 60) if a specified rule is applicable to the participant. Provides that the changes apply retroactively to January 1, 2011. Provides that any benefit increase that results from the amendatory Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase".

RECENT STATUS

3/16/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

3/9/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions



HB3908 FIREFIGHTER MATERNITY LEAVE (REP. KATIE STUART)

Creates the Firefighter Paid Family Leave Act. Provides that a firefighter shall receive 6 weeks of paid family leave that may be used: (1) for the birth of a child in order to care for the child; (2) to care for a newly adopted child under 18 years of age, a newly placed foster child under 18 years of age, or a newly adopted or placed foster child older than 18 years of age if the child is incapable of self-care because of a mental or physical disability; and (3) to care for a family member with a serious health condition. Provides that the paid family leave requirements shall be provided to a firefighter regardless of the employer's leave policies and shall be provided to a firefighter who has been employed by the employer for at least one year. Provides that a firefighter may voluntarily waive his or her right to paid family leave. Provides that the Department of Labor may adopt any rules necessary to implement the Act.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee
3/8/2023 - To Job Growth & Workforce Development Subcommittee
3/8/2023 - House Labor & Commerce

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HB4045 FIREFIGHTERS-NONCITIZENS *(REP. BARBARA HERNANDEZ)*

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code and the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that an individual who is not a citizen but is legally authorized to work in the United States under federal law is authorized to apply for the position of firefighter, subject to all requirements and limitations, other than citizenship, to which other applicants are subject. Effective January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

4/25/2023 - FIRST READING
4/25/2023 - Referred to House Rules
4/25/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Barbara Hernandez

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HB4065 PEN CD-POLICE AND FIRE *(REP. JUSTIN SLAUGHTER)*

Amends the General Provisions, Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, Chicago Police, Chicago Firefighter, Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), State Employees, and State Universities Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. With regard to police officers, firefighters, and similar public safety employees, removes Tier 2 limitations on the amount of salary for annuity purposes; provides that the automatic annual increases to a retirement pension or survivor pension are calculated under the Tier 1 formulas; and provides that the amount of and eligibility for a retirement annuity are calculated under the Tier 1 provisions. Amends the State Finance Act. Provides that each fiscal year, the Comptroller shall pay to each unit of local government that makes a certification of certain employer costs under the Illinois Pension Code or under a specified provision of the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act an amount equal to 40% of the total amount certified by the unit of local government. Creates a continuing appropriation of that amount. Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act. Provides that a unit of local government that provides health insurance to police officers and firefighters shall maintain the health insurance plans of these employees after retirement and shall contribute toward the cost of the annuitant's coverage under the unit of local government's health insurance plan an amount equal to 4% of that cost for each full year of creditable service upon which the annuitant's retirement annuity is based. Makes other and conforming changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

9/28/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions
5/4/2023 - Referred to House Rules
5/4/2023 - FIRST READING

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HB4098 PENSIONS-VARIOUS *(REP. STEPHANIE KIFOWIT)*

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Makes changes to Tier 2 benefits for members or participants under the 5 State-funded retirement

systems and the Chicago Teachers Pension Fund, including changes to automatic annual increases, age and service requirements for retirement, and limits on the amount of salary for annuity purposes. Establishes an accelerated pension benefit payment option for the General Assembly and Judges Articles of the Code. Makes changes to the funding formula beginning in fiscal year 2025 for the 5 State-funded retirement systems. In the 5 State-funded retirement systems, provides for a deferred retirement option plan for certain participants under which a participant may continue in active service for up to 3 years while having his or her retirement pension paid into a special account, to be distributed to the participant upon retirement. Provides that any benefit increase that results from this Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase". Amends the General Obligation Bond Act. Provides that each fiscal year after certain State pension funding bonds and income tax proceed bonds are retired, the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller shall transfer \$500,000,000 from the General Revenue Fund to the Pension Unfunded Liability Reduction Fund each fiscal year, which shall be used for making additional contributions to the pension funds and retirement systems established under the General Assembly, State Employee, State Universities, Downstate Teacher, Chicago Teacher, and Judges Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Amends the State Finance Act to make conforming changes. Repeals provisions concerning optional benefits for certain Tier 2 members. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

9/6/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

8/23/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

7/24/2023 - Pension Note Requested by Rep. Stephanie A. Kifowit

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HB4099 PEN CD-TIER 2 VARIOUS (REP. STEPHANIE KIFOWIT)

Amends the General Provisions, Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, and State Employees Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a security employee of the Department of Corrections or the Department of Juvenile Justice or a security employee of the Department of Human Services subject to the Tier 2 provisions is entitled to an annuity calculated under the alternative retirement annuity provisions, in lieu of the regular or minimum retirement annuity, only if the person has withdrawn from service with not less than 20 years of eligible creditable service and has attained age 55, regardless of whether the attainment of age 55 occurs while the person is still in service. Provides that any benefit increase that results from the amendatory Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase". In the Downstate Police and Downstate Firefighter Articles, in a provision that reduces the amount of the pension for a Tier 2 firefighter or Tier 2 police officer who retires with at least 10 years of creditable service before attaining age 55, provides that the pension of a Tier 2 firefighter or Tier 2 police officer who is retiring after attaining age 50 with 20 or more years of creditable service shall not be reduced. Makes a conforming change. Provides that each annual increase for Tier 2 firefighters shall be increased on the January 1 occurring either on or after the attainment of age 55 (instead of age 60) or the first anniversary of the pension start date, whichever is later. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

9/28/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

9/6/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

7/24/2023 - Pension Note Requested by Rep. Stephanie A. Kifowit

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HB4109 LINE OF DUTY COMP-VOLUNTEERS (REP. MARTIN MCLAUGHLIN)

Amends the Line of Duty Compensation Act. Expands the definition of "law enforcement officer" or "officer" to include any person working as a volunteer for the State or a local governmental entity in some position involving the enforcement of the law and protection of the public interest at the risk of that person's life, including, but not limited to, volunteers assisting with parking and traffic.

RECENT STATUS

10/18/2023 - Referred to House Rules
10/18/2023 - FIRST READING
7/17/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Martin McLaughlin

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HB4179 EMERGENCY SERVICE DIST-VARIOUS (REP. CHARLES MEIER)

Amends the Rescue Squad Districts Act, which is becoming the Emergency Services District Act on January 1, 2024. Increases the amount of the levy that a district may initially levy upon formation of the district from .20% to .40%. Provides that districts organized before January 1, 2024 may, by ordinance or resolution, increase the tax rate authorized by their organizational proposition by up to .20% (but no more than a .40% tax rate in the aggregate, including the amount levied under the organization proposition). Provides that the aggregate amount of all district tax levies may not exceed .80% (with no more than .40% authorized by the organizational referendum and .40% authorized by an ambulance service tax referendum). Provides that the board of trustees of a district may fix, charge, and collect fees not exceeding the reasonable cost of the service for ambulance services rendered by the district within or outside of the district (rather than fix, charge, and collect fees against persons who are not residents of the district and against businesses and other entities that are not located within the district). Removes a provision setting fee amounts at a rate not to exceed \$250 per hour and not to exceed \$70 per hour per ambulance worker responding to a call for assistance. Provides that the fee that may be charged to reimburse the district for extraordinary expenses of materials used in rendering ambulance services may be up to the reasonable cost of the materials. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

10/25/2023 - Referred to House Rules
10/25/2023 - FIRST READING
10/18/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Charles Meier

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HB4192 MUNI CD-HOTEL TAX (REP. MARY BETH CANTY)

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that amounts disbursed to a municipality from its municipal hotel operators' occupation or use tax may also be used by the municipality to fund pensions for police officers and firefighters.

