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**STATE OF ILLINOIS**

**ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY**

**28TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 2025**

**4:05 O'CLOCK P.M.**

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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.  
 The Honorable Don Harmon, President of the Senate, presiding.  
 Prayer by Bishop Jason Moody, Redemption Center, Springfield, Illinois.  
 Senator Johnson led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Glowiak Hilton moved that reading and approval of the Journal of Thursday, March 20, 2025, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.  
 The motion prevailed.

### LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED

The following Floor amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 40  
 Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 71  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 188  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1044  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1045  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1076  
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 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2424  
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 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2437  
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 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2487

The following Committee amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 52  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 74  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 144  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 283  
 Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1195  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1256  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1360  
 Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1560  
 Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1773  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1943  
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2155

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2285  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2348  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2381

### **REPORTS RECEIVED**

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

IDJJ Quarterly Report April 2025, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

IDHFS Medical Assistance Programs Annual Report FY24, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act) - 2020, submitted by the Carroll County Sheriff's Office.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act) - 2021, submitted by the Carroll County Sheriff's Office.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act) - 2022, submitted by the Carroll County Sheriff's Office.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act) - 2023, submitted by the Carroll County Sheriff's Office.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act) - 2024, submitted by the Carroll County Sheriff's Office.

Annual Comprehensive Housing Plan - Progress Report CY24, submitted by the Illinois Affordable Housing Task Force.

IDHS CESSA Quarterly Report 4/1/25, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

UIC CESSA Quarterly Report 4/1/25, submitted by the University of Illinois Chicago.

IDHS Customized Employment for Individuals with Disabilities Act Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

ICEI Race and Gender Wage Report FY24, submitted by the Commission on Equity and Inclusion.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/20 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act), submitted by the Winnetka Police Department.

IDCFS State Services Assurance Report, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IFC Final Report April 2025, submitted by the Illinois Flag Commission.

IDCFS PIPA Report 3/18/25, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

Illinois Vehicle Hijacking and Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention and Insurance Verification Council Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Secretary of State.

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IDCFS Death or Serious Life-Threatening Injury of a Child Report Q1 FY25, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/15 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act), submitted by the Bourbonnais Police Department.

IDOC Quarterly Report 4/1/25, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

IDOC ERJA Report 3/31/25, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

LIS Biennial Report 2023-2024, submitted by the Legislative Information System.

IHDA CAHGP Funds Annual Report FY24, submitted by the Illinois Housing Development Authority.

ISBE School Screening Readiness Report March 2025, submitted by the State Board of Education.

ISTHA Summary Activity Report 9/1/24-2/28/25, submitted by the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority.

IDOT SRTS Construction Program Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

IDOA Illinois Agriculture Equity Commission Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Agriculture.

Eavesdropping Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Jefferson County State's Attorney.

ISP Merit Board Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Illinois State Police Merit Board.

IDHS EBT Theft Annual Report 2024 Part 2, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

IDFPR State Services Assurance Act Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

IDoA Community Care Program Annual Report FY24, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDoA Illinois Commission on LGBTQ Aging Report, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDoA Respite Services Report FY25, submitted by the Department on Aging.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/20 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act), submitted by the Elk Grove Police Department.

Reporting Requirement of 50 ILCS 707/20 (Law Enforcement Camera Grant Act), submitted by the University of Illinois Police Department.

CGFA Pension Impact Note - HB 3440, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

CGFA Pension Impact Note - HB 2827, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

OEIG Newsletter 3/25/25, submitted by the Executive Inspector General.

IDCMS State Services Assurance Act Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

IDoA Home Delivered Meals Report 10/1/23-9/30/24, submitted by the Department on Aging.

ICDHC Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Commission on Discrimination and Hate Crimes.

Safe2Help Illinois Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency.

Safe2Help Illinois Annual Report 2024, submitted by the Office of Homeland Security.

IDoA APSIL Annual Report FY24, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDCFS Quarterly Threat/Assault Report 12/15/24-3/15/25, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDES State Services Assurance Act Report FY25, submitted by the Department of Employment Security.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary’s Office.

**MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT**

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT  
DON HARMON  
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

327 STATE CAPITOL  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706  
217-782-2728

March 21, 2025

Mr. Tim Anderson  
Secretary of the Senate  
Room 058 State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the Senate Rule 2-10, I hereby extend the committee deadline to April 4, 2025 for the following bills:

SB0005	SB0268	SB1409
SB0008	SB0271	SB1424
SB0009	SB0272	SB1442
SB0019	SB0273	SB1447
SB0025	SB0275	SB1458
SB0041	SB0276	SB1480
SB0043	SB0278	SB1485
SB0075	SB0280	SB1500
SB0088	SB0283	SB1507
SB0105	SB0285	SB1527
SB0127	SB0296	SB1538

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SB0144	SB1174	SB1553
SB0155	SB1177	SB1554
SB0159	SB1179	SB1558
SB0179	SB1180	SB1560
SB0182	SB1195	SB1569
SB0184	SB1217	SB1590
SB0185	SB1247	SB1603
SB0186	SB1256	SB1625
SB0187	SB1258	SB1632
SB0197	SB1259	SB1655
SB0209	SB1263	SB1669
SB0212	SB1307	SB1680
SB0251	SB1326	SB1686
SB0262	SB1361	SB1697
SB0264	SB1389	SB1698
SB0267	SB1390	SB1743
SB1746	SB1988	SB2299
SB1756	SB1992	SB2310
SB1767	SB2000	SB2319
SB1768	SB2044	SB2330
SB1773	SB2056	SB2347
SB1796	SB2062	SB2348
SB1797	SB2107	SB2381
SB1800	SB2125	SB2385
SB1816	SB2144	SB2395
SB1820	SB2146	SB2405
SB1850	SB2152	SB2422
SB1899	SB2157	SB2423
SB1911	SB2184	SB2446
SB1913	SB2249	SB2451
SB1938	SB2258	SB2469
SB1943	SB2260	SB2473
SB1948	SB2265	SB2475
SB1953	SB2269	SB2478
SB1954	SB2283	SB2491
SB1964	SB2284	SB2497
SB1976	SB2285	SB2504
SB1982	SB2289	
SB1986	SB2297	

Sincerely,  
s/Don Harmon  
Don Harmon  
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader John F. Curran

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SB0033	SB0226	SB1333
SB0034	SB0231	SB1349
SB0047	SB0235	SB1399
SB0049	SB0245	SB1410
SB0050	SB0254	SB1423
SB0051	SB0281	SB1425
SB0052	SB0288	SB1439
SB0053	SB0295	SB1464
SB0054	SB1183	SB1472
SB0057	SB1196	SB1481
SB0060	SB1206	SB1489
SB0074	SB1208	SB1513
SB0085	SB1211	SB1520
SB0087	SB1212	SB1528
SB0101	SB1213	SB1529
SB0110	SB1224	SB1530
SB0143	SB1233	SB1532
SB0150	SB1239	SB1535
SB0171	SB1242	SB1539
SB0172	SB1251	SB1547
SB0173	SB1292	SB1556
SB0180	SB1294	SB1564
SB0181	SB1296	SB1570
SB0202	SB1297	SB1576
SB0203	SB1324	SB1612
SB0204	SB1330	SB1618
SB0211	SB1332	SB1622
SB1624	SB1929	SB2203
SB1649	SB1957	SB2219
SB1650	SB1965	SB2222
SB1659	SB1966	SB2224
SB1660	SB1980	SB2230
SB1661	SB1996	SB2231
SB1662	SB2004	SB2239
SB1663	SB2006	SB2240
SB1665	SB2018	SB2241
SB1677	SB2035	SB2242
SB1704	SB2037	SB2243
SB1705	SB2052	SB2248
SB1706	SB2064	SB2255
SB1719	SB2067	SB2259
SB1732	SB2068	SB2272
SB1733	SB2085	SB2273
SB1744	SB2101	SB2316

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SB1758	SB2119	SB2317
SB1766	SB2121	SB2328
SB1772	SB2142	SB2334
SB1786	SB2145	SB2335
SB1792	SB2147	SB2336
SB1793	SB2150	SB2338
SB1802	SB2151	SB2383
SB1815	SB2155	SB2393
SB1827	SB2158	SB2398
SB1856	SB2165	SB2399
SB1861	SB2166	SB2404
SB1868	SB2167	SB2411
SB1869	SB2169	SB2413
SB1870	SB2170	SB2428
SB1871	SB2171	SB2436
SB1887	SB2172	SB2483
SB1889	SB2173	SB2484
SB1904	SB2178	SB2502
SB1905	SB2187	

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SB0062	SB0252	SB1360
SB0064	SB0253	SB1375
SB0072	SB0270	SB1382
SB0079	SB0292	SB1388
SB0089	SB0293	SB1391
SB0099	SB0294	SB1393
SB0107	SB1178	SB1395
	SB1207	SB1396

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SB0120	SB1225	SB1397
SB0133	SB1232	SB1398
SB0135	SB1237	SB1401
SB0138	SB1246	SB1405
SB0145	SB1248	SB1406
SB0146	SB1250	SB1416
SB0148	SB1262	SB1419
SB0178	SB1273	SB1428
SB0192	SB1279	SB1430
SB0194	SB1282	SB1433
SB0199	SB1306	SB1449
SB0205	SB1308	SB1465
SB0208	SB1309	SB1474
SB0214	SB1315	SB1475
SB0215	SB1318	SB1483
SB0228	SB1319	SB1492
SB0237	SB1321	SB1494
SB0240	SB1353	SB1496
SB1502	SB1759	SB2028
SB1505	SB1761	SB2029
SB1509	SB1762	SB2046
SB1510	SB1765	SB2083
SB1511	SB1771	SB2086
SB1521	SB1782	SB2095
SB1522	SB1791	SB2097
SB1525	SB1804	SB2106
SB1561	SB1805	SB2120
SB1580	SB1807	SB2122
SB1581	SB1813	SB2127
SB1586	SB1821	SB2160
SB1588	SB1830	SB2163
SB1593	SB1833	SB2185
SB1604	SB1843	SB2188
SB1606	SB1845	SB2190
SB1608	SB1851	SB2193
SB1609	SB1857	SB2198
SB1610	SB1860	SB2237
SB1615	SB1863	SB2250
SB1617	SB1877	SB2252
SB1620	SB1878	SB2261
SB1621	SB1882	SB2263
SB1628	SB1888	SB2268
SB1633	SB1893	SB2276
SB1637	SB1897	SB2277
SB1643	SB1901	SB2278
SB1644	SB1903	SB2281
SB1645	SB1912	SB2290
SB1646	SB1919	SB2312
SB1647	SB1926	SB2313
SB1652	SB1927	SB2315
SB1653	SB1940	SB2327
SB1657	SB1944	SB2329
SB1658	SB1956	SB2344
SB1673	SB1969	SB2349
SB1678	SB1970	SB2350
SB1689	SB1975	SB2374

SB1690	SB1977	SB2382
SB1694	SB1987	SB2386
SB1695	SB1993	SB2387
SB1709	SB1997	SB2388
SB1718	SB2003	SB2390
SB1730	SB2005	SB2392
SB1739	SB2007	SB2403
SB1745	SB2011	SB2417
SB1749	SB2021	SB2430
SB1750	SB2023	SB2433
SB1751	SB2024	SB2439
SB1755	SB2027	SB2441
SB2458	SB2467	SB2476
SB2461	SB2471	SB2485

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SB 1345  
SB 1435  
SB 1475  
SB 1523  
SB 2001  
SB 2196  
SB 2309

Sincerely,  
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Don Harmon  
Senate President

[April 1, 2025]

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April 1, 2025

Mr. Tim Anderson  
Secretary of the Senate  
Room 403 State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10 and SJR 26, I am scheduling a regular session of the Senate to convene on Friday, April 4, 2025.

Sincerely,  
s/Don Harmon  
Don Harmon  
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader John F. Curran

**MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR**

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

March 31, 2025

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Fourth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On September 20, 2024, Appointment Message 103-563 nominating Michelle Hoy-Watkins as a Member of the State Police Merit Board was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective immediately.

Sincerely,

[April 1, 2025]

s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

A message from the House by  
Mr. Hollman, Clerk:  
Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 26**

Concurred in by the House, March 21, 2025.

JOHN W. HOLLMAN, Clerk of the House

**PRESENTATION OF CELEBRATION OF LIFE RESOLUTIONS**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 182**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Sharon Rose Anne (Smith) Johnson of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 183**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Patricia Ann "Patty" Stremsterfer of Pleasant Plains.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 184**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Arthur E. Spiegel of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 185**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Stephen A. "Steve" Pellegrini of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 186**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Less Boucher of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 187**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Margaret Ann Timoney of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 188**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of John H. "Jack" Long of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 189**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Margaret Lucille Collins.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 190**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Charles Thomas Weldy II of Peoria.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 192**

Offered by Senator Faraci and all Senators:

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Mourns the passing of award-winning actor Gene Hackman, formerly of Danville.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 195**

Offered by Senators Murphy - Hastings and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Chief Robert McKay of Tinley Park.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 197**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Donald E. Bennett of Canton.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 198**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Donald Edward "Don" Beetler of Altona.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 199**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of John Francis "Jack" Leuck of Pekin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 200**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Mark "Duke" Lane.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 202**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Steven L. Mullens of Hanna City.

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

**PRESENTATION OF CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 194**

Offered by Senator Belt:  
Recognizes the Eta Alpha Chapter of Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc. on being chartered as a newly established chapter. Commends its founding members for their efforts.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 196**

Offered by Senator Koehler:  
Recognizes Caterpillar Inc. on the occasion of its 100th anniversary. Commends the company for its remarkable achievements, enduring legacy, and continued contributions to the economy, society, and the global community.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 203**

Offered by Senator Belt:  
Congratulates Lonzo Greenwood on his retirement from public service.

Under the Rules, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

Senator Preston offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

[April 1, 2025]

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 191**

WHEREAS, In the early 20th century, many Arab families began migrating to southwestern Cook County seeking a better life and the opportunity to build a supportive community in the United States; these families have contributed to the rich cultural landscape of Little Palestine, transforming it into a beacon of hope and resilience; and

WHEREAS, Little Palestine, located in the southwestern region of Cook County, is home to the largest Palestinian community in the nation and the fourth largest Arab American population in the country, spanning a five-mile stretch from 79th and Harlem Avenue in Bridgeview to Harlem Avenue and College Drive in Palos Heights; and

WHEREAS, Little Palestine features over 200 Arab-owned businesses and community-serving institutions, including a community college, a hospital, three high schools, and more than 20 organizations and institutions; and

WHEREAS, Historic disinvestment in the Arab American community, coupled with being targeted for discrimination and hate crimes, threatens the sustainability and growth of this area, with over 70% of Arab-owned businesses in Little Palestine having under 10 employees and driving the economy in this region; and

WHEREAS, There has historically been no means to distinguish Arab American populations, economic activity, health, or any other indicators of Arab Americans on data registers at local, state, or national levels; recent efforts to include Arab Americans in data counts, achieved through decades of mobilization within Arab American communities, remain limited and often specific to certain locales; these omissions hinder the ability to document critical issues such as displacement and the impacts of COVID-19 and are an impediment to ensuring that resources can be sought to help revitalize the economic landscape of Little Palestine to ensure sustainable growth and development; and

WHEREAS, The Arab American Business and Professional Association, along with a coalition of organizations, is advocating for the official recognition of Little Palestine Day on the 7th day of April each year to help build cultural awareness, increase tourism, and boost economic vitality in this region; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of Little Palestine Day will help serve as a celebration of the community's rich heritage, promote solidarity among residents, and encourage support for local businesses and cultural initiatives; and

WHEREAS, The heart and soul of the Arab community lies in its people, individuals who embody ambitions, creativity, and aspirations that surpass the ordinary; their contributions continue to reshape the narrative of the area, making it a testament to hope, resilience, and cultural pride; therefore, be it

**RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare April 7, 2025 and April 7, 2026 as "Little Palestine Day" in the State of Illinois; and be it further**

**RESOLVED, That we urge Illinoisans to celebrate Little Palestine Day by supporting businesses and cultural initiatives in Little Palestine and attending or hosting events showcasing the contributions of the Arab American community to the United States; and be it further**

**RESOLVED, That we urge local schools and educational institutions to incorporate lessons about the history and contributions of the Arab American community into their curricula, promoting inclusivity and understanding; and be it further**

**RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be provided to the Arab American Business and Professional Association as a symbol of our respect and esteem.**

[April 1, 2025]

Senator Fine offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 193**

WHEREAS, Obsessive compulsive disorder (OCD) is a debilitating mental disorder affecting approximately 8.2 million people in the United States, or 1 in 40 adults in their lifetime and 1 in 100 children and teenagers; and

WHEREAS, OCD is often overlooked and belittled as a personality quirk or choice, leading those with it to feel shame and isolation; and

WHEREAS, In reality, OCD is a very real disorder that does not discriminate based on race, age, gender, or background, affecting people of all ages and walks of life; and

WHEREAS, OCD can be extremely disruptive, leading those with the mental disorder to engage in obsessions, which are unwanted, intrusive thoughts, images, or urges that trigger intensely distressing feelings, and compulsions, which are behaviors an individual engages in to attempt to get rid of the obsessions and/or decrease distress; and

WHEREAS, Individuals with OCD may experience obsessions and compulsions for at least an hour a day, significantly interfering with day-to-day activities and affecting their overall quality of life; and

WHEREAS, OCD can only be diagnosed by a medical professional, and most people with the mental disorder benefit from some combination of therapy and medication; and

WHEREAS, To bring awareness to this mental disorder, OCD Awareness Week is an event held worldwide to dispel myths about OCD, break the stigma around mental illness, and provide education about the disorder and how to support those affected; and

WHEREAS, Proponents of OCD Awareness Week utilize the hashtag #OCDweek and contribute to a lighting campaign where buildings, bridges, and structures across the nation light up in the color teal to celebrate the week, bringing increased recognition to the realities of OCD with each shining monument serving as a beacon of hope to those impacted and their families and support systems; and

WHEREAS, Proponents of OCD Awareness Week not only hope to eliminate misconceptions about this mental disorder but also hope to increase funding towards diagnosing and treating OCD, as it receives far less federal funding than other serious mental health disorders despite being significantly more common; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare October 12 through October 18, 2025 as OCD Awareness Week in the State of Illinois.

Senator Belt offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 201**

WHEREAS, Pharmacoequity, a term introduced by Dr. Utibe Essien, is defined as eliminating treatment disparities in healthcare and ensuring that all individuals, regardless of race, ethnicity, and socioeconomic status, have access to the highest-quality medications required to manage their health needs; and

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WHEREAS, Pharmacoequity has eluded our healthcare system for decades; to eliminate this barrier to healthcare access and treatment, we must place equity at the center of the therapeutic continuum; and

WHEREAS, The therapeutic continuum refers to the process through which a prescription drug makes its way to a patient; this process is made up of five steps, including drug development, drug trials and testing, drug prescription, drug receipt, and drug adherence, and each step offers a chance to advance equity; and

WHEREAS, Improving access to care is important in creating policy to eliminate treatment disparities; this can be addressed by decreasing the dearth of pharmacies in communities of color, now referred to as pharmacy deserts, and by advocating for improved health and language literacy, such as engaging patient pharmacy navigators who can aid with dosing instructions, managing multiple prescriptions, and more; and

WHEREAS, Although implicit bias training now fills medical curricula across the country, systemic solutions are also needed to address bias in care; conducting data audits of provider prescribing practices through health equity dashboards and creating electronic, medical record-based innovations that make the right choice the easy choice for physicians to prescribe therapies are two system-level strategies to reduce the harm of health care bias; and

WHEREAS, Additionally, the cost of care needs to be studied and addressed as prescription drug costs can be as much as three times higher in the U.S. than anywhere else in the world; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that to eliminate alarming racial disparities in healthcare, we must strive to create policies that have a broad approach and encompass access, bias, and cost in order to move healthcare closer to achieving pharmacoequity to pave the way for better health outcomes.