RECENT STATUS

10/25/2023 - Referred to House Rules
10/25/2023 - FIRST READING
10/24/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Mary Beth Canty

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HB4270 LINE OF DUTY-EMS PERSONNEL (REP. WAYNE ROSENTHAL)

Amends the Line of Duty Compensation Act. Includes emergency medical services personnel within the scope of the Act. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules
1/16/2024 - FIRST READING
12/13/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Wayne A Rosenthal

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HB4321 PEN CD-COVID PRESUMPTION (REP. JOHN CABELLO)

Amends the Downstate Police and Downstate Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Establishes a presumption that a firefighter or police officer who becomes disabled as a result of exposure to and contraction of COVID-19 was injured in the line of duty and is entitled to receive a duty disability benefit under the applicable Article of the Code. Specifies that the changes made by the amendatory Act apply retroactively to March 9, 2020, and any police officer or firefighter who has been previously denied a duty disability benefit that would otherwise be entitled to a duty disability benefit under the amendatory Act shall be entitled to a retroactive duty disability benefit. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules
1/16/2024 - FIRST READING
1/3/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. John M. Cabello

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HB4334 PEN CD-POLICE AND FIRE (REP. JOHN CABELLO)

Amends the General Provisions, Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, Chicago Police, Chicago Firefighter, Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), State Employees, and State Universities Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. With regard to police officers, firefighters, and similar public safety employees, removes Tier 2 limitations on the amount of salary for annuity purposes; provides that the automatic annual increases to a retirement pension or survivor pension are calculated under the Tier 1 formulas; and provides that the amount of and eligibility for a retirement annuity are calculated under the Tier 1 provisions. Amends the State Finance Act. Provides that, each fiscal year, the Comptroller shall pay to each unit of local government that makes a certification of certain employer costs under the Illinois Pension Code or under a specified provision of the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act an amount equal to 40% of the total amount certified by the unit of local government. Creates a continuing appropriation of that amount. Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act. Provides that a unit of local government that provides health insurance to police officers and firefighters shall maintain the health insurance plans of these employees after retirement and shall contribute toward the cost of the annuitant's coverage under the unit of local government's health insurance plan an amount equal to 4% of that cost for each full year of creditable service upon which the annuitant's retirement annuity is based. Makes other and conforming changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules
1/16/2024 - FIRST READING
1/3/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. John M. Cabello

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HB4336 PUBLIC SAFETY-VARIOUS-PENSIONS (REP. JOHN CABELLO)

Restores the statutes to the form in which they existed before their amendment by Public Acts 101-652, 102-28, and 102-1104, with certain exceptions. Amends the Criminal Code of 2012 concerning aggravating factors for which the death penalty may be imposed. Amends the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963. Eliminates a provision that abolishes the sentence of death. Transfers unobligated and unexpended moneys remaining in the Death Penalty Abolition Fund into the reestablished Capital Litigation Trust Fund. Enacts the Capital Crimes Litigation Act of 2024 and amends the State Appellate Defender Act to add provisions concerning the restoration of the death penalty. Amends the General Provisions, Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, Chicago Police, Chicago Firefighter, Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), State Employees, and State Universities Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. With regard to police officers, firefighters, and similar public safety employees, removes Tier 2 limitations on the amount of salary for annuity purposes; provides that the automatic annual increases to a retirement pension or survivor pension are calculated under the Tier 1 formulas; and provides that the amount of and eligibility for a retirement annuity are calculated under the Tier 1 provisions. Amends the State Finance Act to make conforming changes. Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act concerning health insurance plans of police officers and firefighters. Makes other conforming changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation of the amendatory changes to the Illinois Pension Code without reimbursement. Makes other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules

1/16/2024 - FIRST READING

1/3/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. John M. Cabello

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HB4339 LOCAL RECORDS-POLICE SCANNERS (REP. LA SHAWN FORD)

Amends the Local Records Act. Provides that a law enforcement agency that encrypts police scanner transmissions must provide, by license or otherwise, real-time access to those transmissions to broadcast stations, broadcasting stations, radio broadcast stations, and newspapers. Effective January 1, 2025.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules

1/16/2024 - FIRST READING

1/3/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

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HB4359 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT-FUNDS (REP. MARY BETH CANTY)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that specified accumulation of funds by a board of trustees of a fire protection district may occur in the district's corporate fund or other district fund. Provides that the board of trustees of a fire protection district may accumulate funds for the purposes of emergency medical services, technical rescue, and other services performed by the fire district and for the purposes of providing employees other post-employment benefits.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules

1/16/2024 - FIRST READING

1/5/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Mary Beth Canty

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HB4460 POLICE&FIRE INS-MENTAL HEALTH *(REP. MARY GILL)*

Amends the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971, the Counties Code, and the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that the State Employees Group Insurance Program (for Illinois State Police officers), a county (for members of the sheriff's office), and a municipality (for members of the police department or fire department) shall provide coverage for joint mental health therapy services for the officer or firefighter and a spouse or partner of the officer or firefighter who resides with officer or firefighter. Specifies that the coverage shall be provided without imposing a deductible, coinsurance, copayment, or any other cost-sharing requirement, except that, for Illinois State Police officers and the spouse or partner of the officer under the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971, only if all resources available to those individuals through the State of Illinois' Employee Assistance Program and any first responder mental health program available are first exhausted. Directs the joint mental health therapy services to be provided by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches, a licensed clinical psychologist, a licensed clinical social worker, a licensed clinical professional counselor, a licensed marriage and family therapist, a licensed social worker, or a licensed professional counselor. Limits the concurrent exercise of home rule powers. Effective January 1, 2025.

RECENT STATUS

1/16/2024 - Referred to House Rules

1/16/2024 - FIRST READING

1/16/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Mary Gill

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HB4478 SHELBY COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD *(REP. BRAD HALBROOK)*

Amends the Counties Code. Provides that the Shelby County Board may form, manage, fund, and operate a volunteer rescue squad to provide assistance within Shelby County to any public entity providing law enforcement, firefighting, emergency disaster response, or first responder services. Provides that the volunteer rescue squad may (i) locate missing persons, including drowning victims, (ii) perform a supporting, and not direct, role in fighting fires, and (iii) extricate persons from unsafe conditions. Provides that the Shelby County Board may provide benefits for rescue squad volunteers who suffer disease, injury, or death in the line of duty.

RECENT STATUS

1/17/2024 - Referred to House Rules

1/17/2024 - FIRST READING

1/17/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Brad Halbrook

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HB4568 PROP TX-PTELL NEW RATE *(REP. MATT HANSON)*

Amends the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that a levy authorized for contributions to a Firefighters' Pension Fund for a municipality with a population of 500,00 or less is not considered a new rate. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/23/2024 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Matt Hanson

HR444 FIRST RESPONDER SAFETY (REP. JED DAVIS)

Urges the Illinois Department of Public Health, the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board, the Illinois State Police, the State's fire departments and districts, the Office of the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator, and all public safety agencies in the State to review policies and procedures pertaining to the potential dangers encountered by emergency medical technicians, paramedics, public safety telecommunicators, and other first responders involved in rendering medical assistance. Urges that the training of first responders include policies and procedures to improve situational awareness and communication. Urges that training also include policies and procedures to help identify potentially dangerous situations, how to properly communicate a threat, and the appropriate actions, disengagement, or response needed to de-escalate dangerous situations. Urges State's public safety agencies to critique past experiences of emergency medical responses that evolved into violent or potentially violent incidents.

RECENT STATUS

10/24/2023 - Referred to House Rules

10/18/2023 - Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Jed Davis

SB17 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFITS-TECH (SEN. DON HARMON)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

SB18 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFITS-TECH (SEN. DON HARMON)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

SB50 INC TX-FIRE-EMS WORKERS (SEN. JIL TRACY)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Provides that each individual who serves as a volunteer firefighter, a volunteer EMS provider, or a volunteer emergency worker during the taxable year is entitled to a credit in an amount equal to \$1,000. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

1/31/2023 - Assigned to Senate Revenue

1/20/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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SB65 PEN CD-DNST POLICE & FIRE-IMRF (SEN. LAURA FINE)

Amends the Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, and Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a municipality with a population that has fallen below 5,000 inhabitants as determined by both of the preceding 2 federal decennial censuses, or that has a population of less than 5,000 inhabitants that approved a referendum creating a pension fund, may terminate its participation in a pension fund created under the Downstate Police or Downstate Firefighter Article with regard to persons who first become police officers or firefighters after a specified proposition is adopted and enroll in IMRF police officers or firefighters hired after the adoption of that proposition. Provides the required notice and form of the proposition. Provides that a municipality may elect to terminate its participation under the Article and dissolve the fund if certain conditions are met. Makes conforming and other changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

1/31/2023 - Assigned to Senate Senate Special Committee on Pensions

1/20/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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SB92 INS-COVERAGE & DEDUCTIBLE YEAR (SEN. LAURA FINE)

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that the Director of Insurance shall issue rules to establish specific standards which may cover, but shall not be limited to, alignment of an accident and health insurance policy's coverage year and deductible year for the purpose of determining patient out-of-pocket cost-sharing limits. Defines "coverage year" and "deductible year".