Senator Anderson offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

#### **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 27**

WHEREAS, The concentration of power at the federal level has had the effect of making federal officials less responsive to the will of the people and more readily influenced by lobbyists, wealthy corporations, and special interests in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Much of federal laws and regulations have been enacted by federal bureaucrats who were never chosen by the people and have no accountability to the people whatsoever; and

WHEREAS, Past administrations have created a crushing national debt through improper and imprudent spending; and

WHEREAS, Past administrations and federal bureaucrats have invaded the legitimate roles of the states through the manipulative process of federal mandates, most of which are unfunded to a great extent; and

WHEREAS, Policy decisions made at the state level tend to be more responsive to the needs and desires of the people; and

WHEREAS, The states have the ability to restore the responsiveness of government to the people and to restrain abuses of federal power by proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States through a limited Convention of the States under Article V; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that the

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legislature of the State of Illinois hereby applies to Congress, under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States, for the calling of a convention of the states limited to proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States that impose fiscal restraints on the federal government, limit the power and jurisdiction of the federal government, and limit the terms of office for its officials and for members of Congress; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Secretary of State is hereby directed to transmit copies of this application to the President and Secretary of the United States Senate, to the Speaker and Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, to the Illinois Congressional Delegation, and to the presiding officers of each of the legislative houses in the United States, requesting their cooperation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this application constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of the United States until the legislatures of at least two-thirds of the states have made applications on the same subject.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

**SENATE BILL NO. 2640.** Introduced by Senator Chesney, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2641.** Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

### APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

#### **Appointment Message No. 1040103**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department on Aging

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Mary Killough

County of Residence: Will

Annual Compensation: \$181,913

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Michael E. Hastings

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Mary Killough

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040104**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Agriculture

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Jerry F. Costello II

County of Residence: St. Clair

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Christopher Belt

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jerry F. Costello II

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040105**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Central Management Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Raven A. DeVaughn

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

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Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Raven A. DeVaughn

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040106**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Central Management Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Aundra Devon Williams

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$182,740

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Aundra Devon Williams

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040107**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Children and Family Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Heidi E. Mueller

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County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$220,500

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Ram Villivalam

Most Recent Holder of Office: Heidi E. Mueller

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040108**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Corrections

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Latoya Ja'Nae Hughes

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$220,500

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Napoleon Harris III

Most Recent Holder of Office: Latoya Ja'Nae Hughes

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040109**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Corrections

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Alyssa Brooke Williams-Schafer

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$187,425

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Alyssa Brooke Williams-Schafer

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040110**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: James Jennings

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: James Jennings

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040111**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

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Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Employment Security

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Raymond P. Marchiori

County of Residence: McHenry

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Craig Wilcox

Most Recent Holder of Office: Raymond P. Marchiori

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040112**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Mario Treto Jr.

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Lakesia Collins

Most Recent Holder of Office: Mario Treto Jr.

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040113**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Illinois Cannabis Regulation Oversight Officer

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Erin Ashley Johnson

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: As determined by the Governor

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Erin Ashley Johnson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040114**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Professional Regulation

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Camile Lindsay

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: Camile Lindsay

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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**Appointment Message No. 1040115**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Financial Institutions

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Francisco Menchaca

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Javier L. Cervantes

Most Recent Holder of Office: Francisco Menchaca

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040116**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Real Estate

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Laurie A. Murphy

County of Residence: DuPage

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Karina Villa

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Laurie A. Murphy

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040117**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Banking

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Susana M. Soriano

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: Susana M. Soriano

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040118**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Inspector General

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 15, 2029

Name: Brian Joseph Dunn

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: As determined by the Governor

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Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mike Simmons

Most Recent Holder of Office: Brian Joseph Dunn

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040119**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Elizabeth M. Whitehorn

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

Most Recent Holder of Office: Elizabeth M. Whitehorn

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040120**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Rights

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: James L. Bennett

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$181,913

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mike Simmons

Most Recent Holder of Office: James L. Bennett

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040121**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Dulce M. Quintero

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$220,500 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Graciela Guzmán

Most Recent Holder of Office: Dulce M. Quintero

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040122**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

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End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Quiwana Bell

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$187,425 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Quiwana Bell

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040123**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Services

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Ryan Thomas

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$187,425 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Bill Cunningham

Most Recent Holder of Office: Ryan Thomas

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040124**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

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Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Insurance

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Ann R. Gillespie

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mark L. Walker

Most Recent Holder of Office: Ann R. Gillespie

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040125**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Robert D. Vickery

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$181,913

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: Robert D. Vickery

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040126**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

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I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Lottery

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Harold Mays

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Harold Mays

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040127**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Natural Resources

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Natalie Finnie

County of Residence: Hardin

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dale Fowler

Most Recent Holder of Office: Natalie Finnie

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040128**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Natural Resources

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Todd Strole

County of Residence: Madison

Annual Compensation: \$172,652

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Jason Plummer

Most Recent Holder of Office: Todd Strole

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040129**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Public Health

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Sameer Saifee Vohra

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$220,500 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Sameer Saifee Vohra

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040130**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Public Health

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Janice Phillips

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$187,425 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Napoleon Harris III

Most Recent Holder of Office: Janice Phillips

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040131**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Revenue

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: David Harris

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mark L. Walker

Most Recent Holder of Office: David Harris

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040132**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Veterans Affairs

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Terry Prince

County of Residence: Will

Annual Compensation: \$220,500

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Meg Loughran Cappel

Most Recent Holder of Office: Terry Prince

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040133**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Veterans Affairs

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Anthony J. Vaughn

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County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$187,425

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: Anthony J. Vaughn

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040134**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: State Fire Marshal

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Office of the State Fire Marshal

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: James A. Rivera

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$181,913

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert F. Martwick

Most Recent Holder of Office: James A. Rivera

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040135**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Police

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Brendan Kelly

County of Residence: Saint Clair

Annual Compensation: \$220,500

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Christopher Belt

Most Recent Holder of Office: Brendan Kelly

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040136**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Prisoner Review Board

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 20, 2031

Name: Julie Lynn Globokar

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$101,766

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: Julie Lynn Globokar

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040137**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

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Agency or Other Body: Prisoner Review Board

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 20, 2031

Name: Jeffrey M. Grubbs

County of Residence: Jackson

Annual Compensation: \$101,766

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dale Fowler

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jeffrey M. Grubbs

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040138**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Prisoner Review Board

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 20, 2031

Name: Rodger Alan Heaton

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$101,766

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Rodger Alan Heaton

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040139**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Prisoner Review Board

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 20, 2031

Name: Carmen Terrones

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$101,766

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Javier L. Cervantes

Most Recent Holder of Office: Carmen Terrones

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040140**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator

Agency or Other Body: Office of the Governor

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Cynthia Barbera-Brelle

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: As determined by the Governor

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mark L. Walker

Most Recent Holder of Office: Cynthia Barbera-Brelle

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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**Appointment Message No. 1040141**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Kristin Ann Richards

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$214,988

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mike Simmons

Most Recent Holder of Office: Kristin Ann Richards

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040142**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Cameron Joost

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$182,740

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Cameron Joost

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040143**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Khama A. Sharp

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$182,740

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Khama A. Sharp

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040144**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Labor

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Jane R. Flanagan

County of Residence: Cook

Annual Compensation: \$198,450

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Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jane R. Flanagan

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1040145**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Fourth General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Labor

Start Date: March 17, 2025

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: Jason Hogendorn-Keller

County of Residence: Sangamon

Annual Compensation: \$172,652

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jason Hogendorn-Keller

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Under the rules, the foregoing Appointment Messages were referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

**READING BILLS OF THE SENATE A SECOND TIME**

On motion of Senator Peters, **Senate Bill No. 67** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Labor, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 67**

AMENDMENT NO. 1 . Amend Senate Bill 67 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Nurse Agency Licensing Act is amended by changing Sections 4, 5, and 14.1 as follows:

(225 ILCS 510/4) (from Ch. 111, par. 954)

[April 1, 2025]

Sec. 4. Licensing. The Department shall license nurse agencies in accordance with this Act for the protection of the health, welfare and safety of patients and residents. No nurse agency person may lawfully establish, operate, maintain, or advertise as a nurse agency in the State of Illinois unless the nurse agency person is licensed under this Act by the Department of Labor. Being licensed under the Home Health, Home Services, and Home Nursing Agency Licensing Act does not relieve home health agencies that provide nurse agency services from the requirement of obtaining licensure under this Act. No health care facility shall use the services of an unlicensed nurse agency.

(Source: P.A. 94-379, eff. 1-1-06.)

(225 ILCS 510/5) (from Ch. 111, par. 955)

Sec. 5. Application for license. An application to operate a nurse agency shall be made to the Department on forms provided by the Department. A separate application shall be submitted for each additional location from which a nurse agency is operated. All applications must be under oath and must be accompanied by an equitable application fee which will be set by the Department by rule. A separate license must be obtained for each location from which a nurse agency is operated unless the nurse agency is owned and managed by the same applicant person or persons. The Department may impose a fine of up to \$500 for the submission of false or misleading information. Submission of false or misleading information is a petty offense punishable by a fine of \$500. The application shall contain the following information:

- (1) name and address of the person, partnership, corporation or other entity that is the applicant;
- (2) if the applicant is a corporation or limited liability company, a copy of its articles of incorporation or organization, a copy of its current bylaws, and the names and addresses of its officers and directors and shareholders owning more than 5% of the corporation's stock or membership units;
- (3) the name and location of premises from which the applicant will provide services;
- (4) the names and addresses of the person or persons under whose management or supervision the nurse agency will be operated;
- (5) a statement of financial solvency;
- (6) a statement detailing the experience and qualifications of the applicant to operate a nurse agency, however, the failure of a nurse agency to demonstrate previous experience to operate an agency does not in and of itself constitute grounds for the denial of a license;
- (7) evidence of compliance or intent to comply with State or federal law relating to employee compensation, including but not limited to, social security taxes, State and federal income taxes, workers' compensation, unemployment taxes, and State and federal overtime compensation laws;
- (8) evidence of general and professional liability insurance in the amounts of at least \$1,000,000 per incident and \$3,000,000 in aggregate and workers' compensation coverage for all nurses or certified nursing aides employed, assigned, or referred by the nurse agency to a health care facility;
- (8.5) copies of all currently effective contracts with health care facilities; and
- (9) any other relevant information which the Department determines is necessary to properly evaluate the applicant and application as required by the Department by rule.

(Source: P.A. 102-946, eff. 7-1-22.)

(225 ILCS 510/14.1)

Sec. 14.1. Investigations; orders; civil penalties.

(a) The Department may at any time, and shall upon receiving a complaint from any interested person, investigate any nurse agency person licensed or applying for a license under this Act suspected of violating any provision of any Section except Section 14.3. The Department shall investigate any nurse agency that person who operates or advertises a nurse agency without being licensed under this Act. The Department shall establish a system of reporting complaints against a nurse health care staffing agency. The Department shall publish on its website how an interested party may submit a complaint of a violation of this Act to the Department. Complaints may be made by an interested party. Complaints against a nurse agency shall be investigated by the Department of Labor. The investigations shall take into consideration the responsibility of health care facilities under Section 12 for supervising nurse agency employees assigned or referred to the facilities. For purposes of this Section, "interested party" means a health care facility, nurse staffing agency, or an employee of a health care facility or nurse staffing agency.

The Director or his or her authorized representative may examine the premises of any nurse agency, may compel by subpoena, for examination or inspection, the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books, payrolls, records, papers and other evidence in any investigation or hearing, and may administer oaths or affirmations to witnesses.

(b) After appropriate notice and hearing, and if supported by the evidence, the Department may issue and cause to be served on any nurse agency person an order to cease and desist from violation of this Act and to take any further action that is reasonable to eliminate the effect of the violation of any Section except Section 14.3.

Whenever it appears that any nurse agency person has violated a valid order of the Department issued under this Act, the Director may commence an action and obtain from the court an order directing the nurse agency person to obey the order of the Department or be subject to punishment for contempt of court.

The Department may petition the court for an order enjoining any violation of any Section of this Act except Section 14.3.

(c) Any nurse agency that licensee or applicant who violates any provision of this Act or the rules adopted under this Act shall be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$10,000 per occurrence payable to the Department for the purpose of enforcing this Act. Civil penalties may be assessed by the Department in an administrative action and may, if necessary, be recovered in a civil action brought by the Director through the Attorney General of the State of Illinois or the State's attorney of any county in which the violation occurred. The court may order that the civil penalties assessed for violation of this Act, together with any costs or attorney's fees arising out of the action to collect the penalties, be paid to the Department. The fact that the violation has ceased does not excuse any nurse agency person from liability for civil penalties arising from the violation.

(d) Any nurse staffing agency that has been found not to have paid an employee 100% of the hourly wage rate identified in the contract between such nurse staffing agency and health care facility shall be liable to the employee for the actual amount of the underpayment, plus damages of 5% of the amount of the underpayment.

(Source: P.A. 102-946, eff. 7-1-22.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Tracy, **Senate Bill No. 1368** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Veterans Affairs, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1368**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1368 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Military Veterans Assistance Act is amended by changing Section 9 as follows:  
(330 ILCS 45/9) (from Ch. 23, par. 3089)

Sec. 9. Veterans Assistance Commission.

(a) In counties having 2 or more veteran service organizations as may be recognized by law, the veteran service organizations may come together to form a Veterans Assistance Commission of such county. The Veterans Assistance Commission of such county may act as the central service office for all veterans and their families and for the families of deceased veterans. The Commission shall be composed of delegates and alternates from a majority of such veteran service organizations selected annually as determined by each veteran service organization. When so organized a Commission shall be clothed with all the powers and may be charged with all the duties theretofore devolving upon the different veteran service organizations within the county as provided in Section 2.

(1) Every January 1, all Veterans Assistance Commissions shall publish a notice to each veteran service organization within their respective county calling on them to select delegates and alternates for that county's Veterans Assistance Commission by the methods provided in this subsection. The Veterans Assistance Commissions shall allow each veteran service organization until March 1 to respond, at which time those selected and duly appointed delegates and alternates shall begin their term of office with full voting rights. Once selected, delegates and alternates are bound by the Public Officer Prohibited Activities Act.

(2) Except as provided in paragraph (3), veteran service organizations shall be permitted to select one delegate and one alternate.

(3) In counties with 5 or more of the same veteran service organizations, all the constituent veteran service organizations shall be permitted to select up to 5 delegates and 5 alternates to represent that veteran service organization instead of each constituent veteran service organization selecting one delegate and one alternate. For the purposes of meeting the majority requirement of this subsection, when the constituent groups of a veteran service organization choose to select those delegates and alternates, those selected and duly appointed delegates and alternates shall represent the aggregate percentage of the constituent groups.

(4) If a veteran service organization serves more than one county, then it shall be permitted to select one delegate and one alternate for the Veterans Assistance Commission in each county in which at least 25% of its members reside.

(5) All undertakings of, or actions taken by, the Commission shall require a vote from a majority of the full commission membership. No committee or other subgroup of delegates and alternates formed by the Commission, whether selected or appointed, may be granted the power or authority to act in the place of or on behalf of the full body of the duly selected or appointed Commission membership.

(6) No superintendent or any other employee of the Veterans Assistance Commission may retain the position of delegate or alternate or any voting rights while employed by the Veterans Assistance Commission.

(7) No committee or other subgroup of delegates and alternates formed by the Commission, whether selected or appointed, may bar any other duly appointed Commission member from attending or otherwise being present during any closed meetings or sessions of that committee or group.

(8) The county may, at its discretion, appoint a representative to the Commission who may attend any public meeting of the Commission. That representative shall be a veteran, may not have voting rights, may not hold any office or title on the Commission, and may not be present during any nonpublic meeting of the Commission, except as authorized in this Act. For matters of executive session, the non-voting county appointee may attend meetings that are closed in accordance with paragraphs (1), (3), (5), (6), or (11) of subsection (c) of Section 2 of the Open Meetings Act for litigation matters not relating to litigation between the Commission and the County.

(b) The Commission and its selected or appointed superintendent shall have oversight of the distribution of all moneys and supplies appropriated for the benefit of military veterans and their families, subject to such rules, regulations, administrative procedures or audit reviews as are required by this Act and as are necessary as approved by the Commission to carry out the spirit and intent of this Act. No warrant authorized under this Act may be issued for the payment of money without the presentation of an itemized statement or claim, approved by the superintendent of the Commission.

(c) The superintendent of the Veterans Assistance Commission, selected, appointed, or hired by the Commission is an at-will employee who shall be answerable to, and shall report to, the Commission.

(d) The superintendent shall be evaluated annually and a written report shall be generated. A copy of the report from the evaluation shall be provided to the entire Commission membership.

(e) A superintendent may be removed from office if, after delegates from no less than 3 different veteran service organizations file a written request calling for the superintendent's removal, there is a vote from a majority of the full Commission membership in favor of such removal.

(f) Each Veterans Assistance Commission shall establish and maintain bylaws that outline the framework, policies, and procedures for conducting the business of the Commission and for the rules and regulations that apply to its members. Those bylaws shall reflect compliance with all relevant laws at the time they are established and shall be revised as necessary to remain in compliance with current law. The establishment of those bylaws, and any revisions thereafter, shall require a minimum two-thirds majority vote of approval from a majority of the full Commission membership.

(g) Each Veterans Assistance Commission shall, in writing, adopt all applicable policies already established and in place in its respective county, including, but not limited to, policies related to compensation, employee rights, ethics, procurement, and budget, and shall adapt those policies to fit its organizational structure. Those policies shall then be considered the policies of the Veterans Assistance Commission and they shall be implemented and adhered to, accordingly, by the superintendent and by the Commission. The Commission shall amend its adopted policies whenever a county board amends an applicable policy within 60 days of the county board amendment.

(h) No warrant authorized under this Act may be issued for the payment of money without the presentation of an itemized statement or claim, approved by the superintendent of the Commission and reported to the full Commission membership.

(i) Each Veterans Assistance Commission shall perform an annual audit in accordance with the Governmental Account Audit Act using either the auditing services provided by its respective county or the services of an independent auditor whose services shall be paid for by the Commission. A copy of that audit report shall be provided to the president or chairperson of the county board.

(j) Veterans Assistance Commissions and county boards subject to this Act shall cooperate fully with the boards, commissions, agencies, departments, and institutions of the State. The funds held and made available by the county, the State, or any other source shall be subject to financial and compliance audits in accordance with the Illinois State Auditing Act.

(k) The Veterans Assistance Commission shall be in charge of the administration of any benefits provided under Articles VI and IX of the Illinois Public Aid Code for military veterans and their families.

(l) The Veterans Assistance Commission shall represent veterans in their application for or attempts to obtain benefits and services through State and federal agencies, including representing veterans in their appeals of adverse decisions.

(m) The superintendent of the Veterans Assistance Commission and its employees must comply with the procedures and regulations adopted by the Veterans Assistance Commission and the regulations of the Department of Human Services.

(n) To further the intent of this Act of assisting military veterans, this Act is to be construed so that the Veterans Assistance Commission shall provide needed services to eligible veterans.

(o)(1) In counties that do not have a Veterans Assistance Commission prior to January 1, 2026, and in which there exists a judicial circuit whose jurisdictional boundaries include multiple counties, veteran service organizations located within any of those counties that are within the judicial circuit's jurisdictional boundaries may come together and create a Jurisdictional Veterans Assistance Commission that shall provide services to veterans and their families who reside in those participating counties. Each participating county shall levy the minimum amount of 0.02%, as indicated in Section 2, and deposit the proceeds in the county treasury of the seat of that judicial circuit. These proceeds shall be used for employment of staff of the Veterans Assistance Commission and financial assistance for the veterans and their families that reside within the geographical boundaries of that judicial circuit. The Veterans Assistance Commission shall be known as the Veterans Assistance Commission of that judicial circuit.

(2) Participating counties shall provide the support and materials required to administer a Jurisdictional Veterans Assistance Commission in the same manner individual counties are required under this Act to provide support and materials to single-county Veterans Assistance Commissions.

(3) The superintendent of a Veterans Assistance Commission formed in accordance with paragraph (1) shall be selected from among all honorably discharged veterans of all participating counties within that judicial circuit's boundaries and shall maintain a centrally located office within that judicial circuit. However, for a Veterans Assistance Commission formed within a large judicial circuit, the superintendent is not precluded from having multiple offices that shall be owned and maintained by the Veterans Assistance Commission.

(4) Delegates and alternates shall be selected by the veterans service organizations of that judicial circuit in the same manner as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subsection (a).