RECENT STATUS

1/20/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/20/2023 - FIRST READING

1/20/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Laura Fine

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SB154 WORKERS COMP-FIREFIGHTER/EMT (SEN. NEIL ANDERSON)

Amends the Workers' Compensation Act. Provides that in the case of an employee who is a volunteer, paid-on-call, or part-time firefighter, an emergency medical technician, or a paramedic, compensation for temporary total incapacity shall commence on the day after the accident. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/25/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
1/25/2023 - FIRST READING
1/25/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Neil Anderson

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SB212 SFM-FIRE-RESISTANT MATERIAL (SEN. DORIS TURNER)

Amends the State Fire Marshal Act. Defines "fire-resistant material" and "fire-resistant material applicator". Provides that it is unlawful for a person to engage in business as a fire-resistant material applicator in this State without being certified by the Office of the State Fire Marshal. Establishes a civil penalty of up to \$250 for each violation of the provisions. Requires the Office to regulate fire-resistant material applicators by developing and implementing a certification and certification renewal process, developing training requirements, and adopting rules. Allows the Office to charge a certification fee and a certification renewal fee. Provides that registration as a fire-resistant material applicator must be renewed annually. Requires the Office to develop a list of grounds for revoking certification as a fire-resistant material applicator. Permits the Office to investigate allegations of actions that constitute grounds for revocation and may revoke certification if, in Office's determination, a violation has occurred. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/31/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
1/31/2023 - FIRST READING
1/31/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Doris Turner

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SB217 CLAIMS CT-LINE OF DUTY AWARDS (SEN. CHRISTOPHER BELT)

Amends the Court of Claims Act. Provides that, for the purpose of making up any deficiency in the appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act, there is appropriated, on a continuing annual basis in each fiscal year, from the General Revenue Fund to the Court of Claims, the amount, if any, by which the total appropriation for the payment of claims directed pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for the fiscal year is less than the amount required for the payment of claims pursuant to the Line of Duty Compensation Act for that fiscal year. Provides that the amount of any continuing appropriation used by the Court of Claims under the amendatory Act for a given fiscal year shall be charged against the unexpended amount of any appropriation for line of duty awards to the Court of Claims for that fiscal year that subsequently becomes available. Requires the Court of Claims to report to the President and Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and the Governor's Office of Management and Budget on any continuing appropriation that is used at the conclusion of a fiscal year. Amends the Line of Duty Compensation Act. Provides that if a claim is made within 2 years (rather than one year) of the date of death of a law enforcement officer, civil defense worker, civil air patrol member, paramedic, fireman, chaplain, or State employee killed in the line of duty, compensation shall be paid to the person designated by the law enforcement officer, civil defense worker, civil air patrol member, paramedic, fireman, chaplain, or State employee. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
2/7/2023 - Assigned to Senate Appropriations
1/31/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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SB238**BUSINESS ENTERPRISE-VETERANS** (SEN. CRAIG WILCOX)

Amends the Business Enterprise for Minorities, Women, and Persons with Disabilities Act. Modifies the provisions of the Act to apply to veterans and veteran-owned businesses. Modifies a Section concerning the short title. Changes the title of the Act to the Business Enterprise for Minorities, Women, Veterans, and Persons with Disabilities Act, and makes conforming changes throughout various statutes referencing the title of the Act. Amends the Illinois Procurement Code. Removes a provision concerning procurement preferences for veterans and veteran-owned businesses. Applies administrative penalties for falsely certified businesses to minority-owned businesses, women-owned businesses, veteran-owned businesses, and businesses owned by persons with a disability. Defines terms. Makes conforming changes in various statutes concerning minority-owned businesses, women-owned businesses, veteran-owned businesses, and businesses owned by persons with a disability. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Re-assigned to Senate Executive
3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
2/16/2023 - To Subcommittee on Procurement

[SB238 Bill Page](#) →**SB276****VEH CD-VOLUN FIREFIGHTER PLATE** (SEN. SUE REZIN)

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the Secretary of State may issue special registration plates to volunteer firefighters. Provides that the fee for these plates shall be the same as the fee prescribed for standard plates for first division vehicles. Provides for the issuance of permanent license plates for volunteer firefighter vehicles owned by a municipal fire department or fire protection district.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
2/7/2023 - Assigned to Senate Transportation
1/31/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the standard registration fee for vehicles shall be waived for any vehicle owner who is a volunteer firefighter or employed as emergency services personnel. Provides that the registration fee waiver does not apply to the electric vehicle surcharge.

RECENT STATUS

2/2/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
2/2/2023 - FIRST READING
2/2/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Win Stoller

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SB344 INC TX-FIREFIGHTER-EMS (SEN. CHRISTOPHER BELT)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates an income tax credit in an amount equal to \$500 for individuals who serve as volunteer emergency workers for at least 9 months during the taxable year and do not receive compensation of more than \$10,000 during the taxable year for that service. Defines "volunteer emergency worker". Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/2/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/2/2023 - FIRST READING

2/2/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Christopher Belt

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SB691 LOCAL GOVERNMENT-TECH (SEN. DON HARMON)

Amends the Regional Fire Protection Agency Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the short title.

RECENT STATUS

12/10/2023 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-9(b) / Referred to Assignments

11/9/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

11/8/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

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SB692 LOCAL GOVERNMENT-TECH (SEN. DON HARMON)

Amends the Volunteer Emergency Worker Job Protection Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the short title.

RECENT STATUS

12/10/2023 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-9(b) / Referred to Assignments

11/9/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

11/8/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

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SB737 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFITS-TECH (SEN. DON HARMON)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

RECENT STATUS

12/10/2023 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-9(b) / Referred to Assignments

11/9/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

11/8/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading



SB1244 USE/OCC TX-FIREWORKS (SEN. CHAPIN ROSE)

Amends the Pyrotechnic Use Act. Provides that the provision prohibiting the sale and use of fireworks does not apply to D.O.T. Class C common fireworks. Provides that D.O.T. Class C common fireworks may only be purchased by individuals over the age of 18. Provides that fireworks may only be discharged by individuals over the age of 18. Repeals provisions concerning fireworks consumer display permits. Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act. Provides that, beginning on January 1, 2024, each month the Department of Revenue shall pay into the Fire Prevention Fund 50% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the tax imposed on the selling price of D.O.T. Class C common fireworks. Effective immediately, except that provisions amending the Pyrotechnic Use Act take effect on January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

2/2/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/2/2023 - FIRST READING

2/2/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Chapin Rose



SB1250 SFM-FIRE-RESISTANT MATERIAL (SEN. DORIS TURNER; REP. HOAN HUYNH)

House Floor Amendment No. 4 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Creates the Sprayed Fire-Resistant Material Applicator Act. Provides that, beginning July 1, 2026, it is unlawful for a person to engage in business as a sprayed fire-resistant material applicator in the State without being registered with the Office of the State Fire Marshal. Provides that a person who violates the Act may be assessed a civil penalty by the Office of up to \$250 for each violation. Allows the Attorney General or the State's Attorney of the county in which the violation occurs to bring an action in the name of the People of the State of Illinois or may, in addition to other remedies, bring an action for an injunction to restrain a violation. Requires the Office to: (1) register persons as sprayed fire-resistant material applicators; and (2) establish requirements for the registration of sprayed fire-resistant material applicators that includes a requirement for proof of training or certification. Provides that registration as a sprayed fire-resistant material applicator must be renewed every 3 years. Requires the Office, by July 1, 2025, to adopt rules consistent with the Act for the administration and enforcement of the Act. Allows the Office to establish fees. Sets forth exemptions to the Act. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

7/28/2023 - Effective Date July 28, 2023

7/28/2023 - Public Act 103-0377

7/28/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**



SB1251 VEH CD-AMBULANCE-SIRENS-LAMPS (SEN. ADRIANE JOHNSON; REP. RITA MAYFIELD)

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the operator of the ambulance or rescue vehicle shall have documented training in the operation of an ambulance or rescue vehicle prior to operating that vehicle. Provides that the driver of an ambulance or rescue vehicle may proceed past a red traffic control signal or stop sign if the ambulance or rescue vehicle is making use of both the audible and visual signals meeting the required, but only after slowing down as necessary for safe operation.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 - Provides that the Act may be referred to as the Donald (DJ) Stallworth, III Act.