(5) Any existing Veterans Assistance Commission that is part of a Judicial Circuit that is comprised of multiple counties, as of January 1, 2025, may merge into a Veterans Assistance Commission of that Judicial Circuit with its neighboring counties. Those existing Veterans Assistance Commissions that choose not to merge may continue to exist independently while the other counties combine to form a new Veterans Assistance Commission of that judicial circuit.

(Source: P.A. 102-484, eff. 8-20-21; 102-732, eff. 1-1-23; 102-1132, eff. 2-10-23.)"

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Peters, **Senate Bill No. 1441** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

Senator Peters offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

[April 1, 2025]

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1441**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1441 on page 1, line 5, after "55," by inserting "60," and

on page 9, immediately below line 20, by inserting the following:

"(820 ILCS 80/60)

Sec. 60. Program implementation and enrollment. Except as otherwise provided in Section 93 of this Act, the Program shall be implemented, and enrollment of employees shall begin in 2018. The Board shall establish an implementation timeline under which employers shall initially enroll their employees in the Program. The timeline shall include the date by which an employer must begin enrollment of its employees in the Program and the date by which enrollment must be complete. The Board shall adopt the implementation timeline at a public meeting of the Board and shall publicize the implementation timeline. The Board shall provide advance notice to employers of their enrollment date and the amount of time to complete enrollment. The enrollment deadline for employers with fewer than 25 employees and more than 15 employees shall be no sooner than September 1, 2022. The enrollment deadline for employers with at least 5 employees but not more than 15 employees shall be no sooner than September 1, 2023. The provisions of this Section shall be in force after the Board opens the Program for enrollment.

(a) Each employer shall establish a payroll deposit retirement savings arrangement to allow each employee to participate in the Program within the timeline set by the Board after the Program opens for enrollment.

(b) At the time of initial enrollment, employers shall automatically enroll in the Program each of their employees who have been employed for 120 days or more by the employer ~~Employers shall automatically enroll in the Program each of their employees who have been employed for 120 days or more by the employer has not opted out of participation in the Program in the manner described in subsection (e) of Section 55 of this Act and shall provide payroll deduction retirement savings arrangements for such employees and deposit, on behalf of such employees, these funds into the Program. Following initial enrollment, employers shall enroll new employees as soon as practicable, but no later than 120 days after the employee is first employed by the employer. Small employers may, but are not required to, provide payroll deduction retirement savings arrangements for each employee who elects to participate in the Program. Utilization of automatic enrollment by small employers may be allowed only if it does not create employer liability under the federal Employee Retirement Income Security Act. An employee may opt out of participation in the Program in the manner described in Section 55.~~

(c) Enrollees shall have the ability to select a contribution level into the Fund. This level may be expressed as a percentage of wages or as a dollar amount up to the deductible amount for the enrollee's taxable year under Section 219(b)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code. Enrollees may change their contribution level at any time, subject to rules promulgated by the Board. If an enrollee fails to select a contribution level using the form described in subsection (c) of Section 55 of this Act, then he or she shall contribute the default contribution rate of his or her wages to the Program, provided that such contributions shall not cause the enrollee's total contributions to IRAs for the year to exceed the deductible amount for the enrollee's taxable year under Section 219(b)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(d) Enrollees may select an investment option from the permitted investment options listed in Section 45 of this Act. Enrollees may change their investment option at any time, subject to rules promulgated by the Board. In the event that an enrollee fails to select an investment option, that enrollee shall be placed in the investment option selected by the Board as the default under subsection (c) of Section 45 of this Act. If the Board has not selected a default investment option under subsection (c) of Section 45 of this Act, then an enrollee who fails to select an investment option shall be placed in the life-cycle fund investment option.

(e) Following initial implementation of the Program pursuant to this Section, participating employers may designate an open enrollment period during which employees who previously opted out of the Program may enroll in the Program.

(f) (Blank).

(g) Employers shall retain the option at all times to set up a qualified retirement plan, including, but not limited to, a defined benefit plan or a 401(k), a Simplified Employee Pension (SEP) plan, or a Savings Incentive Match Plan for Employees (SIMPLE) plan, instead of facilitating their employees' participation in the Program.

(h) An employee may terminate his or her participation in the Program at any time in a manner prescribed by the Board.

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(i) The Board shall establish and maintain an Internet website designed to assist employers in identifying private sector providers of retirement arrangements that can be set up by the employer rather than allowing employee participation in the Program under this Act; however, the Board shall only establish and maintain an Internet website under this subsection if there is sufficient interest in such an Internet website by private sector providers and if the private sector providers furnish the funding necessary to establish and maintain the Internet website. The Board must provide public notice of the availability of and the process for inclusion on the Internet website before it becomes publicly available. This Internet website must be available to the public before the Board opens the Program for enrollment, and the Internet website address must be included on any Internet website posting or other materials regarding the Program offered to the public by the Board.  
(Source: P.A. 102-179, eff. 1-1-22; 103-681, eff. 1-1-25.)"

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Faraci, **Senate Bill No. 1548** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on State Government, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1548**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1548 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section 2605-485 as follows:

(20 ILCS 2605/2605-485)

Sec. 2605-485. Endangered Missing Person Advisory.

(a) A coordinated program known as the Endangered Missing Person Advisory is established within the Illinois State Police. The purpose of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory is to provide a regional system for the rapid dissemination of information regarding a missing person who is believed to be a high-risk missing person as defined in Section 10 of the Missing Persons Identification Act.

(b) The AMBER Plan Task Force, established under Section 2605-480 of this Law, shall serve as the task force for the Endangered Missing Person Advisory. The AMBER Plan Task Force shall monitor and review the implementation and operation of the regional system developed under subsection (a), including procedures, budgetary requirements, and response protocols. The AMBER Plan Task Force shall also develop additional network resources for use in the system.

(c) The Illinois State Police, in coordination with the Illinois Department on Aging, shall develop and implement a community outreach program to promote awareness among the State's healthcare facilities, nursing homes, assisted living facilities, and other senior centers. The guidelines and procedures shall ensure that specific health information about the missing person is not made public through the alert or otherwise.

(c-5) Subject to appropriation, the Illinois State Police, in coordination with the Illinois Department of Human Services, shall develop and implement a community outreach program to promote awareness of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory among applicable entities, including, but not limited to, developmental disability facilities as defined in Section 1-107 of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code. The outreach program may also promote awareness of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory to people with developmental disabilities, as defined in Section 1-116 of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code, communities of people with developmental disabilities, and organizations that serve people with developmental disabilities. The guidelines and procedures shall ensure that specific health information about the missing person is not made public through the alert or otherwise.

(d) The Child Safety Coordinator, created under Section 2605-480 of this Law, shall act in the dual capacity of Child Safety Coordinator and Endangered Missing Person Coordinator. The Coordinator shall assist in the establishment of State standards and monitor the availability of federal funding that may

become available to further the objectives of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory. The Illinois State Police shall provide technical assistance for the Coordinator from its existing resources.

(e)(1) The Illinois State Police, in cooperation with the Silver Search Task Force, shall develop as part of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory a coordinated statewide awareness program and toolkit to be used when a person 21 years of age or older who is believed to have Alzheimer's disease, other related dementia, or other dementia-like cognitive impairment is reported missing, which shall be referred to as Silver Search.

(2) The Illinois State Police shall complete development and deployment of the Silver Search Awareness Program and toolkit on or before July 1, 2017.

(3) The Illinois State Police shall establish a Silver Search Task Force within 90 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly to assist the Illinois State Police in development and deployment of the Silver Search Awareness Program and toolkit. The Task Force shall establish the criteria and create a toolkit, which may include usage of Department of Transportation signs, under Section 2705-505.6 of the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. The Task Force shall monitor and review the implementation and operation of that program, including procedures, budgetary requirements, standards, and minimum requirements for the training of law enforcement personnel on how to interact appropriately and effectively with individuals that suffer from Alzheimer's disease, other dementia, or other dementia-like cognitive impairment. The Task Force shall also develop additional network and financial resources for use in the system. The Task Force shall include, but is not limited to, one representative from each of the following:

- (A) the Illinois State Police;
- (B) the Department on Aging;
- (C) the Department of Public Health;
- (D) the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board;
- (E) the Illinois Emergency Management Agency;
- (F) the Secretary of State;
- (G) the Department of Transportation;
- (H) the Department of the Lottery;
- (I) the Illinois Toll Highway Authority;
- (J) a State association dedicated to Alzheimer's care, support, and research;
- (K) a State association dedicated to improving quality of life for persons age 50 and over;
- (L) a State group of area agencies involved in planning and coordinating services and programs for older persons in their respective areas;
- (M) a State organization dedicated to enhancing communication and cooperation between sheriffs;
- (N) a State association of police chiefs and other leaders of police and public safety organizations;
- (O) a State association representing Illinois publishers;
- (P) a State association that advocates for the broadcast industry;
- (Q) a member of a large wireless telephone carrier; and
- (R) a member of a small wireless telephone carrier.

The members of the Task Force designated in subparagraphs (A) through (I) of this paragraph (3) shall be appointed by the head of the respective agency. The members of the Task Force designated in subparagraphs (J) through (R) of this paragraph (3) shall be appointed by the Director of the Illinois State Police. The Director of the Illinois State Police or his or her designee shall serve as Chair of the Task Force.

The Task Force shall meet at least twice a year and shall provide a report on the operations of the Silver Search Program to the General Assembly and the Governor each year by June 30.

(4) Subject to appropriation, the Illinois State Police, in coordination with the Department on Aging and the Silver Search Task Force, shall develop and implement a community outreach program to promote awareness of the Silver Search Program as part of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory among law enforcement agencies, the State's healthcare facilities, nursing homes, assisted living facilities, other senior centers, and the general population on or before January 1, 2017.

(5) The Child Safety Coordinator, created under Section 2605-480 of this Law, shall act in the capacity of Child Safety Coordinator, Endangered Missing Person Coordinator, and Silver Search Program Coordinator. The Coordinator, in conjunction with the members of the Task Force, shall assist the Illinois State Police and the Silver Search Task Force in the establishment of State standards and monitor the

availability of federal and private funding that may become available to further the objectives of the Endangered Missing Person Advisory and Silver Search Awareness Program. The Illinois State Police shall provide technical assistance for the Coordinator from its existing resources.

(6) The Illinois State Police shall provide administrative and other support to the Task Force. (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21)."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Belt, **Senate Bill No. 1672** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Education, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1672**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1672 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section 10-20.53a as follows:

(105 ILCS 5/10-20.53a new)

Sec. 10-20.53a. Early literacy screener reporting.

(a) On or before July 1, 2026, each school district that serves students in any of grades kindergarten through 3 shall report to the State Board of Education the following information:

(1) any early literacy screeners used by the district in grades kindergarten through 3, including which skill areas the screener is intended to identify;

(2) the grade level of students who are administered the early literacy screeners under paragraph (1); and

(3) the frequency with which the early literacy screeners under paragraph (1) are administered to students, by grade, each year.

(b) On or before January 1, 2027, the State Board of Education shall file a report with the General Assembly outlining the data received under subsection (a). This report shall be posted publicly on the State Board of Education's Internet website no later than January 1, 2027.

(c) This Section is repealed on July 1, 2027."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Martwick, **Senate Bill No. 1937** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time and ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Holmes, **Senate Bill No. 1951** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Agriculture, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1951**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1951 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Administrative Procedure Act is amended by adding Section 5-45.65 as follows:

(5 ILCS 100/5-45.65 new)

Sec. 5-45.65. Emergency rulemaking; Department of Natural Resources. To provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly, emergency rules implementing the changes made to the Wildlife Code by this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly may be adopted in accordance with Section 5-45 by the Department of Natural Resources. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by Section 5-45 and this Section is deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.

This Section is repealed one year after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly.

Section 10. The Wildlife Code is amended by changing Sections 1.4 and 2.30 as follows:  
(520 ILCS 5/1.4) (from Ch. 61, par. 1.4)

Sec. 1.4. The Department is authorized to make rules and regulations for carrying out, administering and enforcing the provisions of this Act. These rules and regulations shall be called and hereinafter referred to as administrative rules.

Each rule shall be promulgated in accordance with the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act.

A copy of any such rule, under the seal of the Department and certified by the Director thereof shall be received in evidence in all courts of this State with the same effect as the original.

Such rules, after becoming effective, shall be enforced in the same manner as are any other provisions of this Act and violators thereof are subject to the penalties set out in Section 3.5 of this Act.

The Department may adopt emergency rules in accordance with Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by Sections 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act and this paragraph is deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.

(Source: P.A. 91-357, eff. 7-29-99.)

(520 ILCS 5/2.30) (from Ch. 61, par. 2.30)

Sec. 2.30. Except as provided in this Section, it shall be unlawful for any person to trap or to hunt with a gun, dog, dog and gun, or bow and arrow, gray fox, red fox, raccoon, weasel, mink, muskrat, badger, bobcat, and opossum except during the open season which will be set annually by the Director between 12:01 a.m., November 1 to 12:00 midnight, February 15, both inclusive.

Except as provided in this Section, it shall be unlawful for any person to trap or to hunt gray fox with a gun, dog, dog and gun, or bow and arrow, except during an open season, which may be set annually by the Director between 12:01 a.m., November 1 to 12:00 midnight, February 15, both inclusive. When the biological balance of the gray fox is affected for any reason, the Director may, by administrative rule, set the dates of, lengthen, shorten, or close the season during which gray fox may be taken. The Director may also set, lessen, or increase the daily bag limit or possession limit of gray fox by administrative rule.

It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or trap bobcat in this State on and after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 100th General Assembly in the counties of Boone, Bureau, Champaign, Cook, DeKalb, DeWitt, DuPage, Ford, Grundy, Henry, Iroquois, Kane, Kankakee, Kendall, Knox, Lake, LaSalle, Lee, Livingston, Logan, Marshall, McHenry, McLean, Ogle, Peoria, Piatt, Putnam, Stark, Stephenson, Vermilion, Will, Winnebago, and Woodford and north of U.S. Route 36 in Edgar and Douglas and north of U.S. Route 36 to the junction with Illinois Route 121 and north or east of Illinois Route 121 in Macon. For the season beginning in 2017, a total number of 350 bobcats may be hunted or trapped lawfully, or the conclusion of the season occurs, whichever is earlier. For the season beginning in 2018, a total number of 375 bobcats may be hunted or trapped lawfully, or the conclusion of the season occurs, whichever is earlier. The changes added to this Section by this amendatory Act of the 100th General Assembly, except for this sentence, are inoperative on and after June 30, 2019.

It is unlawful to pursue any fur-bearing mammal with a dog or dogs between the hours of sunset and sunrise during the 10 day period preceding the opening date of the raccoon hunting season and the 10 day period following the closing date of the raccoon hunting season except that the Department may issue field trial permits in accordance with Section 2.34 of this Act. A non-resident from a state with more restrictive fur-bearer pursuit regulations for any particular species than provided for that species in this Act may not pursue that species in Illinois except during the period of time that Illinois residents are allowed to pursue that species in the non-resident's state of residence. Hound running areas approved by the Department shall be exempt from the provisions of this Section.

It shall be unlawful to take beaver, river otter, weasel, mink, or muskrat except during the open season set annually by the Director, and then, only with traps, except that a firearm, pistol, or air rifle of a caliber not larger than a .22 long rifle may be used to remove the animal from the trap.

It shall be unlawful for any person to trap beaver or river otter with traps except during the open season which will be set annually by the Director between 12:01 a.m., November 1st and 12:00 midnight, March 31, both inclusive.

Coyote may be taken by trapping methods only during the period from September 1 to March 1, both inclusive, and by hunting methods at any time.

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Striped skunk may be taken by trapping methods only during the period from September 1 to March 1, both inclusive, and by hunting methods at any time.

Muskkrat may be taken by trapping methods during an open season set annually by the Director.

For the purpose of taking fur-bearing mammals, the State may be divided into management zones by administrative rule.

It shall be unlawful to take or possess more than the season limit or possession limit of fur-bearing mammals that shall be set annually by the Director. The season limit for bobcat shall not exceed one bobcat per permit. Possession limits shall not apply to fur buyers, tanners, manufacturers, and taxidermists, as defined by this Act, who possess fur-bearing mammals in accordance with laws governing such activities.

Nothing in this Section shall prohibit the taking or possessing of fur-bearing mammals found dead or unintentionally killed by a vehicle along a roadway during the open season provided the person who possesses such fur-bearing mammals has all appropriate licenses, stamps, or permits; the season for which the species possessed is open; and that such possession and disposal of such fur-bearing mammals is otherwise subject to the provisions of this Section.

The provisions of this Section are subject to modification by administrative rule.

(Source: P.A. 102-837, eff. 5-13-22.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Lewis, **Senate Bill No. 2075** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Transportation, adopted and ordered printed:

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2075**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 2075 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Administrative Procedure Act is amended by adding Section 5-45.65 as follows:

(5 ILCS 100/5-45.65 new)

Sec. 5-45.65. Emergency rulemaking; Department of Transportation. To provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly, emergency rules implementing this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly may be adopted in accordance with Section 5-45 by the Department of Transportation. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by Section 5-45 and this Section is deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.

This Section is repealed one year after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly.

Section 10. The Cycle Rider Safety Training Act is amended by changing Sections 2.01, 2.03, 4, and 7 and by adding Sections 2.03a and 8 as follows:

(625 ILCS 35/2.01) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 802.01)

Sec. 2.01. "Cycle" means a motorcycle, ~~motor driven cycle or moped~~, as defined in The Illinois Vehicle Code.

(Source: P.A. 96-554, eff. 1-1-10.)

(625 ILCS 35/2.03) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 802.03)

Sec. 2.03. "Cycle Rider Safety Training Courses" and "Courses" mean courses of instruction in the use and operation of cycles, including instruction in the safe on-road operation of cycles, the rules of the road and the laws of this State relating to motor vehicles, which courses meet the minimum requirements of this Act, the standards established in the model national administrative standards for state motorcycle rider training programs by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, and the rules and regulations issued hereunder by the Department and which have been approved or denied within 60 days by the Department as meeting such requirements.

(Source: P.A. 82-649.)

(625 ILCS 35/2.03a new)

Sec. 2.03a. Cycle Rider Safety Training Course Provider. "Cycle Rider Safety Training Course Provider" and "provider" means a community college, State university, State or local government agency, or for-profit or nonprofit business entity in good standing and operating in the State that is capable of providing courses meeting the definition in this Act in accordance with the rules set forth by the Department and the regulations of this Act. "Cycle Rider Safety Training Course Provider" and "provider" does not include any business registered as a motorcycle dealer with the Secretary of State or any other business that derives income from the selling of motorcycles or has motorcycles for sale at its place of business on a consignment basis.

(625 ILCS 35/4) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 804)

Sec. 4. Cycle Rider Safety Training Courses.

(a) The Department shall, on an as needed basis, put out notices to the public seeking Cycle Rider Safety Training Course Providers to provide courses in this State. Such courses shall be open to all residents of the State who hold a currently valid driver's license and who have reached their 16th birthday before the first day of the course to be held. Such courses may be offered throughout the calendar year.

Providers may charge a nominal registration fee set by the Department, which shall be refunded upon completion of the course.

Responses from potential providers shall include, at a minimum, the location where classes are to be held at, the number of students they intend to train, whether they would be providing motorcycles or using motorcycles provided by the program, and the cost for courses provided on a per student basis.

Contracts shall be awarded by the Department to providers based on training needs and cost effectiveness of each bid or proposal as well as the provider's organizational capacity to satisfactorily discharge Cycle Rider Safety Training Courses.

(b) A provider shall only be paid grant funds under one of the following conditions:

(1) a course was held, in which case the provider shall be paid per student rate multiplied by the number of students present on the first day of the course;

(2) expenses submitted related to the maintenance of program equipment; or

(3) submitting other non-personnel expenses as deemed appropriate by the Department.

(c) A provider awarded a contract with grant funding under this Act shall:

(1) submit proof to the Department that each instructor employed by the provider meets the qualifications to teach the curriculum for the courses;

(2) have at least one employee on staff certified to do quality assurance or quality control visits where instructors are evaluated per curriculum standards on teaching;

(3) perform at least one quality assurance or quality control visit on each instructor employed during the year and submit the results of those visits to the Department;

(4) maintain appropriate liability insurance to cover training activities;

(5) submit requests for payment in a timely manner; and

(6) adhere to additional program rules and regulations as determined by the Department.