RECENT STATUS

8/4/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
8/4/2023 - Public Act 103-0484
8/4/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB1256 FIREWORKS REGULATION-SPARKLERS (SEN. NAPOLEON HARRIS, III)

Amends the Fireworks Regulation Act of Illinois and the Pyrotechnic Use Act. Provides that "fireworks" and "consumer fireworks" do not include handheld or ground-based sparklers that are nonexplosive and nonaerial, sometimes producing a crackling or whistling effect, and containing 75 grams or less of pyrotechnic composition per tube or a total of 500 grams or less for multiple tubes (rather than only sparklers) or wood stick or wire sparklers containing not more than 100 grams of pyrotechnic mixture per item. Effective January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
3/23/2023 - Rule 2-10 Committee Deadline Established As March 31, 2023

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SB1295 INC TX-VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER (SEN. MICHAEL HALPIN)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Provides for a deduction in an amount equal to the amount paid to the taxpayer during the taxable year for services as a volunteer firefighter. Provides that the credit may not exceed \$10,000 in any taxable year. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
2/14/2023 - Assigned to Senate Revenue
2/3/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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SB1306 EMS SYSTEMS-BODY & DASH CAMERA (SEN. DORIS TURNER)

Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Requires the Department of Public Health, within one year after the effective date of the amendatory Act, to adopt rules requiring all EMS personnel to be equipped by their employers with body cameras that record the interactions of those personnel with patients, emergency responders, and members of the public during service calls and to adopt rules requiring all ambulances, SEMSVs, and medical carriers to be equipped by their owners with dashboard cameras that record the operation of those vehicles by EMS personnel during service calls. Specifies that the rules adopted by the Department shall require the body cameras and dashboard cameras to be operational during all service calls and shall ensure that all recordings made by the body cameras and dashboard cameras are retained by employers and owners for at least 6 months

after the date of the recording and are not capable of being modified or deleted during that retention period. Provides that recordings made with a body camera or dashboard camera are exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act except when requested by the person who made the service call or that person's attorney or personal representative or a law enforcement official. Amends the Freedom of Information Act to make conforming changes. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

2/14/2023 - Assigned to Senate Executive

2/3/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

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SB1370 FUEL GAS DETECTOR ACT (SEN. CRAIG WILCOX)

Creates the Fuel Gas Detector Act. Provides that a building owner shall install, or cause to be installed, at least one fuel gas detector in every room containing an appliance fueled by propane, natural gas, or liquefied petroleum gas in specified buildings. Contains requirements for residential rental units occupied under the terms of a rental agreement or under a month-to-month tenancy. Provides that a person who, after January 1, 2024, acquires a specified building by sale or exchange shall install fuel gas detectors in the acquired building if fuel gas detectors are not already present. Contains penalties for violations of the Act. Provides that nothing in the Act gives rise to any action against an owner required to comply with the Act if the owner meets certain requirements. Provides that a person may not knowingly interfere with or make inoperative any fuel gas detector required by the Act except under specified circumstances. Contains other provisions. Effective January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

2/6/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/6/2023 - FIRST READING

2/6/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Craig Wilcox

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SB1421 OSFM-YOUTH INTERVENTIONISTS (SEN. PATRICK JOYCE)

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the State Fire Marshal Act. Provides that the Division of Arson Investigation within the Office of the State Fire Marshal shall employ certified youth firesetter interventionists who conduct youth firesetter interventions when local authorities cannot do so on their own or when multiple local authorities in separate jurisdictions are involved. Requires the Division to assist youth firesetter interventionists throughout the State who have limited capabilities or particularly challenging cases, and to conduct training to certify youth firesetter interventionists throughout the State.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

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SB1512 INS-HEALTH BENEFITS/COST SHARE (SEN. MICHAEL HASTINGS)

Amends the Accident and Health Article of the Illinois Insurance Code. Provides that a group or individual policy of accident and health insurance or managed care plan amended, delivered, issued, or renewed on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act shall provide any mental health treatment coverage without imposing a deductible, coinsurance, copayment, or any other cost-sharing requirement for any police officer, firefighter, emergency medical services personnel, or veteran. Makes conforming changes in the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971, the Counties Code, the Illinois Municipal Code, the School Code, the Health Maintenance Organization Act, the Limited Health Service Organization Act, the Voluntary Health Services Plans Act, and the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

2/22/2023 - Postponed - Insurance

2/21/2023 - Senate Insurance

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SB1516 **PENCD-SERS-DC PLAN** *(SEN. DAN MCCONCHIE)*


Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Requires the State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois to prepare and implement a defined contribution plan by July 1, 2025 that aggregates State and employee contributions in individual participant accounts that are used for payouts after retirement. Provides that a Tier 1 or Tier 2 participant may irrevocably elect to participate in the defined contribution plan instead of the defined benefit plan and may also elect to terminate all participation in the defined benefit plan and to have a specified amount credited to his or her account under the defined contribution plan. Provides that a person who first becomes an employee after the effective date of the amendatory Act is not required to participate in the System as a condition of employment. Provides that an employee may elect not to participate in the System by notifying the System in writing in a manner specified by the System. Provides that any benefit increase that results from the amendatory Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase". Makes conforming and other changes. Makes related changes in the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Dan McConchie

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SB1517 **PENCD-DNST FIRE-RECIPROCAL ACT** *(SEN. TERRI BRYANT)*

Amends the Downstate Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act (Article 20 of the Code) is adopted and made a part of the Downstate Firefighter Article, but only with respect to a person who, on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act, is entitled under the Downstate Firefighter Article to begin receiving a retirement annuity or survivor's annuity and who elects to proceed under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Terri Bryant

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SB1553 FURNITURE FIRE SAFETY-REPEAL *(SEN. MEG LOUGHRAN CAPPEL)*

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Furniture Fire Safety Act. Repeals everything but the Act title. Requires the Office of the State Fire Marshal to adhere to the federal requirements for the flammability of upholstered furniture. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

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SB1582 PEN CD-TRANSFER-ART 3 TO IMRF *(SEN. DORIS TURNER)*

Amends the Downstate Police and Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that within 6 months after the effective date of the amendatory Act, an active IMRF member may apply for transfer of credits and creditable service under the Downstate Police Article to IMRF. Provides that the credits and creditable service shall be transferred upon payment by the police pension fund of an amount equal to the amounts accumulated to the credit of the applicant for the service to be transferred, including interest; an amount representing employer contributions; and any interest paid by the applicant to reinstate such service. Provides that a person applying to transfer service under the provisions may reinstate credits and creditable service terminated upon receipt of a refund by paying to the police pension fund the amount of the refund plus interest. Provides that if the board of trustees of IMRF determines that the amount transferred is less than the true cost to IMRF of allowing that creditable service to be established, then in order to establish that creditable service, the member must pay to IMRF an additional contribution equal to the difference. Makes conforming and other changes. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement by the State. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Doris Turner

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SB1611 FIREFIGHTER TRAINING LEAVE *(SEN. PATRICK JOYCE; REP. DANIEL DIDECH)*

Creates the Firefighter Training Leave of Absence Act. Defines terms. Provides that a State employee shall be granted leave from his or her State employment for firefighter training as follows: (1) on one occasion, for up to 200 hours, to participate in training necessary to obtain Basic Operations Firefighter certification from the State Fire Marshal while attending a State Fire Marshal-approved fire academy; and (2) special or advanced training annually, not to exceed 80 hours, after obtaining Basic Operations Firefighter certification from the State Fire Marshal for courses that will lead to additional certification by the State Fire Marshal. Provides that, during leaves for basic, special, or advanced training, the State employee shall continue to receive his or her regular compensation as a State employee, but, if the State employee receives compensation for basic, special, or advanced training, the State employee shall receive his or her regular compensation as a State employee minus the amount of his or her compensation for basic, special, or advanced training. Provides that a State employee who wishes to obtain a leave of absence under this Act shall request in advance for

the leave of absence and may take the leave of absence only after obtaining approval from the State employee's agency.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 - Provides that a leave of absence may not be denied to a State employee who requests leave under the Act and who has provided notification of the leave at least 14 calendar days prior to the requested leave date. Provides that a State employee who provides less than 14 calendar days' notice of the leave may be denied leave if the State employee's agency demonstrates that the leave would create a health or safety hazard in the workplace. Provides that, if the leave is denied, written notification must be provided to the employee within 24 hours after the employee's request for leave. Provides that, once the leave has been approved, approval for the leave may not be rescinded.

RECENT STATUS

- 6/30/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
- 6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0220
- 6/30/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB1629 PEN CD-CHI FIRE-TIER 2 (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. STEPHANIE KIFOWIT)

Amends the Chicago Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that for Tier 2 firemen, final average salary is the greater of (1) the average monthly salary obtained by dividing the total salary of the fireman during the 96 consecutive months of service within the last 120 months of service in which the total salary was the highest by the number of months of service in that period or (2) the average monthly salary obtained by dividing the total salary of the fireman during the 48 consecutive months of service within the last 120 months of service in which the total salary was the highest by the number of months of service in that period (currently, the final average salary is the average monthly salary obtained by dividing the total salary of the firefighter during the 96 consecutive months of service within the last 120 months of service in which the total salary was the highest by the number of months of service in that period). Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Provides that for Tier 2 firemen, final average salary is the greater of (1) the average monthly salary obtained by dividing the total salary of the fireman during the 96 consecutive months of service within the last 120 months of service in which the total salary was the highest by the number of months of service in that period or (2) the average monthly salary obtained by dividing the total salary of the fireman during the 48 consecutive months of service within the last 60 months (instead of 120 months) of service in which the total salary was the highest by the number of months of service in that period.

RECENT STATUS

- 12/8/2023 - Effective Date December 8, 2023
- 12/8/2023 - Public Act 103-0579
- 12/8/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB1630 PEN CD-CHI FIRE-TIER 2 SALARY (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. STEPHANIE KIFOWIT)

Amends the Chicago Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the limit on salary for all purposes under the Code for Tier 2 firemen shall annually be increased by the annual unadjusted percentage increase (but not less than zero) in the consumer price index-u (instead of the lesser of 3% or one-half the annual unadjusted percentage increase in the consumer price index-u) for the 12 months ending with the September preceding each November 1, including all previous adjustments. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Provides that the limit on salary for all purposes under the Code for Tier 2 firemen shall annually be increased by the lesser of (i) 3% or (ii) the annual unadjusted percentage increase (but not less than zero) in the consumer price index-u for the 12 months ending with the September preceding each November 1, including all previous adjustments.

RECENT STATUS

9/28/2023 - House Personnel & Pensions

6/26/2023 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-9(b) / Referred to Assignments

5/25/2023 - Consideration of House Amendments

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SB1631 PEN CD-CHI POL-ANNUAL INCREASE (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Removes a birthdate restriction on eligibility at age 55 for a 3% automatic annual increase in retirement annuity that is not subject to a maximum increase of 30%. Makes a related change. Specifies the timing of an initial increase in retirement annuity for persons who have not received the initial increase before January 1, 2023. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Robert F. Martwick

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SB1644 PEN CD-DEFERRED COMPENSATION (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Deferred Compensation Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that as soon as practicable, but no later than January 1, 2025, the Department of Central Management Services shall automatically enroll into the State Employees Deferred Compensation Plan all current State employees who are active members of a retirement system created under the General Assembly, State Employees, or Judges Article and who are not contributing to the Plan on the date of automatic enrollment. Provides that any agency with employees subject to automatic enrollment must systematically provide the employee data necessary for enrollment to the Department of Central Management Services or its designee. Provides that an employee who is automatically enrolled shall have 3% of his or her pretax gross compensation, or any other percentage determined by the Illinois State Board of Investment, for each compensation period deferred into his or her deferred compensation account. Provides that the Illinois State Board of Investment may increase the default percentage amount of compensation deferred into employee accounts. Contains provisions concerning opting out of automatic enrollment; increasing or reducing contributions; and withdrawing from the Plan. Makes other changes. Effective July 1, 2023.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Robert F. Martwick

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SB1645 PEN CD-DEFERRED COMPENSATION (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Deferred Compensation Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that "eligible sponsoring entity" means a school district organized under the Chicago School District Article of the School Code; the City of Chicago as the sponsoring entity for the

City of Chicago Deferred Compensation Plan; or Cook County as the sponsoring entity for the Cook County Deferred Compensation Plan. Authorizes an eligible sponsoring entity to automatically enroll employees in its deferred compensation program. Provides that the eligible sponsoring entity shall continue to be subject to specified fiduciary duty provisions under the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that an employee who is automatically enrolled in the deferred compensation program shall contribute 3% of his or her pretax gross compensation for each compensation period into his or her account. Removes language providing that the provisions authorizing local government deferred compensation plans does not limit the power or authority of any unit of local government, school district, or any institution supported in whole or in part by public funds to establish and administer any other deferred compensation plans that may be authorized by law and deemed appropriate by the officials of such subdivisions or institutions. Contains provisions concerning fiduciary duties; availability of multiple plans or programs; elections not to participate; refunds; and increases to the default contribution rate. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/28/2023 - Assigned to Senate Senate Special Committee on Pensions

3/28/2023 - Rule 2-10 Committee Deadline Established As March 31, 2023

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SB1646 PEN CD-OUTSIDE SOLICITATION (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. STEPHANIE KIFOWIT)

Amends the State Universities and Downstate Teacher Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that in administering the optional deferred compensation plan, the System shall require that the deferred compensation plan recordkeeper agree that, in performing services with respect to the deferred compensation plan, the recordkeeper: (i) will not use information received as a result of providing services with respect to the deferred compensation plan or the participants in the deferred compensation plan to solicit the participants in the deferred compensation plan for the purpose of cross-selling nonplan products and services, unless in response to a request by a participant in the deferred compensation plan; and (ii) will not promote, recommend, endorse, or solicit participants in the deferred compensation plan to purchase any financial products or services outside of the deferred compensation plan. Adds similar provisions with regard to the deferred compensation plan and local government deferred compensation plans under the Deferred Compensation Article. Amends the University Employees Custodial Accounts Act. Provides that in administering a defined contribution plan to provide retirement benefits, the governing board of any public institution of higher education shall require that the plan recordkeeper agree that, in performing services with respect to the plan, the recordkeeper: (i) will not use information received as a result of providing services with respect to the plan or the plan's participants to solicit the plan's participants for the purpose of cross-selling nonplan products and services, unless in response to a request by a participant in the plan; and (ii) will not promote, recommend, endorse, or solicit participants in the plan to purchase any financial products or services outside of the plan.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 - Provides that that links to parts of the recordkeeper's website that are generally available to the public, are about commercial products, and may be encountered by a participant in the regular course of navigating the recordkeeper's website will not constitute a violation of a provision prohibiting recordkeepers from promoting, recommending, endorsing, or soliciting participants in the deferred compensation plan to purchase any financial products or services outside of the plan.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the bill, as amended by Senate Amendment No. 1, with the following changes. Further amends the Illinois Pension Code. In the Chicago Laborers Article, provides that the Board of Trustees of the Fund has the power to issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses to testify before it and to compel the production of documents and records upon any matter concerning the Fund. Makes changes concerning witness fees. In the General Provisions Article, excludes disclosures made to the Municipal Employees Society of Chicago from a provision that prohibits the disclosure of certain information regarding members or participants of a pension fund or retirement system. In the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund Article, makes changes concerning the oath of office; reimbursement for travel expenses; and trustee vacancies. In the Chicago Municipal Article, provides that for school years beginning on or after July 1, 2023, an age and service or prior service annuity shall not be cancelled in the case of an employee who is re-employed by the Board of Education of the city as a paraprofessional or related service provider on a temporary and non-annual basis or on an hourly basis so long as the person: (1) does not work for compensation on more than 120 days in a school year; or (2) does not accept gross compensation for the re-employment in a school year in excess of \$30,000. Amends the School Code. Provides that the school board and other employers shall make available to each active teacher who is an elected trustee under the Chicago Teachers Article of the Illinois Pension Code up to 22 days of paid leave of absence per year for the purpose of attending meetings and seminars of the Board of Trustees. In the Downstate Teacher Article of the Illinois Pension Code, makes changes concerning the employer's

submission of reports and contributions. In the Cook County Article of the Code, provides that if an employee annuitant re-enters service as an election worker and provides services for a scheduled federal, State, or local election for a period of 60 days or less during a calendar year, that employee annuitant's annuity shall not be suspended. In a provision of the Chicago Teachers Article allowing a member to establish credit for service as a teacher or administrator employed by a private school, provides that the applicable interest rate is the actuarially assumed rate in effect at the time of application (rather than at a rate determined by the Board of Trustees). Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 3 - Makes a technical correction.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Provides that a public institution of higher education may allow promotion of limited services if the public institution of higher education receives no compensation from the recordkeeper for promoting or providing such services. Provides that such limited services may include educational, counseling, debt reduction, student loan repayment or forgiveness, or other services intended to enhance retirement savings opportunities. Provides that such limited services may not include credit cards, life insurance, or banking products.