(d) A provider awarded a contract with grant funding under this Act shall not adopt any policy, requirement, or expectation regarding employee's manner of dress outside of the employee's scheduled work hours, nor may the provider pose any questions regarding such on job applications or during interviews with potential employees.

Any State or community college, State university or community agency designated by the Department may organize a Regional Cycle Rider Safety Training Center and may offer cycle rider safety training courses through such Training Centers which it operates. The curriculum and accreditation for the courses, and the geographic areas in which each Training Center may offer the courses, shall be provided for by rules and regulations of the Department. Instructors of such courses shall meet the qualification and certification requirements of the regulations of the Department and the college, university or community agency offering the program and may be employed on a calendar year rather than a school year basis. Such courses shall be open to all residents of the State who hold a currently valid driver's license and who have reached their 16th birthday without regard to whether such person is enrolled in any other course offered by said State or community college, State university or community agency. Such courses may be offered throughout the calendar year. The courses may be offered as credit or noncredit courses, but no fee shall be charged except for a nominal registration fee which shall be refunded upon completion of the course.

(Source: P.A. 86-1005.)

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(625 ILCS 35/7) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 807)

Sec. 7. The Department is authorized to and shall award contracts out of appropriations to the Department from "The Cycle Rider Safety Training Fund" to qualifying providers ~~Regional Cycle Rider Safety Training Centers~~ for the conduct of approved Cycle Rider Safety Training courses.  
(Source: P.A. 82-649.)

(625 ILCS 35/8 new)

Sec. 8. Emergency rulemaking. The Department may implement the changes made by this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly through the use of emergency rules in accordance with Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. For purposes of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, the adoption of rules to implement the changes made by this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly shall be deemed an emergency and necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January 1, 2026."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Glowiak Hilton, **Senate Bill No. 2215** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Public Health, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2215**

AMENDMENT NO. 1 . Amend Senate Bill 2215 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Department of Public Health Act is amended by adding Section 8.5 as follows:

(20 ILCS 2305/8.5 new)

Sec. 8.5. Department to provide information for health care professionals to distribute to women over 25 concerning fertility options.

(a) As used in this Section, "health care professional" means a physician licensed under the Medical Practice Act of 1987, a podiatrist licensed under the Podiatric Medical Practice Act of 1987, an advanced practice registered nurse licensed under the Nurse Practice Act, or a physician assistant licensed under the Physician Assistant Practice Act of 1987.

(b) The Department of Public Health shall provide the following information for health care professionals to distribute to women over the age of 25 years, or women interested about fertility options on blood tests to predict their ovarian reserve:

(1) a description of the concept of ovarian reserve;

(2) an overview of different types of ovarian reserve testing;

(3) a list of healthcare centers or hospitals that are available to women for ovarian reserve testing; and

(4) information on potential results and resources that are available after testing."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Peters, **Senate Bill No. 2280** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time and ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator S. Turner, **Senate Bill No. 2372** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Agriculture, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2372**

AMENDMENT NO. 1 . Amend Senate Bill 2372 on page 1, lines 10 and 13, by replacing "21" with "25" each time it appears; and

on page 2, line 23, by replacing "21" with "25"; and

on page 3, line 5, by replacing "21" with "25".

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Holmes, **Senate Bill No. 2414** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

Committee Amendment No. 1 was held in the Committee on Assignments.

Floor Amendment No. 2 was referred to the Committee on Assignments earlier today.

There being no further amendments, the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Cervantes, **Senate Bill No. 2459** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time and ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Glowiak Hilton, **Senate Bill No. 2492** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Licensed Activities, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2492**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 2492 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Regulatory Sunset Act is amended by changing Section 4.36 and by adding Section 4.41 as follows:

(5 ILCS 80/4.36)

Sec. 4.36. Acts repealed on January 1, 2026. The following Acts are repealed on January 1, 2026:

The Barber, Cosmetology, Esthetics, Hair Braiding, and Nail Technology Act of 1985.

The Collection Agency Act.

The Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Act.

The Illinois Athletic Trainers Practice Act.

~~The Illinois Dental Practice Act.~~

The Illinois Roofing Industry Licensing Act.

The Illinois Physical Therapy Act.

The Professional Geologist Licensing Act.

The Respiratory Care Practice Act.

(Source: P.A. 99-26, eff. 7-10-15; 99-204, eff. 7-30-15; 99-227, eff. 8-3-15; 99-229, eff. 8-3-15; 99-230, eff. 8-3-15; 99-427, eff. 8-21-15; 99-469, eff. 8-26-15; 99-492, eff. 12-31-15; 99-642, eff. 7-28-16.)

(5 ILCS 80/4.41 new)

Sec. 4.41. Act repealed on January 1, 2031. The following Act is repealed on January 1, 2031:

The Illinois Dental Practice Act.

Section 10. The Illinois Dental Practice Act is amended by changing Sections 2, 4, 6, 8, 8.05, 11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 18.1, 19, 19.2, 20, 22, 23, 23a, 23b, 24, 25, 25.1, 26, 29, 30, 32, 34, 38.2, 40, 45, 45.5, 48, 49, 51, 54, 54.2, 54.3, and 55 and by adding Section 4.5 as follows:

(225 ILCS 25/2) (from Ch. 111, par. 2302)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 2. Legislative declaration of public policy. The practice of dentistry in the State of Illinois is hereby declared to affect the public health, safety and welfare and to be subject to regulation and control in the public interest. It is further declared to be a matter of public interest and concern that the dental profession merit and receive the confidence of the public and that only qualified persons be permitted to practice dentistry in the State of Illinois. Despite the authority granted under this Act allowing dentists to delegate the performance of certain procedures to dental hygienists and dental assistants, nothing contained

in this Act shall be construed in any way to relieve the supervising dentist from ultimate responsibility for the care of the his or her patient. This Act shall be liberally construed to carry out these objects and purposes.

It is further declared to be the public policy of this State, pursuant to subsections (h) and (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, that any power or function set forth in this Act to be exercised by the State is an exclusive State power or function. Such power or function shall not be exercised concurrently, either directly or indirectly, by any unit of local government, including home rule units, except as otherwise provided in this Act.

(Source: P.A. 89-80, eff. 6-30-95; 89-116, eff. 7-7-95.)

(225 ILCS 25/4)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 4. Definitions. As used in this Act:

"Address of record" means the designated address recorded by the Department in the applicant's or licensee's application file or license file as maintained by the Department's licensure maintenance unit. It is the duty of the applicant or licensee to inform the Department of any change of address and those changes must be made either through the Department's website or by contacting the Department.

"Email address of record" means the designated email address recorded by the Department in the applicant's application file or the licensee's license file, as maintained by the Department's licensure maintenance unit.

"Department" means the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

"Secretary" means the Secretary of Financial and Professional Regulation.

"Board" means the Board of Dentistry.

"Dentist" means a person who has received a general license pursuant to subsection paragraph (a) of Section 11 of this Act and who may perform any intraoral and extraoral procedure required in the practice of dentistry and to whom is reserved the responsibilities specified in Section 17.

"Dental hygienist" means a person who holds a license under this Act to perform dental services as authorized by Section 18.

"Dental assistant" means an appropriately trained person who, under the supervision of a dentist, provides dental services as authorized by Section 17.

"Expanded function dental assistant" means a dental assistant who has completed the training required by Section 17.1 of this Act.

"Dental laboratory" means a person, firm, or corporation which:

(i) engages in making, providing, repairing, or altering dental prosthetic appliances and other artificial materials and devices which are returned to a dentist for insertion into the human oral cavity or which come in contact with its adjacent structures and tissues; and

(ii) utilizes or employs a dental technician to provide such services; and

(iii) performs such functions only for a dentist or dentists.

"Supervision" means supervision of a dental hygienist or a dental assistant requiring that a dentist authorize the procedure, remain in the dental facility while the procedure is performed, and approve the work performed by the dental hygienist or dental assistant before dismissal of the patient, but does not mean that the dentist must be present at all times in the treatment room.

"General supervision" means supervision of a dental hygienist requiring that the patient be a patient of record, that the dentist examine the patient in accordance with Section 18 prior to treatment by the dental hygienist, and that the dentist authorize the procedures which are being carried out by a notation in the patient's record, but not requiring that a dentist be present when the authorized procedures are being performed. The issuance of a prescription to a dental laboratory by a dentist does not constitute general supervision.

"Public member" means a person who is not a health professional. For purposes of board membership, any person with a significant financial interest in a health service or profession is not a public member.

"Dentistry" means the healing art which is concerned with the examination, diagnosis, treatment planning, and care of conditions within the human oral cavity and its adjacent tissues and structures, as further specified in Section 17.

"Branches of dentistry" means the various specialties of dentistry which, for purposes of this Act, shall be limited to the following: endodontics, oral and maxillofacial surgery, orthodontics and dentofacial orthopedics, pediatric dentistry, periodontics, prosthodontics, oral and maxillofacial radiology, and dental anesthesia.

"Specialist" means a dentist who has received a specialty license pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 11-4-6.

"Dental technician" means a person who owns, operates, or is employed by a dental laboratory and engages in making, providing, repairing, or altering dental prosthetic appliances and other artificial materials and devices which are returned to a dentist for insertion into the human oral cavity or which come in contact with its adjacent structures and tissues.

"Informed consent" means legally valid consent that is given by a patient or legal guardian, that is recorded in writing or digitally, that authorizes intervention or treatment services from the treating dentist, and that documents agreement to participate in those services and knowledge of the risks, benefits, and alternatives, including the decision to withdraw from or decline treatment.

"Impaired dentist" or "impaired dental hygienist" means a dentist or dental hygienist who is unable to practice with reasonable skill and safety because of a physical or mental disability as evidenced by a written determination or written consent based on clinical evidence, including deterioration through the aging process, loss of motor skills, abuse of drugs or alcohol, or a psychiatric disorder, of sufficient degree to diminish the person's ability to deliver competent patient care.

"Nurse" means a registered professional nurse, a certified registered nurse anesthetist licensed as an advanced practice registered nurse, or a licensed practical nurse licensed under the Nurse Practice Act.

"Patient of record", except as provided in Section 17.2, means a patient for whom the patient's most recent dentist has obtained a relevant medical and dental history and on whom the dentist has performed a physical examination within the last year and evaluated the condition to be treated, including a review of the patient's most recent x-rays.

"Dental responder" means a dentist or dental hygienist who is appropriately certified in disaster preparedness, immunizations, and dental humanitarian medical response consistent with the Society of Disaster Medicine and Public Health and training certified by the National Incident Management System or the National Disaster Life Support Foundation.

"Mobile dental van or portable dental unit" means any self-contained or portable dental unit in which dentistry is practiced that can be moved, towed, or transported from one location to another in order to establish a location where dental services can be provided.

"Public health dental hygienist" means a hygienist who holds a valid license to practice in the State, has 2 years of full-time clinical experience or an equivalent of 4,000 hours of clinical experience, and has completed at least 42 clock hours of additional structured courses in dental education in advanced areas specific to public health dentistry.

"Public health setting" means a federally qualified health center; a federal, State, or local public health facility; Head Start; a special supplemental nutrition program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) facility; a certified school-based health center or school-based oral health program; a prison; or a long-term care facility.

"Public health supervision" means the supervision of a public health dental hygienist by a licensed dentist who has a written public health supervision agreement with that public health dental hygienist while working in an approved facility or program that allows the public health dental hygienist to treat patients, without a dentist first examining the patient and being present in the facility during treatment, (1) who are eligible for Medicaid or (2) who are uninsured or whose household income is not greater than 300% of the federal poverty level.

"Teledentistry" means the use of telehealth systems and methodologies in dentistry and includes patient diagnosis, treatment planning, care, and education delivery for a patient of record using synchronous and asynchronous communications under an Illinois licensed dentist's authority as provided under this Act.

"Moderate sedation" means a drug-induced depression of consciousness during which: (1) patients respond purposefully to verbal commands, either alone or accompanied by light tactile stimulation; (2) no interventions are required to maintain a patient's airway and spontaneous ventilation is adequate; and (3) cardiovascular function is usually maintained.

"Deep sedation" means a drug-induced depression of consciousness during which: (1) patients cannot be easily aroused, but respond purposefully following repeated or painful stimulation; (2) the ability to independently maintain ventilatory function may be impaired; (3) patients may require assistance in maintaining airways and spontaneous ventilation may be inadequate; and (4) cardiovascular function is usually maintained.

"General anesthesia" means a drug-induced loss of consciousness during which: (1) patients are not arousable, even by painful stimulation; (2) the ability to independently maintain ventilatory function is often

impaired; (3) patients often require assistance in maintaining airways and positive pressure ventilation may be required because of depressed spontaneous ventilation or drug-induced depression of neuromuscular function; and (4) cardiovascular function may be impaired.

"Venipuncture" means the puncture of a vein as part of a medical procedure, typically to withdraw a blood sample or for an intravenous catheter for the administration of medication or fluids.

"Enteral route of administration" means administration of a drug that is absorbed through the gastrointestinal tract or through oral, rectal, or sublingual mucosa.

"Parenteral route of administration" means administration of a drug by which the drug bypasses the gastrointestinal tract through intramuscular, intravenous, intranasal, submucosal, subcutaneous, or intraosseous methods.

(Source: P.A. 102-93, eff. 1-1-22; 102-588, eff. 8-20-21; 102-936, eff. 1-1-23; 103-425, eff. 1-1-24; 103-431, eff. 1-1-24; 103-605, eff. 7-1-24; 103-628, eff. 7-1-24; 103-902, eff. 8-9-24; revised 10-10-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/4.5 new)

Sec. 4.5. Address of record; email address of record. All applicants and licensees shall:

(1) provide a valid address and email address to the Department, which shall serve as the address of record and email address of record, respectively, upon application for licensure or renewal of a license; and

(2) inform the Department of any change in the applicant or licensee's address of record or email address of record within 14 days after such change, either through the Department's website or by contacting the Department's licensure maintenance unit.

(225 ILCS 25/6) (from Ch. 111, par. 2306)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 6. Board of Dentistry; report ~~Dentistry~~ report by majority required. There is created a Board of Dentistry, to be composed of persons designated from time to time by the Secretary, as follows:

Eleven persons, 8 of whom have been dentists for a period of 5 years or more; 2 of whom have been dental hygienists for a period of 5 years or more, and one public member. None of the members shall be an officer, dean, assistant dean, or associate dean of a dental college or dental department of an institute of learning, nor shall any member be the program director of any dental hygiene program. A board member who holds a faculty position in a dental school or dental hygiene program shall not participate in the examination of applicants for licenses from that school or program. The dental hygienists shall not participate in the examination of applicants for licenses to practice dentistry. The public member shall not participate in the examination of applicants for licenses to practice dentistry or dental hygiene. The board shall annually elect a chairman and vice-chairman who shall be dentists.

Terms for all members shall be for 4 years. Partial terms over 2 years in length shall be considered as full terms. A member may be reappointed for a successive term, but no member shall serve more than 2 full terms in the member's ~~his or her~~ lifetime.

The membership of the Board shall include only residents from various geographic areas of this State and shall include at least some graduates from various institutions of dental education in this State.

In making appointments to the Board the Secretary shall give due consideration to recommendations by organizations of the dental profession in Illinois, including the Illinois State Dental Society and Illinois Dental Hygienists Association, and shall promptly give due notice to such organizations of any vacancy in the membership of the Board. The Secretary may terminate the appointment of any member for cause which in the opinion of the Secretary reasonably justifies such termination.

A vacancy in the membership of the Board shall not impair the right of a quorum to exercise all the rights and perform all the duties of the Board. Any action to be taken by the Board under this Act may be authorized by resolution at any regular or special meeting, and each such resolution shall take effect immediately. The Board shall meet at least quarterly.

The members of the Board shall each receive as compensation a reasonable sum as determined by the Secretary for each day actually engaged in the duties of the office, and all legitimate and necessary expense incurred in attending the meetings of the Board.

Members of the Board shall be immune from suit in any action based upon any disciplinary proceedings or other activities performed in good faith as members of the Board.

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/8) (from Ch. 111, par. 2308)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 8. Necessity for licensure of dentists and applications for licenses. No person shall practice dentistry without first applying for and obtaining a license for such purpose from the Department.

Applications shall be accompanied by the required fee.

If an applicant neglects, fails without an approved excuse, or refuses to take the next available examination offered for licensure under this Act, the fee paid by the applicant shall be forfeited to the Department and the applicant's application shall expire ~~denied~~. If an applicant fails to pass an examination for licensure under this Act within 3 years after filing the applicant's ~~his~~ application, the application shall expire 3 years after the date the application was filed ~~be denied~~. However, such applicant may thereafter make a new application for examination accompanied by the required fee and provide evidence of meeting the requirements in effect at the time of the new application.

(Source: P.A. 89-80, eff. 6-30-95; 89-116, eff. 7-7-95; 89-626, eff. 8-9-96.)

(225 ILCS 25/8.05)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 8.05. Social Security Number or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number on license application. In addition to any other information required to be contained in the application, every application for an original license under this Act shall include the applicant's Social Security Number or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, which shall be retained in the agency's records pertaining to the license. As soon as practical, the Department shall assign a customer's identification number to each applicant for a license.

Every application for a renewal or restored license shall require the applicant's customer identification number.

(Source: P.A. 97-400, eff. 1-1-12.)

(225 ILCS 25/11) (from Ch. 111, par. 2311)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 11. Types of dental licenses. The Department shall have the authority to issue the following types of licenses, to excuse the payment of fees for inactive status, to deliver certificates of identification, and to extend pre-license practice allowances as follows:

(a) General licenses. The Department shall issue a license authorizing practice as a dentist to any person who qualifies for a license under this Act.

(b) Specialty licenses. The Department shall issue a license authorizing practice as a specialist in any particular branch of dentistry to any dentist who has complied with the requirements established for that particular branch of dentistry at the time of making application. The Department shall establish additional requirements of any dentist who announces or holds himself or herself out to the public as a specialist or as being specially qualified in any particular branch of dentistry.

No dentist shall announce or hold himself or herself out to the public as a specialist or as being specially qualified in any particular branch of dentistry unless the dentist ~~he or she~~ is licensed to practice in that specialty of dentistry.

The fact that any dentist shall announce by card, letterhead, or any other form of communication using terms as "Specialist", "Practice Limited To", or "Limited to Specialty of" with the name of the branch of dentistry practiced as a specialty, or shall use equivalent words or phrases to announce the same, shall be prima facie evidence that the dentist is holding himself or herself out to the public as a specialist.

(c) Temporary training licenses. Persons who wish to pursue specialty or other advanced clinical educational programs in an approved dental school or a hospital situated in this State, or persons who wish to pursue programs of specialty training in dental public health in public agencies in this State, may receive without examination, in the discretion of the Department, a temporary training license. In order to receive a temporary training license under this subsection, an applicant shall furnish satisfactory proof to the Department that:

(1) The applicant is at least 21 years of age and is of good moral character. In determining moral character under this Section, the Department may take into consideration any felony conviction of the applicant, but such a conviction shall not operate as bar to licensure;

(2) The applicant has been accepted or appointed for specialty or residency training by an approved hospital situated in this State, by an approved dental school situated in this State, or by a public health agency in this State the training programs of which are recognized and approved by the Department. The applicant shall indicate the beginning and ending dates of the period for which the applicant ~~he or she~~ has been accepted or appointed;

(3) The applicant is a graduate of a dental school or college approved and in good standing in the judgment of the Department. The Department may consider diplomas or certifications of education, or both, accompanied by transcripts of course work and credits awarded to determine if an

applicant has graduated from a dental school or college approved and in good standing. The Department may also consider diplomas or certifications of education, or both, accompanied by transcripts of course work and credits awarded in determining whether a dental school or college is approved and in good standing.

Temporary training licenses issued under this Section shall be valid only for the duration of the period of residency or specialty training and may be extended or renewed as prescribed by rule. The holder of a valid temporary training license shall be entitled thereby to perform acts as may be prescribed by and incidental to the holder's his or her program of residency or specialty training; but the holder he or she shall not be entitled to engage in the practice of dentistry in this State.

A temporary training license may be revoked by the Department upon proof that the holder has engaged in the practice of dentistry in this State outside of the holder's his or her program of residency or specialty training, or if the holder shall fail to supply the Department, within 10 days of its request, with information as to the holder's his or her current status and activities in the holder's his or her specialty training program.