RECENT STATUS

8/11/2023 - Effective Date August 11, 2023

8/11/2023 - Public Act 103-0552

8/11/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB1648 PEN CD-CHI LABORERS-ANNUITY *(SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. EVA-DINA DELGADO)*

Amends the Chicago Laborer Article of the Illinois Pension Code. For Tier 1 participants: provides that if the minimum annuity applies and is greater than the annuity provided under the annuity after withdrawal while disabled provisions, then the minimum annuity shall apply; provides that the annuity for withdrawal while disabled shall be subject to automatic annual increases; provides that if the minimum widow's annuity applies and is greater than the spouse's annuity under the annuity after withdrawal while disabled provisions, then the minimum widow's annuity shall apply; and provides that any widow's annuity shall not be subject to any automatic annual increases. For Tier 2 participants: provides that an employee whose disability continues after the employee has received ordinary disability benefits for the maximum period of time and who withdraws before becoming eligible for a retirement annuity while still so disabled is entitled to receive an annuity in such amount as can be provided from the total sum accumulated to the employee's credit from employee and employer contributions, to be computed as of the employee's age on the date of withdrawal; provides that the annuity shall not be subject to any automatic annual increases and that the minimum annuity shall not apply; provides that the annuity to which the employee's spouse shall be entitled upon the employee's death shall be fixed on the date of the employee's withdrawal and shall be provided on a reversionary annuity basis; and provides that the annuity shall not be subject to any automatic annual increases and that the minimum widow's annuity shall not apply. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the engrossed bill with the following changes. Further amends the Illinois Pension Code. In the State Employees Articles of the Code, provides that a Tier 2 employee whose disability continues but whose disability benefit is terminated due to attaining age 65 or terminated after 5 years because the ordinary disability benefit commenced after age 60 shall immediately qualify to begin receiving a Tier 2 retirement annuity without reduction due to age if the employee has earned at least 10 years of service credit.

RECENT STATUS

8/11/2023 - Effective Date August 11, 2023

8/11/2023 - Public Act 103-0553

8/11/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB1679**PEN CD-PROHIBITED DISCLOSURES** (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the General Provisions Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Excludes disclosures made to the Municipal Employees Society of Chicago from a provision that prohibits the disclosure of certain information regarding members or participants of a pension fund or retirement system.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

[SB1679 Bill Page](#) →**SB1683****INC TX-FIRE SPRINKLERS** (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Creates an income tax credit for taxpayers who have an approved NFPA 13D residential fire sprinkler system installed in a new or existing residential dwelling in the State during the taxable year. Provides that the credit shall be in an amount equal to 50% of the total cost of the installation but not to exceed \$10,000 per taxpayer in any taxable year. Provides that the credit is exempt from the Act's automatic sunset provisions. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

3/22/2023 - Senate Revenue

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

2/21/2023 - Assigned to Senate Revenue

[SB1683 Bill Page](#) →**SB1692****PEN CD-POLICE-VARIOUS** (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. In provisions authorizing certain persons to transfer service credit from IMRF to a downstate police pension fund, makes technical and combining changes to conform the changes made by Public Act 102-857 and Public Act 102-1061. Removes a restrictive date on the transfer of that service credit. Authorizes investigators for the Secretary of State and conservation police officers to transfer that service credit. In the State Employee Article, provides that beginning on the effective date of the amendatory Act through the end of the 60th month after the effective date of the amendatory Act, a State policeman who earns a retirement annuity equal to the limitation specified under the alternative retirement annuity provisions may elect to begin his or her retirement annuity effective on the month he or she first earned that retirement annuity at the amount so limited or the effective date of the amendatory Act, whichever is later. Provides that a State policeman who makes such an election must first pay to the System an amount equal to the increase in the present value of the future benefits resulting from the State policeman's election to retire in accordance with the provisions. Provides that a State policeman or conservation police officer may elect to convert service credit earned under the Article or, for certain types of service, elect to establish eligible creditable service under the alternative retirement annuity provisions by filing a written election with the board and paying to the System a specified amount. Provides that any benefit increase that results from the amendatory Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase". Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

2/8/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/8/2023 - FIRST READING

2/8/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Robert F. Martwick

SB1707 FIRE DEPARTMENT PROMOTION (SEN. WILLIE PRESTON; REP. ANGELICA GUERRERO-CUELLAR)

Amends the Fire Department Promotion Act. Modifies the definition of "affected department" for purposes of the Act to include a fire department operated by a municipality with a population over 1,000,000.

RECENT STATUS

- 7/28/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
- 7/28/2023 - Public Act 103-0385
- 7/28/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

SB1731 LOCAL GOV-LIFT-ASSIST SERVICES (SEN. NEIL ANDERSON)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act and the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that municipalities and fire protection districts may fix, charge, and collect reasonable fees from independent living facilities, assisted living facilities, nursing home facilities, or other similar congregate care facilities for all lift-assist services rendered by a fire department, firefighter, emergency response unit, public safety employee of a municipal department, or fire protection district in connection with providing lift-assist services to a patient or other individual. Provides that the fees may not exceed the actual personnel and equipment costs for all services rendered by the municipality or fire protection district in connection with providing lift-assist services to a patient or other individual. Provides that the municipality or fire protection district may require a facility to enter into a written agreement to reimburse the municipality or fire protection district for the costs of injuries suffered at the facility by municipal or district personnel when providing lift-assist services, including, but not limited to, costs of medical treatment, payments required under the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act, disability payments, and pension payments for injured personnel, but provides that any such agreement does not relieve the municipality or fire protection district of a statutory or contractual obligation it may have to its employees for an injury suffered relating to lift-assist services rendered. Contains provisions relating to third-party claims and intervention in a suit relating to claims made by a municipal or fire protection district employee for an injury suffered relating to lift-assist services rendered.

RECENT STATUS

- 2/9/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
- 2/9/2023 - FIRST READING
- 2/9/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Neil Anderson

SB1750 FIRE PROTECT DIST-EMT TRAINING (SEN. MICHAEL HALPIN; REP. MICHAEL KELLY)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that board of trustees of a fire protection district must, subject to appropriation by the General Assembly, reimburse the mandatory training expenses of an EMT, EMT-I, A-EMT, or paramedic employed by or under contract with the fire protection district. Effective January 1, 2024.

RECENT STATUS

- 6/30/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
- 6/30/2023 - Public Act 103-0226

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SB1938 EPA-WATER MAIN INSTALLATION *(SEN. DONALD DEWITTE)*

Amends the Environmental Protection Act. Provides that, in the case of water main installation projects, all water main-related appurtenances, and specifically fire hydrants and valves, shall be included in the Agency's written approval of specified public water supply plans. Requires fire hydrants and valves to be designed and installed in accordance with specified standards.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Re-assigned to Senate Local Government
3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
3/23/2023 - Rule 2-10 Committee Deadline Established As March 31, 2023

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SB1961 INS BUSINESS TRANSFER ACT *(SEN. BILL CUNNINGHAM)*

Creates the Insurance Business Transfer Act. Provides that notwithstanding any other provision of law, a court may issue any order, process, or judgment that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of this Act. Sets forth provisions concerning notice requirements, application procedure, application to a court for approval of a plan, approval and denial of insurance business transfer plans, and fees and costs. Provides that the Department of Insurance may adopt rules that are consistent with the provisions. Provides that the portion of the application for an insurance business transfer that would otherwise be confidential, including any documents, materials, communications, or other information submitted to the Director of Insurance in contemplation of an application, shall not lose such confidentiality. Provides that insurers consent to the jurisdiction of the Director with regard to ongoing oversight of operations, management, and solvency relating to the transferred business. Provides that at the time of filing its application for review and approval of an insurance business transfer plan, an applicant shall pay a nonrefundable fee of \$10,000 to the Department. Provides that the Director may direct the applicant to retain parties to assist Department personnel. Defines terms. Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Changes the definition of "insolvent company" to include any company which has assumed or has been allocated a policy obligation through an approved insurance business transfer plan.

RECENT STATUS

3/10/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments
3/8/2023 - Postponed - Insurance
3/7/2023 - Senate Insurance

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SB1963 USE/OCC TX-CROSS REFERENCE *(SEN. CELINA VILLANUEVA; REP. CURTIS TARVER, II)*

House Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, and the Service Occupation Tax Act to update a cross reference. Makes changes concerning incentives for mid-range ethanol blends, gasohol, and majority blended ethanol fuel. Makes changes concerning an exemption for materials, parts, equipment, components, and furnishings incorporated into or upon an aircraft. Provides that the exemption for farm machinery and equipment also includes certain electrical power generation equipment. Makes changes concerning aviation fuel. Provides that amounts paid as taxes under those Acts shall be deemed assessed upon the date of receipt of payment. Amends the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act. Provides

that the tax shall not apply to gross rental receipts received from an entity that is organized and operated exclusively by an organization chartered by the United States Congress for the purpose of providing disaster relief. Amends the New Markets Development Program Act. Increases the annual cap on investments, and extends the sunset of the Act. Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes changes concerning municipal tax review of public utilities. Amends the River Edge Redevelopment Zone Act. Provides that the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity may certify 2 additional pilot River Edge Redevelopment Zones in the City of Joliet and the City of Kankakee. Amends the Historic Preservation Tax Credit Act. Extends the sunset of the Act and provides for the authorization of additional credits. Amends the Parking Excise Tax Act. Makes changes concerning booking intermediaries. Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Makes changes concerning withholding for investment partnerships. Makes changes to the definition of "investment partnership". Creates a credit for individuals who serve as volunteer emergency workers. Makes changes concerning distributions to retired partners or shareholders under a retirement or disability plan. Amends the Cigarette Tax Act. Makes changes concerning the distribution of moneys collected pursuant to (i) the Cigarette Tax Act, (ii) the Cigarette Use Tax Act, and (iii) the tax imposed on little cigars under the Tobacco Products Tax Act of 1995. Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes changes concerning the Non-Home Rule Municipal Use Tax Act and the Non-Home Rule Municipal Service Occupation Tax Act. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

6/7/2023 - Effective Date June 7, 2023; ; Some Provisions Effective July 1, 2023; and Some Provisions Effective January 1, 2024

6/7/2023 - Public Act 103-0009

6/7/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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ABANDONED INFANTS (SEN. SARA FEIGENHOLTZ; REP. ANN WILLIAMS)

Amends the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act. Replaces all instances of "child-placing agency" or "child placing agency" with "child welfare agency". In provisions concerning the Department of Children and Family Services' State Central Registry of child welfare agencies willing to take legal custody of relinquished newborn infants, provides that within 3 business days after accepting a referral from the Department, the child welfare agency shall file a petition for custody and request that the agency be given the authority to place the infant in an adoptive home, foster home, child care facility, or other facility appropriate for the needs of the infant. Prohibits filing or appearance fees for the petitioner. Provides that any issued custody order shall grant the child welfare agency the authority to make medical and health-related decisions for the infant. Provides that any infant who receives emergency or medical care under the Act shall be deemed presumptively eligible for medicaid assistance under the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that any health care provider or child welfare agency that provides medical services to an infant under the Act shall send all bills related to those medical services directly to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services for reimbursement. Makes conforming changes to the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Requires the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to submit for federal approval any waiver application or State Plan amendment as may be necessary to implement the presumptive eligibility provisions of the amendatory Act. Further amends the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act by requiring a fire station or emergency medical facility that accepts a relinquished infant to inform the infant's parent of the name and location of the hospital to which the infant was transported if the parent returns to reclaim the infant within 30 days (rather than 72 hours) after relinquishing the infant. Amends the Immunization Data Registry Act, the Illinois Parentage Act of 2015, and the Adoption Act by replacing instances of "child-placing agency" or "child placing agency" with "child welfare agency".

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 - Further amends the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act. In a provision setting forth the purpose of the Act, restores language providing that the Act is intended to provide a mechanism for the parents of a relinquished infant to remain anonymous if they choose.

House Floor Amendment No. 1 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the engrossed bill with the following changes: Further amends the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act. In a provision concerning a relinquished newborn infant under the temporary custody of a hospital, provides that the hospital shall provide all available medical records and information to the Department of Children and Family Services and the child welfare agency that has accepted the referral of the infant. Removes a provision making relinquished infants presumptively eligible for medical assistance under Article V of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that if the person who relinquished or a person claiming to be the parent of a newborn infant (rather than the parent of a newborn infant) returns to reclaim the infant (rather than child) within 30 days after the infant was relinquished to a fire station, emergency medical facility, or police station, then the fire station, emergency medical facility, or police station must inform such person (rather than the parent) of the name and location of the hospital to which the infant was transported. Requires a hospital, police station, fire station, or emergency medical facility that accepts a relinquished infant to offer the relinquishing person

information about the relinquishment process and other information. Provides that the failure to provide such information or the failure of the relinquishing person to accept such information shall not invalidate the relinquishment under the Act. In a provision concerning relinquished infants eligibility for medical assistance under Article V of the Illinois Public Aid Code, requires a hospital to complete and submit an application for medical assistance on behalf of a relinquished infant and permits the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to adopt rules. Makes changes concerning searches of the Illinois Putative Father Registry, petitions for return of custody, and other matters. Defines "parent", "biological parent", and "birth parent". Removes amendatory changes made to the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code concerning presumptive eligibility under the medical assistance program for relinquished infants.

RECENT STATUS

- 8/4/2023 - Effective Date January 1, 2024
- 8/4/2023 - Public Act 103-0501
- 8/4/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB2100 **PENCD-DEFERRED COMP-ENROLLMENT** (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. DANIEL DIDECH)

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 - Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a trustee shall qualify by taking an oath of office before the Secretary of State or the board's legal counsel (instead of only the Secretary of State). Provides that trustees shall be reimbursed for travel expenses incurred while on business for the board according to the General Provisions Article and rules adopted by the board (instead of according to the standards in effect for members of the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability). Provides that for a vacancy of an elected trustee, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the board for the unexpired term from a list of candidates recommended by the trustees from the category of trustee with the vacancy. Provides that the list of candidates shall be compiled and presented to the board by the executive director. Provides that a trustee appointed to fill the vacancy of an elected trustee shall serve until a successor is elected. Provides that special elections to fill the remainder of an unexpired term vacated by an elected trustee shall be held concurrently with and in the same manner as the next regular election for an elected trustee position. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

- 8/4/2023 - Effective Date August 4, 2023
- 8/4/2023 - Public Act 103-0506
- 8/4/2023 - **GOVERNOR APPROVED**

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SB2101 **PENCD-FIRE PENSION INVEST FUND** (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a trustee shall qualify by taking an oath of office before the Secretary of State or the Board's appointed legal counsel (instead of only the Secretary of State). In a provision concerning reimbursement for travel expenses for trustees, removes a reference to the standards in effect for members of the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability. In a provision concerning voting for trustees by participants and beneficiaries, removes language requiring the ballot envelope to have a certificate stating that the person voting the ballot is entitled to vote. Provides that a trustee appointed to fill the vacancy of an elected trustee shall serve until a successor is elected. Removes language providing that for a vacancy of an elected trustee occurring with an unexpired term of 6 months or more, an election shall be conducted for the vacancy. Makes a conforming change. Provides that special elections to fill the remainder of an unexpired term vacated by an elected trustee shall be held concurrently with and in the same manner as the next regular election for an elected trustee position. Provides that a copy of the rules adopted by the Fund shall be posted on the Fund's website (instead of filed with the Secretary of State and the Department of Insurance). Makes changes concerning indemnification of the Fund, the board, and the officers and employees of the Fund. Makes other changes.

RECENT STATUS

3/31/2023 - Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

3/31/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

3/30/2023 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

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SB2102 PEN CD-EXAM AND INVESTIGATION (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK; REP. NATALIE MANLEY)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. In the Regulation of Public Pension Funds Article, provides that the Consolidated Fund (instead of the Public Pension Division of the Department of Insurance or the Consolidated Fund, as appropriate) shall examine or investigate each pension fund established under the Downstate Police or Downstate Firefighter Article of the Code. In the Chicago Police and Chicago Firefighter Articles, repeals provisions requiring the Director of Insurance to biennially make a thorough examination of the Fund and issue a report. Effective July 1, 2023.