(d) Faculty limited licenses. Persons who have received full-time appointments to teach dentistry at an approved dental school or hospital situated in this State may receive without examination, in the discretion of the Department, a faculty limited license. In order to receive a faculty limited license an applicant shall furnish satisfactory proof to the Department that:

(1) The applicant is at least 21 years of age, is of good moral character, and is licensed to practice dentistry in another state or country; and

(2) The applicant has a full-time appointment to teach dentistry at an approved dental school or hospital situated in this State.

Faculty limited licenses issued under this Section shall be valid for a period of 3 years and may be extended or renewed. The holder of a valid faculty limited license may perform acts as may be required by the holder's his or her teaching of dentistry. The holder of a faculty limited license may practice general dentistry or in the holder's his or her area of specialty, but only in a clinic or office affiliated with the dental school. The holder of a faculty limited license may advertise a specialty degree as part of the licensee's ability to practice in a faculty practice. Any faculty limited license issued to a faculty member under this Section shall terminate immediately and automatically, without any further action by the Department, if the holder ceases to be a faculty member at an approved dental school or hospital in this State.

The Department may revoke a faculty limited license for a violation of this Act or its rules, or if the holder fails to supply the Department, within 10 days of its request, with information as to the holder's his or her current status and activities in the holder's his or her teaching program.

(e) Inactive status. Any person who holds one of the licenses under subsection (a) or (b) of Section 11 or under Section 12 of this Act may elect, upon payment of the required fee, to place the his or her license on an inactive status and shall, subject to the rules of the Department, be excused from the payment of renewal fees until the holder he or she notifies the Department in writing of the holder's his or her desire to resume active status.

Any licensee requesting restoration from inactive status shall be required to pay the current renewal fee, and, upon payment, the Department shall be required to restore the his or her license, as provided in Section 16 of this Act.

Any licensee whose license is in an inactive status shall not practice in the State of Illinois.

(f) Certificates of Identification. In addition to the licenses authorized by this Section, the Department shall deliver to each dentist a certificate of identification in a form specified by the Department.

(g) Pre-license practice allowance. An applicant for a general dental license or a temporary training license has a pre-license practice allowance to practice dentistry in a Commission on Dental Accreditation accredited specialty or residency training program for a period of 3 months from the starting date of the program. Upon a request from the applicant, the Department may extend, in writing, the pre-license practice allowance for the specialty or residency training program. An applicant practicing dentistry under this subsection may only perform acts as are prescribed by and incidental to the applicant's program of residency or specialty training. An applicant practicing dentistry under this subsection must supply the specialty or residency training program a copy of the applicant's general license application or temporary training license application along with proof of certified mail of sending that application to the Department.

The applicant's authority to practice under this subsection shall terminate immediately upon: (1) the decision of the Department that the applicant failed the examination for dental licensure; (2) denial of licensure by the Department; or (3) withdrawal of the license application.

(Source: P.A. 103-425, eff. 1-1-24; 103-687, eff. 7-19-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/13) (from Ch. 111, par. 2313)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 13. Qualifications of applicants for dental hygienists. Every person who desires to obtain a license as a dental hygienist shall apply to the Department in writing, upon forms prepared and furnished by the Department. Each application shall contain proof of the particular qualifications required of the applicant, shall be verified by the applicant, under oath, and shall be accompanied by the required examination fee.

The Department shall require that every applicant for a license as a dental hygienist shall:

(1) (Blank).

(2) Be a graduate of high school or its equivalent.

(3) Present satisfactory evidence of having successfully completed 2 academic years of credit at a dental hygiene program accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association.

(4) Submit evidence that the applicant ~~he or she~~ holds a currently valid certification to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation. The Department shall adopt rules establishing criteria for certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. The rules of the Department shall provide for variances only in instances where the applicant is a person with a physical disability and therefore unable to secure such certification.

(5) (Blank).

(6) Present satisfactory evidence that the applicant has passed the National Board Dental Hygiene Examination administered by the Joint Commission on National Dental Examinations and has successfully completed an examination conducted by one of the following regional testing services: the Central Regional Dental Testing Service, Inc. (CRDTS), the Southern Regional Testing Agency, Inc. (SRTA), the Western Regional Examining Board (WREB), or the North East Regional Board (NERB). For the purposes of this Section, successful completion shall mean that the applicant has achieved a minimum passing score as determined by the applicable regional testing service. The Secretary may suspend a regional testing service under this item (6) if, after proper notice and hearing, it is established that (i) the integrity of the examination has been breached so as to make future test results unreliable or (ii) the examination is fundamentally deficient in testing clinical competency.

(Source: P.A. 99-143, eff. 7-27-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/14) (from Ch. 111, par. 2314)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 14. Examination for licensure as dental hygienists. The Department shall conduct or authorize examinations of applicants for licensure as dental hygienists at such times and places as it may determine.

The examination of applicants for licensure as dental hygienists may include both practical demonstrations and written and oral tests and shall encompass the subjects usually taught in programs of dental hygiene, approved by the Department.

If an applicant fails to pass an examination for licensure under this Act within 3 years after filing an ~~his or her~~ application, the application shall expire 3 years after the date the application was filed ~~be denied~~. The applicant, however, may thereafter make a new application for examination accompanied by the required fee and provide evidence of meeting the requirements in effect at the time of the new application.

(Source: P.A. 89-80, eff. 6-30-95; 89-116, eff. 7-7-95.)

(225 ILCS 25/16) (from Ch. 111, par. 2316)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 16. Expiration, renewal and restoration of licenses. The expiration date and renewal date for each license issued under this Act shall be set by rule. The renewal period for each license issued under this Act shall be 3 years. A dentist or dental hygienist may renew a license during the month preceding its expiration date by paying the required fee. All initial licenses issued during an open renewal period shall have the next expiration date. A dentist or dental hygienist shall provide proof of current Basic Life Support (BLS) certification intended for health care providers at the time of renewal as provided by rule. Basic Life Support certification training taken as a requirement of this Section shall be counted for no more than 4 hours during each licensure period towards the continuing education hours under Section 16.1 of this Act. The Department shall provide by rule for exemptions from this requirement for a dentist or dental hygienist with a physical disability that would preclude the dentist or dental hygienist ~~him or her~~ from performing BLS.

Any dentist or dental hygienist whose license has expired or whose license is on inactive status may have the his license restored at any time within 5 years after the expiration thereof, upon payment of the required fee and a showing of proof of compliance with current continuing education requirements, as provided by rule.

Any person whose license has been expired for more than 5 years or who has had a his license on inactive status for more than 5 years may have the his license restored by making application to the Department and filing proof acceptable to the Department of taking continuing education and of the person's his fitness to have the license restored, including sworn evidence certifying to active practice in another jurisdiction, and by paying the required restoration fee. A person practicing on an expired license is deemed to be practicing without a license. However, a holder of a license may renew the license within 90 days after its expiration by complying with the requirements for renewal and payment of an additional fee. A license renewal within 90 days after expiration shall be effective retroactively to the expiration date.

If a person whose license has expired or who has had a his license on inactive status for more than 5 years has not maintained an active practice satisfactory to the department, the Department shall determine, by an evaluation process established by rule, the person's his or her fitness to resume active status and may require the person to complete a period of evaluated clinical experience and may require successful completion of a practical examination.

However, any person whose license expired while the person he or she was (i) on active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States or called into service or training by the State militia or (ii) in training or education under the supervision of the United States preliminary to induction into the military service, may have the person's his or her license renewed, reinstated, or restored without paying any lapsed renewal or restoration fee, if within 2 years after termination of such service, training, or education other than by dishonorable discharge, the person he or she furnishes the Department with satisfactory proof that the person he or she has been so engaged and that the person's his or her service, training, or education has been so terminated.

(Source: P.A. 103-687, eff. 7-19-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/17)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 17. Acts constituting the practice of dentistry. A person practices dentistry, within the meaning of this Act:

(1) Who represents himself or herself as being able to diagnose or diagnoses, treats, prescribes, or operates for any disease, pain, deformity, deficiency, injury, or physical condition of the human tooth, teeth, alveolar process, gums, or jaw; or

(2) Who is a manager, proprietor, operator, or conductor of a business where dental operations are performed; or

(3) Who performs dental operations of any kind; or

(4) Who uses an X-Ray machine or X-Ray films for dental diagnostic purposes; or

(5) Who extracts a human tooth or teeth, or corrects or attempts to correct malpositions of the human teeth or jaws; or

(6) Who offers or undertakes, by any means or method, to diagnose, treat, or remove stains, calculus, and bonding materials from human teeth or jaws; or

(7) Who uses or administers local or general anesthetics in the treatment of dental or oral diseases or in any preparation incident to a dental operation of any kind or character; or

(8) Who takes material or digital scans for final impressions of the human tooth, teeth, or jaws or performs any phase of any operation incident to the replacement of a part of a tooth, a tooth, teeth, or associated tissues by means of a filling, a crown, a bridge, a denture, or other appliance; or

(9) Who offers to furnish, supply, construct, reproduce, or repair, or who furnishes, supplies, constructs, reproduces, or repairs, prosthetic dentures, bridges, or other substitutes for natural teeth to the user or prospective user thereof; or

(10) Who instructs students on clinical matters or performs any clinical operation included in the curricula of recognized dental schools and colleges; or

(11) Who takes material or digital scans for final impressions of human teeth or places the person's his or her hands in the mouth of any person for the purpose of applying teeth whitening materials, or who takes impressions of human teeth or places the person's his or her hands in the mouth of any person for the purpose of assisting in the application of teeth whitening materials. A person does not practice dentistry when the person he or she discloses to the consumer that the person

~~he or she~~ is not licensed as a dentist under this Act and (i) discusses the use of teeth whitening materials with a consumer purchasing these materials; (ii) provides instruction on the use of teeth whitening materials with a consumer purchasing these materials; or (iii) provides appropriate equipment on-site to the consumer for the consumer to self-apply teeth whitening materials.

The fact that any person engages in or performs, or offers to engage in or perform, any of the practices, acts, or operations set forth in this Section, shall be prima facie evidence that such person is engaged in the practice of dentistry.

The following practices, acts, and operations, however, are exempt from the operation of this Act:

(a) The rendering of dental relief in emergency cases in the practice of ~~the person's~~ his or her profession by a physician or surgeon, licensed as such under the laws of this State, unless the person ~~he or she~~ undertakes to reproduce or reproduces lost parts of the human teeth in the mouth or to restore or replace lost or missing teeth in the mouth; or

(b) The practice of dentistry in the discharge of their official duties by dentists in any branch of the Armed Services of the United States, the United States Public Health Service, or the United States Veterans Administration; or

(c) The practice of dentistry by students in their course of study in dental schools or colleges approved by the Department, when acting under the direction and supervision of dentists acting as instructors; or

(d) The practice of dentistry by clinical instructors in the course of their teaching duties in dental schools or colleges approved by the Department:

(i) when acting under the direction and supervision of dentists, provided that such clinical instructors have instructed continuously in this State since January 1, 1986; or

(ii) when holding the rank of full professor at such approved dental school or college and possessing a current valid license or authorization to practice dentistry in another country; or

(e) The practice of dentistry by licensed dentists of other states or countries at meetings of the Illinois State Dental Society or component parts thereof, alumni meetings of dental colleges, or any other like dental organizations, while appearing as clinicians; or

(f) The use of X-Ray machines for exposing X-Ray films of dental or oral tissues by dental hygienists or dental assistants; or

(g) The performance of any dental service by a dental assistant, if such service is performed under the supervision and full responsibility of a dentist. In addition, after being authorized by a dentist, a dental assistant may, for the purpose of eliminating pain or discomfort, remove loose, broken, or irritating orthodontic appliances on a patient of record.

For purposes of this paragraph (g), "dental service" is defined to mean any intraoral procedure or act which shall be prescribed by rule or regulation of the Department. "Dental service", however, shall not include:

(1) Any and all diagnosis of or prescription for treatment of disease, pain, deformity, deficiency, injury, or physical condition of the human teeth or jaws, or adjacent structures.

(2) Removal of, restoration of, or addition to the hard or soft tissues of the oral cavity, except for the placing, carving, and finishing of amalgam restorations and placing, packing, and finishing composite restorations by dental assistants who have had additional formal education and certification.

A dental assistant may place, carve, and finish amalgam restorations, place, pack, and finish composite restorations, and place interim restorations if the dental assistant ~~he or she~~ (A) has successfully completed a structured training program as described in item (2) of subsection (g) provided by an educational institution accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation, such as a dental school or dental hygiene or dental assistant program, or (B) has at least 4,000 hours of direct clinical patient care experience and has successfully completed a structured training program as described in item (2) of subsection (g) provided by a statewide dental association, approved by the Department to provide continuing education, that has developed and conducted training programs for expanded functions for dental assistants or hygienists. The training program must: (i) include a minimum of 16 hours of didactic study and 14 hours of clinical manikin instruction; all training programs shall include areas of study in nomenclature, caries classifications, oral anatomy, periodontium, basic occlusion, instrumentations, pulp protection liners and bases, dental materials, matrix and wedge techniques, amalgam placement and carving, rubber dam clamp placement, and rubber dam

placement and removal; (ii) include an outcome assessment examination that demonstrates competency; (iii) require the supervising dentist to observe and approve the completion of 8 amalgam or composite restorations; and (iv) issue a certificate of completion of the training program, which must be kept on file at the dental office and be made available to the Department upon request. A dental assistant must have successfully completed an approved coronal polishing and dental sealant course prior to taking the amalgam and composite restoration course.

A dentist utilizing dental assistants shall not supervise more than 4 dental assistants at any one time for placing, carving, and finishing of amalgam restorations or for placing, packing, and finishing composite restorations.

(3) Any and all correction of malformation of teeth or of the jaws.

(4) Administration of anesthetics, except for monitoring of nitrous oxide, moderate sedation, deep sedation, and general anesthetic as provided in Section 8.1 of this Act, that may be performed only after successful completion of a training program approved by the Department. A dentist utilizing dental assistants shall not supervise more than 4 dental assistants at any one time for the monitoring of nitrous oxide.

(5) Removal of calculus from human teeth.

(6) Taking of material or digital scans for final impressions for the fabrication of prosthetic appliances, crowns, bridges, inlays, onlays, or other restorative or replacement dentistry.

(7) The operative procedure of dental hygiene consisting of oral prophylactic procedures, except for coronal polishing and pit and fissure sealants, which may be performed by a dental assistant who has successfully completed a training program approved by the Department. Dental assistants may perform coronal polishing under the following circumstances: (i) the coronal polishing shall be limited to polishing the clinical crown of the tooth and existing restorations, supragingivally; (ii) the dental assistant performing the coronal polishing shall be limited to the use of rotary instruments using a rubber cup or brush polishing method (air polishing is not permitted); and (iii) the supervising dentist shall not supervise more than 4 dental assistants at any one time for the task of coronal polishing or pit and fissure sealants.

In addition to coronal polishing and pit and fissure sealants as described in this item (7), a dental assistant who has at least 2,000 hours of direct clinical patient care experience and who has successfully completed a structured training program provided by (1) an educational institution including, but not limited to, a dental school or dental hygiene or dental assistant program, (2) a continuing education provider approved by the Department, or (3) a statewide dental or dental hygienist association that has developed and conducted a training program for expanded functions for dental assistants or hygienists may perform: (A) coronal scaling above the gum line, supragingivally, on the clinical crown of the tooth only on patients 17 years of age or younger who have an absence of periodontal disease and who are not medically compromised or individuals with special needs and (B) intracoronar temporization of a tooth. The training program must: (I) include a minimum of 32 hours of instruction in both didactic and clinical manikin or human subject instruction; all training programs shall include areas of study in dental anatomy, public health dentistry, medical history, dental emergencies, and managing the pediatric patient; (II) include an outcome assessment examination that demonstrates competency; (III) require the supervising dentist to observe and approve the completion of 6 full mouth supragingival scaling procedures unless the training was received as part of a Commission on Dental Accreditation approved dental assistant program; and (IV) issue a certificate of completion of the training program, which must be kept on file at the dental office and be made available to the Department upon request. A dental assistant must have successfully completed an approved coronal polishing course prior to taking the coronal scaling course. A dental assistant performing these functions shall be limited to the use of hand instruments only. In addition, coronal scaling as described in this paragraph shall only be utilized on patients who are eligible for Medicaid, who are uninsured, or whose household income is not greater than 300% of the federal poverty level. A dentist may not supervise more than 2 dental assistants at any one time for the task of coronal scaling. ~~This paragraph is inoperative on and after January 1, 2026.~~

The limitations on the number of dental assistants a dentist may supervise contained in items (2), (4), and (7) of this paragraph (g) mean a limit of 4 total dental assistants or dental hygienists doing expanded functions covered by these Sections being supervised by one dentist; or

(h) The practice of dentistry by an individual who:

(i) has applied in writing to the Department, in form and substance satisfactory to the Department, for a general dental license and has complied with all provisions of Section 9 of this Act, except for the passage of the examination specified in subsection (c) of Section 9 of this Act; or

(ii) has applied in writing to the Department, in form and substance satisfactory to the Department, for a temporary dental license and has complied with all provisions of subsection (c) of Section 11 of this Act; and

(iii) has been accepted or appointed for specialty or residency training by a hospital situated in this State; or

(iv) has been accepted or appointed for specialty training in an approved dental program situated in this State; or

(v) has been accepted or appointed for specialty training in a dental public health agency situated in this State.

The applicant shall be permitted to practice dentistry for a period of 3 months from the starting date of the program, unless authorized in writing by the Department to continue such practice for a period specified in writing by the Department.

The applicant shall only be entitled to perform such acts as may be prescribed by and incidental to the applicant's ~~his or her~~ program of residency or specialty training and shall not otherwise engage in the practice of dentistry in this State.

The authority to practice shall terminate immediately upon:

(1) the decision of the Department that the applicant has failed the examination; or

(2) denial of licensure by the Department; or

(3) withdrawal of the application.

(Source: P.A. 102-558, eff. 8-20-21; 102-936, eff. 1-1-23; 103-425, eff. 1-1-24; 103-431, eff. 1-1-24; 103-605, eff. 7-1-24; 103-628, eff. 7-1-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/18) (from Ch. 111, par. 2318)

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Sec. 18. Acts constituting the practice of dental hygiene; limitations.

(a) A person practices dental hygiene within the meaning of this Act when the person ~~he or she~~ performs the following acts under the supervision of a dentist:

(i) the operative procedure of dental hygiene, consisting of oral prophylactic procedures;

(ii) the exposure and processing of X-Ray films of the teeth and surrounding structures;

(iii) the application to the surfaces of the teeth or gums of chemical compounds designed to be desensitizing agents or effective agents in the prevention of dental caries or periodontal disease;

(iv) all services which may be performed by a dental assistant as specified by rule pursuant to Section 17, and a dental hygienist may engage in the placing, carving, and finishing of amalgam restorations only after obtaining formal education and certification as determined by the Department;

(v) administration and monitoring of nitrous oxide upon successful completion of a training program approved by the Department;

(vi) administration of local anesthetics upon successful completion of a training program approved by the Department; and

(vii) such other procedures and acts as shall be prescribed by rule or regulation of the Department.

(b) A dental hygienist may be employed or engaged only:

(1) by a dentist;

(2) by a federal, State, county, or municipal agency or institution;

(3) by a public or private school; or

(4) by a public clinic operating under the direction of a hospital or federal, State, county, municipal, or other public agency or institution.

(c) When employed or engaged in the office of a dentist, a dental hygienist may perform, under general supervision, those procedures found in items (i) through (iv) of subsection (a) of this Section, provided the patient has been examined by the dentist within one year of the provision of dental hygiene

services, the dentist has approved the dental hygiene services by a notation in the patient's record and the patient has been notified that the dentist may be out of the office during the provision of dental hygiene services.

(d) If a patient of record is unable to travel to a dental office because of illness, infirmity, or imprisonment, a dental hygienist may perform, under the general supervision of a dentist, those procedures found in items (i) through (iv) of subsection (a) of this Section, provided the patient is located in a long-term care facility licensed by the State of Illinois, a mental health or developmental disability facility, or a State or federal prison. The dentist shall either personally examine and diagnose the patient or utilize approved teledentistry communication methods and determine which services are necessary to be performed, which shall be contained in an order to the hygienist and a notation in the patient's record. Such order must be implemented within 45 days of its issuance, and an updated medical history and observation of oral conditions must be performed by the hygienist immediately prior to beginning the procedures to ensure that the patient's health has not changed in any manner to warrant a reexamination by the dentist.

(e) School-based oral health care, consisting of and limited to oral prophylactic procedures, sealants, and fluoride treatments, may be provided by a dental hygienist under the general supervision of a dentist. A dental hygienist may not provide other dental hygiene treatment in a school-based setting, including but not limited to administration or monitoring of nitrous oxide or administration of local anesthetics. The school-based procedures may be performed provided the patient is located at a public or private school and the program is being conducted by a State, county or local public health department initiative or in conjunction with a dental school or dental hygiene program. The dentist shall personally examine and diagnose the patient and determine which services are necessary to be performed, which shall be contained in an order to the hygienist and a notation in the patient's record. Any such order for sealants must be implemented within 120 days after its issuance. Any such order for oral prophylactic procedures or fluoride treatments must be implemented within 180 days after its issuance. An updated medical history and observation of oral conditions must be performed by the hygienist immediately prior to beginning the procedures to ensure that the patient's health has not changed in any manner to warrant a reexamination by the dentist.

(f) Without the supervision of a dentist, a dental hygienist may perform dental health education functions, including instruction in proper oral health care and dental hygiene in, for example, a school setting, a long-term care facility, and a health fair. In addition, a dental hygienist may record case histories and oral conditions observed at any time prior to a clinical exam by a dentist.

(g) The number of dental hygienists practicing in a dental office shall not exceed, at any one time, 4 times the number of dentists practicing in the office at the time.

(h) A dental hygienist who is certified as a public health dental hygienist may provide services to patients: (1) who are eligible for Medicaid or (2) who are uninsured and whose household income is not greater than 300% of the federal poverty level. A public health dental hygienist may perform oral assessments, perform screenings, and provide educational and preventative services as provided in subsection (b) of Section 18.1 of this Act. The public health dental hygienist may not administer local anesthesia or nitrous oxide, or place, carve, or finish amalgam restorations or provide periodontal therapy under this exception. Each patient must sign a consent form that acknowledges that the care received does not take the place of a regular dental examination. The public health dental hygienist must provide the patient or guardian a written referral to a dentist for assessment of the need for further dental care at the time of treatment. Any indication or observation of a condition that could warrant the need for urgent attention must be reported immediately to the supervising dentist for appropriate assessment and treatment.

~~This subsection (h) is inoperative on and after January 1, 2026.~~

(i) A dental hygienist performing procedures listed in paragraphs (1) through (4) of subsection (a) of Section 17.1 must be under the supervision of a dentist, requiring the dentist authorizes the procedure, remains in the dental facility while the procedure is performed, and approves the work performed by the dental hygienist before dismissal of the patient, but the dentist is not required to be present at all times in the treatment room.

(j) A dental hygienist may perform actions described in paragraph (5) of subsection (a) of Section 17.1 under the general supervision of a dentist as described in this Section.

(Source: P.A. 102-936, eff. 1-1-23; 103-431, eff. 1-1-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/18.1)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 18.1. Public health dental supervision responsibilities.

(a) When working together in a public health supervision relationship, dentists and public health dental hygienists shall enter into a public health supervision agreement. The dentist providing public health supervision must:

(1) be available to provide an appropriate level of contact, communication, collaboration, and consultation with the public health dental hygienist and must meet in-person with the public health dental hygienist at least quarterly for review and consultation;

(2) have specific standing orders or policy guidelines for procedures that are to be carried out for each location or program, although the dentist need not be present when the procedures are being performed;

(3) provide for the patient's additional necessary care in consultation with the public health dental hygienist;

(4) file agreements and notifications as required; and

(5) include procedures for creating and maintaining dental records, including protocols for transmission of all records between the public health dental hygienist and the dentist following each treatment, which shall include a notation regarding procedures authorized by the dentist and performed by the public health dental hygienist and the location where those records are to be kept.

Each dentist and hygienist who enters into a public health supervision agreement must document and maintain a copy of any change or termination of that agreement.

Dental records shall be owned and maintained by the supervising dentist for all patients treated under public health supervision, unless the supervising dentist is an employee of a public health clinic or federally qualified health center, in which case the public health clinic or federally qualified health center shall maintain the records.

If a dentist ceases to be employed or contracted by the facility, the dentist shall notify the facility administrator that the public health supervision agreement is no longer in effect. A new public health supervision agreement is required for the public health dental hygienist to continue treating patients under public health supervision.

A dentist entering into an agreement under this Section may supervise and enter into agreements for public health supervision with 4 public health dental hygienists. This shall be in addition to the limit of 4 dental hygienists per dentist set forth in subsection (g) of Section 18 of this Act.

(b) A public health dental hygienist providing services under public health supervision may perform only those duties within the accepted scope of practice of dental hygiene, as follows:

(1) the operative procedures of dental hygiene, consisting of oral prophylactic procedures, including prophylactic cleanings, application of fluoride, and placement of sealants;

(2) the exposure and processing of x-ray films of the teeth and surrounding structures; and

(3) such other procedures and acts as shall be prescribed by rule of the Department.

Any patient treated under this subsection (b) must be examined by a dentist before additional services can be provided by a public health dental hygienist. However, if the supervising dentist, after consultation with the public health hygienist, determines that time is needed to complete an approved treatment plan on a patient eligible under this Section, then the dentist may instruct the hygienist to complete the remaining services prior to an oral examination by the dentist. Such instruction by the dentist to the hygienist shall be noted in the patient's records. Any services performed under this exception must be scheduled in a timely manner and shall not occur more than 30 days after the first appointment date.

(c) A public health dental hygienist providing services under public health supervision must:

(1) provide to the patient, parent, or guardian a written plan for referral or an agreement for follow-up that records all conditions observed that should be called to the attention of a dentist for proper diagnosis;

(2) have each patient sign a permission slip or consent form that informs them that the service to be received does not take the place of regular dental checkups at a dental office and is meant for people who otherwise would not have access to the service;

(3) inform each patient who may require further dental services of that need;

(4) maintain an appropriate level of contact and communication with the dentist providing public health supervision; and

(5) complete an additional 4 hours of continuing education in areas specific to public health dentistry yearly.

(d) Each public health dental hygienist who has rendered services under subsections (c), (d), and (e) of this Section must complete a summary report at the completion of a program or, in the case of an ongoing

program, at least annually. The report must be completed in the manner specified by the Department of Public Health Oral Health Section including information about each location where the public health dental hygienist has rendered these services. The public health dental hygienist must submit the form to the dentist providing supervision for the dentist's ~~his or her~~ signature before sending it to the Division. The Department of Public Health Oral Health Section shall compile and publicize public health dental hygienist service data annually.

(e) Public health dental hygienists providing services under public health supervision may be compensated for their work by salary, honoraria, and other mechanisms by the employing or sponsoring entity. Nothing in this Act shall preclude the entity that employs or sponsors a public health dental hygienist from seeking payment, reimbursement, or other source of funding for the services provided.

(e-5) A patient who is provided services under a supervision agreement by a public health dental hygienist as described in this Section does not need to receive a physical examination from a dentist prior to treatment if the public health dental hygienist consults with the supervising dentist prior to performing the teledentistry service.

~~(f) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.~~

(Source: P.A. 103-431, eff. 1-1-24; 103-902, eff. 8-9-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/19) (from Ch. 111, par. 2319)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 19. ~~Endorsement Licensing applicants from other states.~~ Any person who has been lawfully licensed to practice dentistry, including the practice of a licensed dental specialty, or dental hygiene in another state or territory or as a member of the military service which has and maintains a standard for the practice of dentistry, a dental specialty, or dental hygiene at least equal to that now maintained in this State, or if the requirements for licensure in such state or territory in which the applicant was licensed were, at the date of the applicant's his or her licensure, substantially equivalent to the requirements then in force in this State, and who has been lawfully engaged in the practice of dentistry or dental hygiene for at least 2 years immediately preceding the filing of the his or her application to practice in this State and who shall deposit with the Department a duly attested certificate from the Board of the state or territory in which the person he or she is licensed, certifying to the fact of the person's his or her licensing and of the person his or her being a person of good moral character may, upon payment of the required fee, be granted a license to practice dentistry, a dental specialty, or dental hygiene in this State, as the case may be.

For the purposes of this Section, "substantially equivalent" means that the applicant has presented evidence of completion and graduation from an American Dental Association accredited dental college or school in the United States or Canada, presented evidence that the applicant has passed both parts of the National Board Dental Examination, and successfully completed an examination conducted by a regional testing service.

Applicants have 3 years from the date of application to complete the application process. If the process has not been completed in 3 years, the application shall expire 3 years after the date of submission of the application be denied, the fee shall be forfeited, and the applicant must reapply and meet the requirements in effect at the time of reapplication.

(Source: P.A. 103-425, eff. 1-1-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/19.2)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 19.2. Temporary permit for free dental care.

(a) Upon Board recommendation, the Department may issue a temporary permit authorizing the practice in this State, without compensation, of dentistry to an applicant who is licensed to practice dentistry in another state, if all of the following apply:

(1) the Department determines that the applicant's services will improve the welfare of Illinois residents who are eligible for Medicaid or who are uninsured and whose household income is not greater than 200% of the federal poverty level;

(2) the applicant has graduated from a dental program approved by the American Dental Association's Commission on Dental Accreditation and maintains an equivalent authorization to practice dentistry in good standing in the applicant's his or her native licensing jurisdiction during the period of the temporary visiting dentist permit and can furnish the Department a certified letter upon request from that jurisdiction attesting to the fact that the applicant has no pending action or violations against the applicant's his or her license;

(3) the applicant has received an invitation to perform dental care by a charitable organization or has received an invitation to study or receive training on specific dental or clinical subjects or techniques by a licensed continuing education sponsor who is approved by the Department to provide clinical training in the State of Illinois on patients for the welfare of Illinois residents pursuant to subsection (a-5) and is in compliance with the provisions of this Act;

(4) the applicant will be working pursuant to a collaborative agreement with and under the direct supervision of an Illinois licensed dentist, who is in good standing, during the duration of the program. The supervising dentist must be physically present during all clinical training courses; and

(5) payment of a fee established by rule.

The Department may adopt rules to implement this subsection.

(a-5) Upon Board recommendation, after the filing of an application, the Department may allow approved continuing education sponsors to be licensed to provide live patient continuing education clinical training courses if the following requirements are met:

(1) the continuing education course provides services, without compensation, that will improve the welfare of Illinois residents as described in paragraph (1) of subsection (a). The application to the Board must include the following information for review and approval by the Department:

(i) a plan of follow-up care and training models;

(ii) any and all documentation to be signed by the patients, including, but not limited to, waivers, consent forms, and releases;

(iii) information related to the facilities being utilized, staffing plans, and emergency plans;

(iv) the process by which patients will be contacted before, during, and after treatment;

(v) the intended population that will be receiving treatment; and

(vi) proof of valid malpractice insurance for the approved continuing education sponsor that extends coverage to clinical staff, trainees, and out-of-state permit holders that meet the requirements of subsection (a);

(2) a valid written collaborative agreement must exist between the temporary visiting dentist and the Illinois licensed dentist co-treating patients under this Section. The collaborative agreement must include a description of the care to be provided and procedures to be performed by the temporary visiting dentist. There shall be no more than 5 trainees per supervising dentist. A copy of this agreement shall become part of the patient's dental record and shall be made available upon request to the Department; and

(3) payment of a fee established by rule.

A continuing education sponsor license issued under this Section shall be valid for a period of time as provided by rule.

The Department shall adopt rules to implement this subsection.

(b) (Blank).

(c) A temporary permit shall be valid for no longer than 5 consecutive clinical days within 6 months from the date of issuance. The temporary permit may be issued once per year to a visiting dentist. Temporary permits under subsection (a) may be restored no more than one time within 5 years of the initial permits issuance. The Department may require an applicant to pay a fee for the issuance or restoration of a permit under this Section.

(d) (Blank).

(e) The temporary permit shall only permit the holder to practice dentistry within the scope of the dental studies and in conjunction with one of the following:

(1) the charitable organization; or

(2) a continuing education program provided by a continuing education sponsor approved by the Department pursuant to this Section that the permit holder is attending.

(f) The temporary visiting dentist may not administer moderate sedation, deep sedation, or general anesthesia.

(g) A patient who seeks treatment from a temporary visiting dentist must sign a consent form acknowledging that the care the patient will receive will be provided by a dentist not licensed in the State of Illinois and that the Illinois licensed dentist who has the collaborative agreement with the temporary visiting dentist will be responsible for all the follow-up care associated with the treatment rendered to the patient.

(h) An application for the temporary permit shall be made to the Department in writing on forms prescribed by the Department and shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable fee established by rule.

(i) An applicant for a temporary permit may be requested to appear before the Board to respond to questions concerning the applicant's qualifications to receive the permit. An applicant's refusal to appear before the Board may be grounds for denial of the application by the Department.

(j) The Secretary may summarily cancel any permit or license issued pursuant to this Section without a hearing if the Secretary finds that evidence in the Secretary's his or her possession indicates that a continuing education sponsor licensed under this Section or a temporary permit holder's continuation in practice would constitute an imminent danger to the public or violate any provision of this Act or its rules. If the Secretary summarily cancels a permit or license issued pursuant to this Section, the permit holder or licensee may petition the Department for a hearing in accordance with the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 26 of this Act to reinstate the his or her permit or license.

(k) In addition to terminating any permit or license issued pursuant to this Section, the Department may impose a monetary penalty not to exceed \$10,000 upon the temporary permit holder or licensee and may notify any state in which the temporary permit holder or licensee has been issued a license that the his or her Illinois permit or license has been terminated and the reasons for the termination. The monetary penalty shall be paid within 60 days after the effective date of the order imposing the penalty. The order shall constitute a judgment and may be filed and execution had thereon in the same manner as any judgment from any court of record. It is the intent of the General Assembly that a permit or license issued pursuant to this Section shall be considered a privilege and not a property right.

(Source: P.A. 102-582, eff. 1-1-22; 103-628, eff. 7-1-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/20) (from Ch. 111, par. 2320)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 20. Display of licenses. Any person licensed to practice dentistry or dental hygiene in this State by the Department as hereinbefore provided, shall at all times display such license or duplicate original thereof in a conspicuous place, in the person's his or her office wherein the person he or she shall practice such profession, and shall further, whenever requested, exhibit such license to any of the members of the Department or its authorized agent. Upon proof by affidavit, the Department shall provide a duplicate if such person establishes that the person's his or her license is lost or stolen or that the person he or she practices at multiple locations.

(Source: P.A. 89-80, eff. 6-30-95; 89-116, eff. 7-7-95.)

(225 ILCS 25/22) (from Ch. 111, par. 2322)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 22. Returned checks; penalties. Any person who delivers a check or other payment to the Department that is returned to the Department unpaid by the financial institution upon which it is drawn shall pay to the Department, in addition to the amount already owed to the Department, a fine of \$50. The fines imposed by this Section are in addition to any other discipline provided under this Act for unlicensed practice or practice on a nonrenewed license. The Department shall notify the person that payment of fees and fines shall be paid to the Department by certified check or money order within 30 calendar days of the notification. If, after the expiration of 30 days from the date of the notification, the person has failed to submit the necessary remittance, the Department shall automatically terminate the license or deny the application, without hearing. If, after termination or denial, the person seeks a license, the person he or she shall apply to the Department for restoration or issuance of the license and pay all fees and fines due to the Department. The Department may establish a fee for the processing of an application for restoration of a license to pay all expenses of processing this application. The Secretary may waive the fines due under this Section in individual cases where the Secretary finds that the fines would be unreasonable or unnecessarily burdensome.

(Source: P.A. 97-1013, eff. 8-17-12.)

(225 ILCS 25/23) (from Ch. 111, par. 2323)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 23. Refusal, revocation or suspension of dental licenses. The Department may refuse to issue or renew, or may revoke, suspend, place on probation, reprimand or take other disciplinary or non-disciplinary action as the Department may deem proper, including imposing fines not to exceed \$10,000 per violation, with regard to any license for any one or any combination of the following causes:

1. Fraud, ~~or~~ misrepresentation, or concealment in applying for or procuring a license under this Act, or in connection with applying for renewal of a license under this Act.

2. Inability to practice with reasonable judgment, skill, or safety as a result of habitual or excessive use or addiction to alcohol, narcotics, stimulants, or any other chemical agent or drug.

3. Willful or repeated violations of the rules of the Department of Public Health or Department of Nuclear Safety.

4. Acceptance of a fee for service as a witness, without the knowledge of the court, in addition to the fee allowed by the court.

5. Division of fees or agreeing to split or divide the fees received for dental services with any person for bringing or referring a patient, except in regard to referral services as provided for under Section 45, or assisting in the care or treatment of a patient, without the knowledge of the patient or the patient's ~~his or her~~ legal representative. Nothing in this item 5 affects any bona fide independent contractor or employment arrangements among health care professionals, health facilities, health care providers, or other entities, except as otherwise prohibited by law. Any employment arrangements may include provisions for compensation, health insurance, pension, or other employment benefits for the provision of services within the scope of the licensee's practice under this Act. Nothing in this item 5 shall be construed to require an employment arrangement to receive professional fees for services rendered.

6. Employing, procuring, inducing, aiding or abetting a person not licensed or registered as a dentist or dental hygienist to engage in the practice of dentistry or dental hygiene. The person practiced upon is not an accomplice, employer, procurer, inducer, aider, or abetter within the meaning of this Act.

7. Making any misrepresentations or false promises, directly or indirectly, to influence, persuade or induce dental patronage.

8. Professional connection or association with or lending the licensee's ~~his or her~~ name to another for the illegal practice of dentistry by another, or professional connection or association with any person, firm or corporation holding himself, herself, themselves, or itself out in any manner contrary to this Act.

9. Obtaining or seeking to obtain practice, money, or any other things of value by false or fraudulent representations, but not limited to, engaging in such fraudulent practice to defraud the medical assistance program of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (formerly Department of Public Aid) under the Illinois Public Aid Code.

10. Practicing under a false or, except as provided by law, an assumed name.

11. Engaging in dishonorable, unethical, or unprofessional conduct of a character likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public.

12. Conviction by plea of guilty or nolo contendere, finding of guilt, jury verdict, or entry of judgment or by sentencing for any crime, including, but not limited to, convictions, preceding sentences of supervision, conditional discharge, or first offender probation, under the laws of any jurisdiction of the United States that (i) is a felony under the laws of this State or (ii) is a misdemeanor, an essential element of which is dishonesty, or that is directly related to the practice of dentistry.

13. Permitting a dental hygienist, dental assistant or other person under the licensee's ~~his or her~~ supervision to perform any operation not authorized by this Act.

14. Permitting more than 4 dental hygienists to be employed under the licensee's ~~his or her~~ supervision at any one time.

15. A violation of any provision of this Act or any rules promulgated under this Act.

16. Taking impressions for or using the services of any person, firm or corporation violating this Act.

17. Violating any provision of Section 45 relating to advertising.

18. Discipline by another U.S. jurisdiction or foreign nation, if at least one of the grounds for the discipline is the same or substantially equivalent to those set forth within this Act.

19. Willfully failing to report an instance of suspected child abuse or neglect as required by the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act.

20. Gross negligence in practice under this Act.

21. The use or prescription for use of narcotics or controlled substances or designated products as listed in the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, in any way other than for therapeutic purposes.

22. Willfully making or filing false records or reports in the licensee's ~~his or her~~ practice as a dentist, including, but not limited to, false records to support claims against the dental assistance program of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (formerly Illinois Department of Public Aid).

23. Professional incompetence as manifested by poor standards of care.

24. Physical or mental illness, including, but not limited to, deterioration through the aging process, or loss of motor skills which results in a dentist's inability to practice dentistry with reasonable judgment, skill or safety. In enforcing this paragraph, the Department may compel a person licensed to practice under this Act to submit to a mental or physical examination pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 23b.

25. Gross or repeated irregularities in billing for services rendered to a patient. For purposes of this paragraph 25, "irregularities in billing" shall include:

(a) Reporting excessive charges for the purpose of obtaining a total payment in excess of that usually received by the dentist for the services rendered.

(b) Reporting charges for services not rendered.

(c) Incorrectly reporting services rendered for the purpose of obtaining payment not earned.