RECENT STATUS

4/28/2023 - Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

4/27/2023 - House Committee Amendment No. 1 Referred to Rules Committee

4/27/2023 - House Committee Amendment No. 1 Filed with Clerk by Rep. Natalie A. Manley

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SB2112 FIREARM-FIREFIGHTERS EXCEPTION (SEN. NEIL ANDERSON)

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Provides that a full-time, sworn, compensated fire fighter is permitted to carry a pistol, revolver, stun gun, taser, or other firearm on his or her person in public or in a vehicle, if the fire fighter has a valid concealed carry license, is carrying on duty, and has been approved to carry on duty by the mayor, city council, village president, or village board of trustees.

RECENT STATUS

2/9/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments

2/9/2023 - FIRST READING

2/9/2023 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Neil Anderson

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SB2569 FIRE DIST/HAZMAT RESPONSE (SEN. DORIS TURNER)

Amends the Fire Protection District Act. Provides that, when selling surplus real estate of a fire protection district, the value of the surplus real estate shall be determined by a written MAI certified appraisal or by a written certified appraisal of a State certified or licensed real estate appraiser (currently, by only a written MAI certified appraisal conducted by a State certified or licensed real estate appraiser). Provides that, if a party fails to reimburse or make a payment to a fire protection district as required by the Act or the Hazardous Material Emergency Response Reimbursement Act, the fire protection district may institute a civil action to recover costs. Provides that, if the court determines that any violation of the Act has occurred, the court shall award to the prevailing fire protection district actual damages, reasonable attorney's fees, and court costs. Defines "prevailing fire protection district". Provides that the board of trustees of any fire protection district may provide for the planning and implementation of services necessary to prevent or respond to emergencies involving hazardous materials or both (rather than only to prevent or respond to emergencies involving

hazardous materials). Provides that the board of trustees may fix, charge, and collect reasonable fees for hazardous material services provided by the district. Provides that the total amount collected may not exceed the reasonable cost of providing those hazardous material services. Provides that nothing in the Act prohibits a fire protection district from seeking any remedy under the Hazardous Material Emergency Response Reimbursement Act. Provides that, in addition to other specified purposes in the Act, a fire protection district may accumulate funds for other purposes. Provides that the funds may be accumulated in any fund of the district. Amends the Hazardous Material Emergency Response Reimbursement Act. Provides that an emergency response agency that is a fire protection district or municipality may institute a civil action to recover costs, including labor costs and the costs of equipment and expendables, incurred in responding to an emergency incident. Provides that the fire protection district or municipality may recover attorney's fees and costs if the district or municipality is the prevailing party. Defines "prevailing party".

RECENT STATUS

1/24/2024 - Assigned to Senate Judiciary
4/26/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
4/26/2023 - FIRST READING

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SB2594 INC TX-EMERGENCY WORKER (SEN. ANDREW CHESNEY)

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Removes a provision providing that the aggregate amount of credits awarded under a provision granting a credit to volunteer emergency workers may not exceed \$5,000,000 in any calendar year. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/24/2024 - Assigned to Senate Revenue
10/18/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
10/18/2023 - FIRST READING

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SB2607 PEN CD-DEFERRED COMP-FEES (SEN. ROBERT MARTWICK)

Amends the Deferred Compensation Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that, after January 1, 2024, the deferred compensation plan shall provide for the recovery of the expenses of its administration by charging fees equitably prorated among the participating employers (instead of by charging administrative expenses against the earnings from investments or by charging fees equitably prorated among the participating State employees or by such other appropriate and equitable method as the Illinois State Board of Investment shall determine). Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/24/2024 - Assigned to Senate Appropriations
10/18/2023 - Referred to Senate Assignments
10/18/2023 - FIRST READING

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SB2678 PEN CD-POLICE&FIRE-RECIPROCITY (SEN. MEG LOUGHRAN CAPPEL)

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act (Article 20 of the Code) is adopted and made a part of the Downstate Police, Downstate Firefighter, Chicago Police, and Chicago Firefighter Articles, but only with respect to a person who, on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act, is entitled under those Articles or through a participating system under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act to begin receiving a retirement annuity or survivor's annuity and who elects to proceed under the Retirement Systems Reciprocal Act.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/10/2024 - FIRST READING

1/10/2024 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Meg Loughran Cappel

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SB2702 FIRE SPRINKLER INSPECTORS *(SEN. RAM VILLIVALAM)*

Amends the Fire Sprinkler Contractor Licensing Act. Provides that "fire sprinkler inspector" means an individual who is qualified to perform routine inspection or testing of fire sprinkler systems and who is exclusively employed by a single fire sprinkler contractor (instead of employed or contracted by a fire sprinkler contractor). Provides that any individual who performs routine inspection or testing of any fire sprinkler system under the Act shall be exclusively employed by a single licensed fire sprinkler contractor (instead of be employed by a licensed fire sprinkler contractor) and meet certain minimum qualifications.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/10/2024 - FIRST READING

1/10/2024 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Ram Villivalam

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SB2704 INC TX-EMERGENCY WORKERS *(SEN. CRISTINA CASTRO)*

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. In provisions concerning the volunteer emergency worker credit, provides that "volunteer emergency worker" also includes a person who is a volunteer member of a county or municipal emergency services and disaster agency pursuant to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act. Makes conforming changes concerning notifications to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency. Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/10/2024 - FIRST READING

1/10/2024 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Cristina Castro

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SB2720 VEH CD-NO RENEWAL DL *(SEN. JULIE MORRISON)*

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the Secretary of State may not issue to or allow the renewal or retention of a driver's license or permit by anyone who possesses a revoked Firearm Owner's Identification Card unless: (i) the applicant's Firearm Owner's

Identification Card is successfully reinstated or (ii) the applicant surrenders possession of the Firearm Owner's Identification Card to the Illinois State Police. Amends the Firearm Owner's Identification Card Act. Provides that the Illinois State Police shall provide the Secretary with a notice of any individual who fails to surrender a revoked Firearm Owner's Identification Card.

RECENT STATUS

1/10/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/10/2024 - FIRST READING

1/10/2024 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Julie A. Morrison

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SB2802 PEN CD-SERS-LAID OFF EMPLOYEES *(SEN. WIN STOLLER)*

Amends the State Employee Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that by paying specified required contributions, an employee who was laid off but returned to any State employment may establish creditable service for the period of the layoff, provided that (1) the applicant applies for the creditable service within 6 months after the effective date of the amendatory Act, (2) the applicant does not receive credit for that period under any other provision of the Code, (3) at the time of the layoff, the applicant is not in an initial probationary status consistent with the rules of the Department of Central Management Services, and (4) the total amount of creditable service established by the applicant does not exceed 3 years. Provides that any benefit increase that results from the amendatory Act is excluded from the definition of "new benefit increase". Effective immediately.

RECENT STATUS

1/17/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments

1/17/2024 - FIRST READING

1/17/2024 - Filed with Secretary by Sen. Win Stoller

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SJ7 FIREFIGHTERS TASK FORCE *(SEN. PATRICK JOYCE; REP. MICHAEL KELLY)*

Creates the Recruiting & Retaining Public Employee Firefighters and Paramedics Task Force to study the recruitment and retainment of firefighters and paramedics throughout the State and suggest possible policies and legislation to aid local governments.

RECENT STATUS

5/18/2023 - Adopted Both Houses

5/18/2023 - RESOLUTION ADOPTED 113-000-000

5/18/2023 - Resolutions Order of Resolutions

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SR708 HOME FIRE SPRINKLER WEEK *(SEN. PATRICK JOYCE)*

Declares the week of May 12 through May 18, 2024 as Home Fire Sprinkler Week in the State of Illinois.

RECENT STATUS

1/17/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments
1/17/2024 - Filed with Secretary Patrick J. Joyce

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SR710 RADON ACTION MONTH (SEN. LAURA ELLMAN)

Declares January 2024 as Radon Action Month.

RECENT STATUS

1/17/2024 - Referred to Senate Assignments
1/17/2024 - Filed with Secretary Laura Ellman

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