26. Continuing the active practice of dentistry while knowingly having any infectious, communicable, or contagious disease proscribed by rule or regulation of the Department.

27. Being named as a perpetrator in an indicated report by the Department of Children and Family Services pursuant to the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act, and upon proof by clear and convincing evidence that the licensee has caused a child to be an abused child or neglected child as defined in the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act.

28. Violating the Health Care Worker Self-Referral Act.

29. Abandonment of a patient.

30. Mental incompetency as declared by a court of competent jurisdiction.

31. A finding by the Department that the licensee, after having the licensee's ~~his or her~~ license placed on probationary status, has violated the terms of probation.

32. Material misstatement in furnishing information to the Department.

33. Failing, within 60 days, to provide information in response to a written request by the Department in the course of an investigation.

34. Immoral conduct in the commission of any act, including, but not limited to, commission of an act of sexual misconduct related to the licensee's practice.

35. Cheating on or attempting to subvert the licensing examination administered under this Act.

36. A pattern of practice or other behavior that demonstrates incapacity or incompetence to practice under this Act.

37. Failure to establish and maintain records of patient care and treatment as required under this Act.

38. Failure to provide copies of dental records as required by law.

39. Failure of a licensed dentist who owns or is employed at a dental office to give notice of an office closure to the dentist's ~~his or her~~ patients at least 30 days prior to the office closure pursuant to Section 50.1.

40. Failure to maintain a sanitary work environment.

41. Failure to comply with the provisions of Section 17.2 of this Act.

All proceedings to suspend, revoke, place on probationary status, or take any other disciplinary action as the Department may deem proper, with regard to a license on any of the foregoing grounds, must be commenced within 5 years after receipt by the Department of a complaint alleging the commission of or notice of the conviction order for any of the acts described herein. Except for fraud in procuring a license, no action shall be commenced more than 7 years after the date of the incident or act alleged to have violated this Section. The time during which the holder of the license was outside the State of Illinois shall not be included within any period of time limiting the commencement of disciplinary action by the Department.

All fines imposed under this Section shall be paid within 60 days after the effective date of the order imposing the fine or in accordance with the terms set forth in the order imposing the fine.

The Department may refuse to issue or may suspend the license of any person who fails to file a return, or to pay the tax, penalty or interest shown in a filed return, or to pay any final assessment of tax, penalty or interest, as required by any tax Act administered by the Illinois Department of Revenue, until such time as the requirements of any such tax Act are satisfied.

Any dentist who has had a his or her ~~his or her~~ license suspended or revoked for more than 5 years must comply with the requirements for restoration set forth in Section 16 prior to being eligible for reinstatement from the suspension or revocation.

(Source: P.A. 103-425, eff. 1-1-24; 103-902, eff. 8-9-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/23a) (from Ch. 111, par. 2323a)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 23a. The Secretary may, upon receipt of a written communication from the Secretary of Human Services or the Director of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (formerly Department of Public Aid) or Department of Public Health, that continuation of practice of a person licensed under this Act constitutes an immediate danger to the public, immediately suspend the license of such person without a hearing. In instances in which the Secretary immediately suspends a license under this Section, a hearing upon such person's license must be convened by the Board within 15 days after such suspension and completed without appreciable delay, such hearing held to determine whether to recommend to the Secretary that the person's license be revoked, suspended, placed on probationary status or reinstated, or such person be subject to other disciplinary action. In such hearing, the written communication and any other evidence submitted therewith may be introduced as evidence against such person; provided however, the person, or ~~the person's~~ his or her counsel, shall have the opportunity to discredit or impeach such evidence and submit evidence rebutting same.

(Source: P.A. 97-1013, eff. 8-17-12.)

(225 ILCS 25/23b)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 23b. Requirement for mental and physical examinations under certain conditions.

(a) In enforcing paragraph 24 of Section 23 of this Act, the Department may compel any individual who is licensed to practice under this Act or who has applied for licensure under this Act, to submit to a mental or physical examination and evaluation, or both, which may include a substance abuse or sexual offender evaluation, as required by and at the expense of the Department. The Department shall specifically designate the examining physician licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches or, if applicable, the multidisciplinary team involved in providing the mental or physical examination and evaluation, or both. The multidisciplinary team shall be led by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches and may consist of one or more or a combination of physicians licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches, licensed clinical psychologists, licensed clinical social workers, licensed clinical professional counselors, and other professional and administrative staff. Any examining physician or member of the multidisciplinary team may require any person ordered to submit to an examination and evaluation pursuant to this Section to submit to any additional supplemental testing deemed necessary to complete any examination or evaluation process, including, but not limited to, blood testing, urinalysis, psychological testing, or neuropsychological testing. The Department may order the examining physician or any member of the multidisciplinary team to provide to the Department any and all records, including business records, that relate to the examination and evaluation, including any supplemental testing performed. The Department may order the examining physician or any member of the multidisciplinary team to present testimony concerning the examination and evaluation of the licensee or applicant, including testimony concerning any supplemental testing or documents relating to the examination and evaluation. No information, report, record, or other documents in any way related to the examination and evaluation shall be excluded by reason of any common law or statutory privilege relating to communications between the licensee or applicant and the examining physician or any member of the multidisciplinary team. No authorization is necessary from the licensee or applicant ordered to undergo an examination and evaluation for the examining physician or any member of the multidisciplinary team to provide information, reports, records, or other documents or to provide any testimony regarding the examination and evaluation. The individual to be examined may have, at the individual's ~~his or her~~ own expense, another physician of the individual's ~~his or her~~ choice present during all aspects of this examination. Failure of an individual to submit to a mental or physical examination and evaluation, or both, when directed shall result in the automatic suspension of the individual's ~~his or her~~ license, without hearing, until the individual submits to the examination. ~~if the Department finds, after notice and hearing, that the refusal to submit to the examination.~~

(b) If the Department finds an individual unable to practice because of the reasons set forth in paragraph 24 of Section 23, the Department may require that individual to submit to care, counseling, or treatment by physicians approved or designated by the Department as a condition, term, or restriction for continued, reinstated, or renewed licensure to practice, or in lieu of care, counseling, or treatment, the Department may file a complaint to immediately suspend, revoke, or otherwise discipline the license of the individual. An individual whose license was granted, continued, reinstated, renewed, disciplined, or

supervised subject to such terms, conditions, or restrictions, and who fails to comply with such terms, conditions, or restrictions, shall be referred to the Secretary for a determination as to whether the individual shall have the ~~his or her~~ license suspended immediately, pending a hearing by the Department.

(Source: P.A. 97-1013, eff. 8-17-12.)

(225 ILCS 25/24) (from Ch. 111, par. 2324)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 24. Refusal, suspension or revocation of dental hygienist license. The Department may refuse to issue or renew or may revoke, suspend, place on probation, reprimand or take other disciplinary or non-disciplinary action as the Department may deem proper, including imposing fines not to exceed \$10,000 per violation, with regard to any dental hygienist license for any one or any combination of the following causes:

1. Fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license under this Act, or in connection with applying for renewal of a license under this Act.

2. Performing any operation not authorized by this Act.

3. Practicing dental hygiene other than under the supervision of a licensed dentist as provided by this Act.

4. The ~~willful~~ ~~willful~~ violation of, or the ~~willful~~ ~~willful~~ procuring of, or knowingly assisting in the violation of, any Act which is now or which hereafter may be in force in this State relating to the use of habit-forming drugs.

5. The obtaining of, or an attempt to obtain a license, or practice in the profession, or money, or any other thing of value by fraudulent representation.

6. Gross negligence in performing the operative procedure of dental hygiene.

7. Active practice of dental hygiene while knowingly having any infectious, communicable, or contagious disease proscribed by rule or regulation of the Department.

8. Inability to practice with reasonable judgment, skill, or safety as a result of habitual or excessive use or addiction to alcohol, narcotics, stimulants, or any other chemical agent or drug.

9. Conviction by plea of guilty or nolo contendere, finding of guilt, jury verdict, or entry of judgment or by sentencing of any crime, including, but not limited to, convictions, preceding sentences of supervision, conditional discharge, or first offender probation, under the laws of any jurisdiction of the United States that (i) is a felony or (ii) is a misdemeanor, an essential element of which is dishonesty, or that is directly related to the practice of dental hygiene.

10. Aiding or abetting the unlicensed practice of dentistry or dental hygiene.

11. Discipline by another U.S. jurisdiction or a foreign nation, if at least one of the grounds for the discipline is the same or substantially equivalent to those set forth in this Act.

12. Violating the Health Care Worker Self-Referral Act.

13. Violating the prohibitions of Section 38.1 of this Act.

14. Engaging in dishonorable, unethical, or unprofessional conduct of a character likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public.

15. A finding by the Department that the licensee, after having the licensee's ~~his or her~~ license placed on probationary status, has violated the terms of probation.

16. Material misstatement in furnishing information to the Department.

17. Failing, within 60 days, to provide information in response to a written request by the Department in the course of an investigation.

18. Immoral conduct in the commission of any act, including, but not limited to, commission of an act of sexual misconduct related to the licensee's practice.

19. Cheating on or attempting to subvert the licensing examination administered under this Act.

20. Violations of this Act or of the rules promulgated under this Act.

21. Practicing under a false or, except as provided by law, an assumed name.

The provisions of this Act relating to proceedings for the suspension and revocation of a license to practice dentistry shall apply to proceedings for the suspension or revocation of a license as a dental hygienist.

All proceedings to suspend, revoke, place on probationary status, or take any other disciplinary action as the Department may deem proper with regard to a license on any of the grounds contained in this Section, must be commenced within 5 years after receipt by the Department of a complaint alleging the commission of or notice of the conviction order for any of the acts described in this Section. Except for fraud in procuring a license, no action shall be commenced more than 7 years after the date of the incident or act

alleged to have violated this Section. The time during which the holder of the license was outside the State of Illinois shall not be included within any period of time limiting the commencement of disciplinary action by the Department.

All fines imposed under this Section shall be paid within 60 days after the effective date of the order imposing the fine or in accordance with the terms set forth in the order imposing the fine.

Any dental hygienist who has had a ~~his or her~~ license suspended or revoked for more than 5 years must comply with the requirements for restoration set forth in Section 16 prior to being eligible for reinstatement from the suspension or revocation.

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/25) (from Ch. 111, par. 2325)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 25. Notice of hearing; investigations and informal conferences.

(a) Upon the motion of either the Department or the Board or upon the verified complaint in writing of any person setting forth facts which if proven would constitute grounds for refusal, suspension or revocation of license under this Act, the Board shall investigate the actions of any person, hereinafter called the respondent, who holds or represents that the person ~~he or she~~ holds a license. All such motions or complaints shall be brought to the Board.

(b) Prior to taking an in-person statement from a dentist or dental hygienist who is the subject of a complaint, the investigator shall inform the dentist or the dental hygienist in writing:

(1) that the dentist or dental hygienist is the subject of a complaint;

(2) that the dentist or dental hygienist need not immediately proceed with the interview and may seek appropriate consultation prior to consenting to the interview; and

(3) that failure of the dentist or dental hygienist to proceed with the interview shall not prohibit the Department from conducting a visual inspection of the facility.

A Department investigator's failure to comply with this subsection may not be the sole ground for dismissal of any order of the Department filed upon a finding of a violation or for dismissal of a pending investigation.

(b-5) The duly authorized dental investigators of the Department shall have the right to enter and inspect, during business hours, the business premises of a dentist licensed under this Act or of a person who holds ~~oneself himself or herself~~ out as practicing dentistry, with due consideration for patient care of the subject of the investigation, so as to inspect the physical premises and equipment and furnishings therein. This right of inspection shall not include inspection of business, medical, or personnel records located on the premises without a Department subpoena issued in accordance with Section 25.1 of this Act or Section 2105-105 of the Department of Professional Regulation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. For the purposes of this Section, "business premises" means the office or offices where the dentist conducts the practice of dentistry.

(c) If the Department concludes on the basis of a complaint or its initial investigation that there is a possible violation of the Act, the Department may:

(1) schedule a hearing pursuant to this Act; or

(2) request in writing that the dentist or dental hygienist being investigated attend an informal conference with representatives of the Department.

The request for an informal conference shall contain the nature of the alleged actions or inactions that constitute the possible violations.

A dentist or dental hygienist shall be allowed to have legal counsel at the informal conference. If the informal conference results in a consent order between the accused dentist or dental hygienist and the Department, the consent order must be approved by the Secretary. However, if the consent order would result in a fine exceeding \$10,000 or the suspension or revocation of the dentist or dental hygienist license, the consent order must be approved by the Board and the Secretary. Participation in the informal conference by a dentist, a dental hygienist, or the Department and any admissions or stipulations made by a dentist, a dental hygienist, or the Department at the informal conference, including any agreements in a consent order that is subsequently disapproved by either the Board or the Secretary, shall not be used against the dentist, dental hygienist, or Department at any subsequent hearing and shall not become a part of the record of the hearing.

(d) The Secretary shall, before suspending, revoking, placing on probationary status, or taking any other disciplinary action as the Secretary may deem proper with regard to any license, at least 30 days prior to the date set for the hearing, notify the respondent in writing of any charges made and the time and place

for a hearing of the charges before the Board, direct the respondent ~~him or her~~ to file the ~~his or her~~ written answer thereto to the Board under oath within 20 days after the service on the respondent ~~him or her~~ of such notice and inform the respondent ~~him or her~~ that if the respondent ~~he or she~~ fails to file such answer, default will be taken against the respondent ~~him or her~~ and the respondent's ~~his or her~~ license may be suspended, revoked, placed on probationary status, or other disciplinary action may be taken with regard thereto, including limiting the scope, nature or extent of the respondent's ~~his or her~~ practice, as the Secretary may deem proper.

(e) Such written notice and any notice in such proceedings thereafter may be served by delivery personally to the respondent, or by ~~registered or certified~~ mail to the licensee's address of record or email ~~address of record, to the address last theretofore specified by the respondent in his or her last notification to the Secretary.~~

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/25.1)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 25.1. Subpoena powers.

(a) The Department, upon a determination by the chairperson of the Board that reasonable cause exists that a violation of one or more of the grounds for discipline set forth in Section 23 or Section 24 of this Act has occurred or is occurring, may subpoena, without patient consent, the dental records of individual patients of dentists and dental hygienists licensed under this Act.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this Section, the Board and the Department may subpoena copies of hospital, medical, or dental records in mandatory report cases alleging death or permanent bodily injury when consent to obtain the records has not been provided by a patient or a patient's legal representative. All records and other information received pursuant to a subpoena shall be confidential and shall be afforded the same status as information concerning medical studies under Part 21 of Article VIII of the Code of Civil Procedure. The use of these records shall be restricted to members of the Board, the dental coordinator, and appropriate Department staff designated by the Secretary for the purpose of determining the existence of one or more grounds for discipline of the dentist or dental hygienist as provided for in Section 23 or Section 24 of this Act.

(c) Any review of an individual patient's records shall be conducted by the Department in strict confidentiality, provided that the patient records shall be admissible in a disciplinary hearing before the Secretary, the Board, or a hearing officer designated by the Department when necessary to substantiate the grounds for discipline alleged against the dentist or dental hygienist licensed under this Act.

(d) The Department may provide reimbursement for fees and mileage associated with its subpoena power in the same manner prescribed by law for judicial procedure in a civil case.

(e) Nothing in this Section shall be deemed to supersede the provisions of Part 21 of Article VIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, now or hereafter amended, to the extent applicable.

(f) All information gathered by the Department during any investigation, including information subpoenaed under this Act and the investigative file, shall be kept for the confidential use of the Secretary, the dental coordinator, the Board's attorneys, the dental investigative staff, authorized clerical staff, and persons employed by contract to advise the dental coordinator or the Department as provided in this Act, except that the Department may disclose information and documents to (i) a federal, State, or local law enforcement agency pursuant to a subpoena in an ongoing criminal investigation or (ii) a dental licensing authority of another state or jurisdiction pursuant to an official request made by that authority. Any information or documents disclosed by the Department to a federal, State, or local law enforcement agency may only be used by that agency for the investigation and prosecution of a criminal offense. Any information or documents disclosed by the Department to a dental licensing authority of another state or jurisdiction may only be used by that authority for investigations and disciplinary proceedings with regards to a license.

This subsection (f) applies only to causes of action accruing on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly.

(Source: P.A. 96-1221, eff. 7-23-10.)

(225 ILCS 25/26) (from Ch. 111, par. 2326)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 26. Disciplinary actions.

(a) In case the respondent, after receiving notice, fails to file an answer, the respondent's ~~his or her~~ license may, in the discretion of the Secretary, having first received the recommendation of the Board, be

suspended, revoked, placed on probationary status, or the Secretary may take whatever disciplinary or non-disciplinary action the Secretary ~~he or she~~ may deem proper, including limiting the scope, nature, or extent of the person's practice or the imposition of a fine, without a hearing, if the act or acts charged constitute sufficient grounds for such action under this Act.

(b) The Secretary may temporarily suspend the license of a dentist or dental hygienist without a hearing, simultaneous to the institution of proceedings for a hearing under this Act, if the Secretary finds that evidence in the Secretary's ~~his or her~~ possession indicates that a dentist's or dental hygienist's continuation in practice would constitute an immediate danger to the public. In the event that the Secretary temporarily suspends the license of a dentist or a dental hygienist without a hearing, a hearing by the Board must be held within 15 days after such suspension has occurred.

(c) The entry of a judgment by any circuit court establishing that any person holding a license under this Act is a person subject to involuntary admission under the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code shall operate as a suspension of that license. That person may resume the person's ~~his or her~~ practice only upon a finding by the Board that the person ~~he or she~~ has been determined to be no longer subject to involuntary admission by the court and upon the Board's recommendation to the Secretary that the person ~~he or she~~ be permitted to resume the person's ~~his or her~~ practice.

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/29) (from Ch. 111, par. 2329)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 29. Recommendations for disciplinary action; ~~action action~~ by Secretary. The Board may advise the Secretary that probation be granted or that other disciplinary action, including the limitation of the scope, nature or extent of a person's practice, be taken, as it deems proper. If disciplinary action other than suspension or revocation is taken, the Board may advise that the Secretary impose reasonable limitations and requirements upon the respondent to insure compliance with the terms of the probation or other disciplinary action, including, but not limited to, regular reporting by the respondent to the Secretary of the respondent's ~~his or her~~ actions, or the respondent's placing himself or herself under the care of a qualified physician for treatment or limiting the respondent's ~~his or her~~ practice in such manner as the Secretary may require.

The Board shall present to the Secretary a written report of its findings and recommendations. A copy of such report shall be served upon the respondent, either personally, ~~or by registered or certified~~ mail to the licensee's address of record, or by email to the licensee's email address of record. Within 20 days after such service, the respondent may present to the Department a ~~his or her~~ motion in writing for a rehearing, specifying the particular ground therefor. If the respondent orders from the reporting service and pays for a transcript of the record, the time elapsing thereafter and before such transcript is ready for delivery to the respondent ~~him or her~~ shall not be counted as part of such 20 days.

At the expiration of the time allowed for filing a motion for rehearing the Secretary may take the action recommended by the Board. Upon suspension, revocation, placement on probationary status, or the taking of any other disciplinary action, including the limiting of the scope, nature, or extent of one's practice, deemed proper by the Secretary, with regard to the license, the respondent shall surrender the respondent's ~~his or her~~ license to the Department, if ordered to do so by the Department, and upon the respondent's ~~his or her~~ failure or refusal to do so, the Department may seize the same.

In all instances under this Act in which the Board has rendered a recommendation to the Secretary with respect to a particular person, the Secretary shall, to the extent that the Secretary ~~he or she~~ disagrees with or takes action contrary to the recommendation of the Board, file with the Board the ~~his or her~~ specific written reasons of disagreement. Such reasons shall be filed within 30 days after the Secretary has taken the contrary position.

Each order of revocation, suspension, or other disciplinary action shall contain a brief, concise statement of the ground or grounds upon which the Department's action is based, as well as the specific terms and conditions of such action. The original of this document shall be retained as a permanent record by the Board and the Department. In those instances where an order of revocation, suspension, or other disciplinary action has been rendered by virtue of a dentist's or dental hygienist's physical illness, including, but not limited to, deterioration through the aging process, or loss of motor skill which results in an inability to practice with reasonable judgment, skill, or safety, the Department shall permit only this document and the record of the hearing incident thereto to be observed, inspected, viewed, or copied pursuant to court order.

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/30) (from Ch. 111, par. 2330)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 30. Appointment of a hearing officer. The Secretary shall have the authority to appoint any attorney duly licensed to practice law in the State of Illinois to serve as the hearing officer if any action for refusal to issue, renew or discipline of a license. The hearing officer shall have full authority to conduct the hearing. The hearing officer shall report ~~his or her~~ findings and recommendations to the Board ~~and the Secretary~~. The Board shall have 60 days from receipt of the report to review the report of the hearing officer and present its findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendations to the Secretary. If the Board fails to present its report within the 60 day period, the Secretary shall issue an order based on the report of the hearing officer.

Whenever the Secretary is satisfied that substantial justice has not been done in a formal disciplinary action or refusal to restore a license, the Secretary ~~he or she~~ may order a reexamination or rehearing by the same or other hearing officer.

(Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)

(225 ILCS 25/32) (from Ch. 111, par. 2332)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 32. Administrative Review Law; application. All final administrative decisions of the Department are subject to judicial review pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Review Law, and the rules adopted pursuant thereto. The term "administrative decision" is defined as in Section 3-101 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Proceedings for judicial review shall be commenced in the circuit court of the county in which the party applying for review resides, but if the party is not a resident of this State, the venue shall be in Sangamon County.

The Department shall not be required to certify any record to the court or file any answer in court or otherwise appear in any court in a judicial review proceeding, unless and until the Department has received from the plaintiff payment of the costs of furnishing and certifying the record, which costs shall be determined by the Department. ~~Exhibits shall be certified without cost.~~ Failure on the part of the plaintiff to file a receipt in court shall be grounds for dismissal of the action. During the pendency and hearing of any and all judicial proceedings incident to a disciplinary action any sanctions imposed upon the respondent by the Department because of acts or omissions related to the delivery of direct patient care as specified in the Department's final administrative decision, shall as a matter of public policy remain in full force and effect in order to protect the public pending final resolution of any of the proceedings.

(Source: P.A. 97-1013, eff. 8-17-12.)

(225 ILCS 25/34) (from Ch. 111, par. 2334)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 34. Confidential ~~information; disclosure information—disclosure~~. In all hearings conducted under this Act, information received, pursuant to law, relating to any information acquired by a dentist or dental hygienist in attending any patient in a professional character, and necessary to professionally serve such patient, shall be deemed strictly confidential and shall only be made available, either as part of the record of a hearing hereunder or otherwise: (1) when such record is required, in its entirety, for purposes of judicial review pursuant to this Act; or (2) upon the express, written consent of the patient, or in the case of the patient's ~~his or her~~ death or disability, the patient's ~~his or her~~ personal representative.

(Source: P.A. 84-365.)

(225 ILCS 25/38.2)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 38.2. Death or incapacitation of dentist.

(a) The executor or administrator of a dentist's estate or the legal guardian or authorized representative of a dentist who has become incapacitated may contract with another dentist or dentists to continue the operations of the deceased or incapacitated dentist's practice (if the practice of the deceased or incapacitated dentist is a sole proprietorship, a corporation where the deceased or incapacitated dentist is the sole shareholder, or a limited liability company where the deceased or incapacitated dentist is the sole member) for a period of one year from the time of death or incapacitation of the dentist or until the practice is sold, whichever occurs first, if all the following conditions are met:

(1) The executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative executes and files with the Department a notification of death or incapacitation on a form provided by the Department, which notification shall include the following:

- (A) the name and license number of the deceased or incapacitated dentist;
- (B) the name and address of the dental practice;
- (C) the name, address, and tax identification number of the estate;
- (D) the name and license number of each dentist who will operate the dental practice; and
- (E) an affirmation, under penalty of perjury, that the information provided is true and correct and that the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative understands that any interference by the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative or any agent or assignee of the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative with the contracting dentist's or dentists' practice of dentistry or professional judgment or any other violation of this Section is grounds for an immediate termination of the operations of the dental practice.

(2) Within 30 days after the death or incapacitation of a dentist, the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative shall send notification of the death or incapacitation by mail to the last known address of each patient of record that has seen the deceased or incapacitated dentist within the previous 12 months, with an explanation of how copies of the practitioner's records may be obtained. This notice may also contain any other relevant information concerning the continuation of the dental practice.

Continuation of the operations of the dental practice of a deceased or incapacitated dentist shall not begin until the provisions of this subsection (a) have been met.

If the practice is not sold within the initial one-year period, the provision described in subsection (a) may be extended for additional 12-month periods by the Department. However, if the extension is approved, the extension shall not exceed 3 additional 12-month periods. Each extension must be granted prior to the expiration date of the prior extension and must be accompanied by a petition detailing the reasons for the extension that must be kept on file by the Department.

(b) The Secretary may terminate the operations of a dental practice operating pursuant to this Section if the Department has evidence of a violation of this Section or Section 23 or 24 of this Act. The Secretary must conduct a hearing before terminating the operations of a dental practice operating pursuant to this Section. At least 15 days before the hearing date, the Department (i) must notify, in writing, the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative at the address provided, pursuant to item (C) of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of this Section, and to the contracting dentist or dentists at the address of the dental practice provided pursuant to item (B) of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of this Section, of any charges made and of the time and place of the hearing on the charges before the Secretary or hearing officer, as provided in Section 30 of this Act, (ii) direct the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative to file a his or her written answer to such charges with the Secretary under oath within 10 days after the service on the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative of the notice, and (iii) inform the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative that if there is a failure he or she fails to file such answer, a default judgment will be entered against the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative him or her and the operations of the dental practice shall be terminated.

(c) If the Secretary finds that evidence in the Secretary's his or her possession indicates that a violation of this Section or Section 23 or 24 of this Act constitutes an immediate threat to the public health, safety, or welfare, the Secretary may immediately terminate the operations of the dental practice without a hearing. Upon service by certified mail to the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative, at the address provided pursuant to item (C) of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of this Section, and the contracting dentist or dentists, at the address of the dental practice provided pursuant to item (B) of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of this Section, of notice of an order immediately terminating the operations of the dental practice, the executor, administrator, guardian, or authorized representative may petition the Department within 30 days for a hearing to take place within 30 days after the petition is filed.

(d) The Department may require, by rule, the submission to the Department of any additional information necessary for the administration of this Section.

(Source: P.A. 101-162, eff. 7-26-19.)

(225 ILCS 25/40) (from Ch. 111, par. 2340)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 40. Filing license or diploma of another. Any person filing or attempting to file as the person's his or her own the diploma or license of another, or a forged affidavit of identification or qualification, shall be deemed guilty of a Class 3 felony, and upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to such fine and imprisonment as is made and provided by the statutes of this State for the crime of forgery.

(Source: P.A. 84-365.)

(225 ILCS 25/45) (from Ch. 111, par. 2345)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 45. Advertising. The purpose of this Section is to authorize and regulate the advertisement by dentists of information which is intended to provide the public with a sufficient basis upon which to make an informed selection of dentists while protecting the public from false or misleading advertisements which would detract from the fair and rational selection process.

Any dentist may advertise the availability of dental services in the public media or on the premises where such dental services are rendered. Such advertising shall be limited to the following information:

- (a) The dental services available;
- (b) Publication of the dentist's name, title, office hours, address and telephone;
- (c) Information pertaining to the dentist's ~~his or her~~ area of specialization, including appropriate board certification or limitation of professional practice;
- (d) Information on usual and customary fees for routine dental services offered, which information shall include notification that fees may be adjusted due to complications or unforeseen circumstances;

- (e) Announcement of the opening of, change of, absence from, or return to business;

- (f) Announcement of additions to or deletions from professional dental staff;

- (g) The issuance of business or appointment cards;

- (h) Other information about the dentist, dentist's practice or the types of dental services which the dentist offers to perform which a reasonable person might regard as relevant in determining whether to seek the dentist's services. However, any advertisement which announces the availability of endodontics, pediatric dentistry, periodontics, prosthodontics, orthodontics and dentofacial orthopedics, oral and maxillofacial surgery, or oral and maxillofacial radiology by a general dentist or by a licensed specialist who is not licensed in that specialty shall include a disclaimer stating that the dentist does not hold a license in that specialty.

Any dental practice with more than one location that enrolls its dentist as a participating provider in a managed care plan's network must verify electronically or in writing to the managed care plan whether the provider is accepting new patients at each of the specific locations listing the provider. The health plan shall remove the provider from the directory in accordance with standard practices within 10 business days after being notified of the changes by the provider. Nothing in this paragraph shall void any contractual relationship between the provider and the plan.

It is unlawful for any dentist licensed under this Act to do any of the following:

- (1) Use claims of superior quality of care to entice the public.

- (2) Advertise in any way to practice dentistry without causing pain.

- (3) Pay a fee to any dental referral service or other third party who advertises a dental referral service, unless all advertising of the dental referral service makes it clear that dentists are paying a fee for that referral service.

- (4) Advertise or offer gifts as an inducement to secure dental patronage. Dentists may advertise or offer free examinations or free dental services; it shall be unlawful, however, for any dentist to charge a fee to any new patient for any dental service provided at the time that such free examination or free dental services are provided.

- (5) Use the term "sedation dentistry" or similar terms in advertising unless the advertising dentist holds a valid and current permit issued by the Department to administer either general anesthesia, deep sedation, or moderate sedation as required under Section 8.1 of this Act.

This Act does not authorize the advertising of dental services when the offeror of such services is not a dentist. Nor shall the dentist use statements which contain false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading material or guarantees of success, statements which play upon the vanity or fears of the public, or statements which promote or produce unfair competition.

A dentist shall be required to keep a copy of all advertisements for a period of 3 years. All advertisements in the dentist's possession shall indicate the accurate date and place of publication.

The Department shall adopt rules to carry out the intent of this Section.

(Source: P.A. 103-628, eff. 7-1-24.)

(225 ILCS 25/45.5)

Sec. 45.5. Third-party financing for dental services.

- (a) As used in this Section:

"Agent of a dentist" means a person or company that is permitted, authorized, or contracted to act on behalf of a dentist or dental office.

"Arrange for, broker, or establish" means submitting an application to a third-party creditor, lender, or creditor's intermediary for approval or rejection on behalf of a patient. Submitting an application to a third-party creditor, lender, or creditor's intermediary for approval or rejection includes patient or a patient's guardian's use of a third-party creditor's, lender's, or a creditor's intermediary's patient-facing software, weblink, URL, or QR code that is customized for with the branding of the dental practice. "Arrange for, broker, or establish" does not mean the use of third-party marketing or advertising materials that are not customized for the dental practice.

"Financing extended by a third party" includes, but is not limited to, an open end credit plan as defined under the federal Truth-in-Lending Act (15 U.S.C. 1602), a line of credit, or a loan offered or extended by a third party.

(b) A dentist, employee of a dentist, or agent of a dentist may not arrange for, broker, or establish financing extended by a third party for a patient.

(c) A dentist, employee of a dentist, or agent of a dentist may not complete for a patient or patient's guardian any portion of an application for financing extended by a third party. A dentist, employee of a dentist, or agent of a dentist may not provide the patient or patient's guardian with an electronic device to apply for financing extended by a third party.

(d) A dentist, employee of a dentist, or agent of a dentist may not promote, advertise, or provide marketing or application materials for financing extended by a third party to a patient who:

(1) has been administered or is under the influence of general anesthesia, conscious sedation, moderate sedation, nitrous oxide;

(2) is being administered treatment; or

(3) is in a treatment area, including, but not limited to, an exam room, surgical room, or other area when medical treatment is administered, unless an area separated from the treatment area does not exist.

(e) A dentist, employee of a dentist, or agent of a dentist must provide the following written notice to a patient or patient's guardian in at least 14-point font when discussing (except to state accepted forms of payment) or providing applications for financing extended by a third party:

**"DENTAL SERVICES THIRD-PARTY FINANCING DISCLOSURE**

This is an application for a CREDIT CARD, LINE OF CREDIT, OR LOAN to help you finance or pay for your dental treatment. This credit card, line of credit, or loan IS NOT A PAYMENT PLAN WITH THE DENTIST'S OFFICE. It is a credit card, line of credit, or loan from a third-party financing company. Your dentist does not work for this company. Your dentist may not complete or submit an application for third-party financing on your behalf.

You do not have to apply for a credit card, line of credit, or loan. You may pay your dentist for treatment in another manner. Your dentist's office may offer its own payment plan. You are encouraged to explore any public or private insurance options that may cover your dental treatment.

The lender or creditor may offer a "promotional period" to pay back the credit or loan without interest. After any promotional period ends, you may be charged interest on portions of the balance that have already been paid. If you miss a payment or do not pay on time, you may have to pay a penalty and a higher interest rate. If you do not pay the money that you owe the creditor or lender, then your missed payments can appear on your credit report and could hurt your credit score. You could also be sued by the creditor or lender.

If your dentist's office has completed or submitted an application for third-party financing on your behalf, you may file a complaint by contacting the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation at [Department website] or by calling [telephone number for Department]."

The Department shall make the disclosure required under this subsection available on the Department's website in English and any other languages deemed necessary by the Department.

(f) The Department may adopt rules to implement this Section.

(g) A violation of this Section is punishable by a fine of up to \$500 for the first violation and a fine of up to \$1,000 for each subsequent violation. However, the Department may take other disciplinary action if the licensee's conduct also violates Section 23.

(Source: P.A. 103-733, eff. 1-1-25.)

(225 ILCS 25/48) (from Ch. 111, par. 2348)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 48. Manufacture of dentures, bridges or replacements for dentists; prescriptions; order; penalties.

(a) Any dentist who employs or engages the services of any dental laboratory to construct or repair, extraorally, prosthetic dentures, bridges, or other replacements for a part of a tooth, a tooth, or teeth, or who directs a dental laboratory to participate in shade selection for a prosthetic appliance, shall furnish such dental laboratory with a written prescription on forms prescribed by the Department which shall contain:

(1) The name and address of the dental laboratory to which the prescription is directed.

(2) The patient's name or identification number. If a number is used, the patient's name shall be written upon the duplicate copy of the prescription retained by the dentist.

(3) The date on which the prescription was written.

(4) A description of the work to be done, including diagrams if necessary.

(5) A specification of the type and quality of materials to be used.

(6) The signature of the dentist and the number of the dentist's ~~his or her~~ license to practice dentistry.

(b) The dental laboratory receiving a prescription from a dentist shall retain the original prescription and the dentist shall retain a duplicate copy thereof for inspection at any reasonable time by the Department or its duly authorized agents, for a period of 3 years in both cases.

(c) If the dental laboratory receiving a written prescription from a dentist engages another dental laboratory (hereinafter referred to as "subcontractor") to perform some of the services relative to such prescription, it shall furnish a written order with respect thereto on forms prescribed by the Department which shall contain:

(1) The name and address of the subcontractor.

(2) A number identifying the order with the original prescription, which number shall be endorsed on the prescription received from the dentist.

(3) The date on which the order was written.

(4) A description of the work to be done by the subcontractor, including diagrams if necessary.

(5) A specification of the type and quality of materials to be used.

(6) The signature of an agent of the dental laboratory issuing the order. The subcontractor shall retain the order and the issuer thereof shall retain a duplicate copy, attached to the prescription received from the dentist, for inspection by the Department or its duly authorized agents, for a period of 3 years in both cases.

(7) A copy of the order to the subcontractor shall be furnished to the dentist.

(c-5) Regardless of whether the dental laboratory manufactures the dental appliance or has it manufactured by a subcontractor, the laboratory shall provide to the prescribing dentist the (i) location where the work was done and (ii) source and original location where the materials were obtained.

(d) Any dentist who:

(1) employs or engages the services of any dental laboratory to construct or repair, extraorally, prosthetic dentures, bridges, or other dental appliances without first providing such dental laboratory with a written prescription;

(2) fails to retain a duplicate copy of the prescription for 3 years; or

(3) refuses to allow the Department or its duly authorized agents to inspect the dentist's ~~his or her~~ files of prescriptions;

is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor and the Department may revoke or suspend the dentist's ~~his or her~~ license therefor.

(e) Any dental laboratory which:

(1) furnishes such services to any dentist without first obtaining a written prescription therefor from such dentist;

(2) acting as a subcontractor as described in (c) above, furnishes such services to any dental laboratory without first obtaining a written order from such dental laboratory;

(3) fails to retain the original prescription or order, as the case may be, for 3 years;

(4) refuses to allow the Department or its duly authorized agents to inspect its files of prescriptions or orders; or

(5) fails to provide any information required under this Section to the prescribing dentist;

is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

(Source: P.A. 94-1014, eff. 7-7-06.)

(225 ILCS 25/49) (from Ch. 111, par. 2349)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 49. Identification of dentures.

(a) Every complete upper and lower denture and removable dental prosthesis fabricated by a dentist, or fabricated pursuant to a dentist's ~~his or her~~ prescription, shall be marked with the name of the patient for whom the prosthesis is intended. The markings shall be done during fabrication and shall be permanent, legible and cosmetically acceptable. The exact location of the markings and the methods used to apply or implant them shall be determined by the dentist or dental laboratory fabricating the prosthesis. If in the professional judgment of the dentist, this full identification is not possible, the name may be omitted.

(b) Any removable dental prosthesis in existence which was not marked in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section at the time of fabrication, shall be so marked at the time of any subsequent rebasing or duplication.

(Source: P.A. 96-617, eff. 8-24-09.)

(225 ILCS 25/54) (from Ch. 111, par. 2354)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 54. Exemption from civil liability for Peer Review Committees. While serving upon any Peer Review Committee, any dentist shall not be liable for civil damages as a result of the dentist's ~~his or her~~ decisions, findings or recommendations in connection with the dentist's ~~his or her~~ duties on such committee, except decisions, findings or recommendations involving the dentist's ~~willful his or her willful~~ or wanton misconduct. Furthermore, any professional organization, association or society of dentists, or component thereof, which sponsors, sanctions or otherwise operates or participates in peer review activities is hereby afforded the same privileges and immunities afforded to any member of the peer review committee.

(Source: P.A. 85-946.)

(225 ILCS 25/54.2)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 54.2. Dental responders. A dentist or dental hygienist who is a dental responder is deemed to be acting within the bounds of the dentist or dental hygienist's ~~his or her~~ license when providing disaster, immunizations, mobile, and humanitarian care during a declared local, State, or national emergency.

(Source: P.A. 99-25, eff. 1-1-16.)

(225 ILCS 25/54.3)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 54.3. Vaccinations.

(a) Notwithstanding Section 54.2 of this Act, a dentist may administer vaccinations upon completion of appropriate training set forth by rule and approved by the Department on appropriate vaccine storage, proper administration, and addressing contraindications and adverse reactions. Vaccinations shall be limited to patients 18 years of age and older pursuant to a valid prescription or standing order by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all its branches who, in the course of professional practice, administers vaccines to patients. Methods of communication shall be established for consultation with the physician in person or by telecommunications.

(b) Vaccinations administered by a dentist shall be limited to influenza (inactivated influenza vaccine and live attenuated influenza intranasal vaccine). Vaccines shall only be administered by the dentist and shall not be delegated to an assistant or any other person. Vaccination of a patient by a dentist shall be documented in the patient's dental record and the record shall be retained in accordance with current dental recordkeeping standards. The dentist shall notify the patient's primary care physician of each dose of vaccine administered to the patient and shall enter all patient level data or update the patient's current record. The dentist may provide this notice to the patient's physician electronically. In addition, the dentist shall enter all patient level data on vaccines administered in the immunization data registry maintained by the Department of Public Health.

(c) A dentist shall only provide vaccinations under this Section if contracted with and credentialed by the patient's health insurance, health maintenance organization, or other health plan to specifically provide the vaccinations allowed under this Section. Persons enrolled in Medicare or Medicaid may only receive the vaccinations allowed for under this Section from dentists who are authorized to do so by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services or the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

(d) The Department shall adopt any rules necessary to implement this Section.

~~(e) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2026.~~

(Source: P.A. 101-162, eff. 7-26-19.)

(225 ILCS 25/55) (from Ch. 111, par. 2355)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

Sec. 55. Administrative Procedure Act. The Illinois Administrative Procedure Act is hereby expressly adopted and incorporated herein as if all of the provisions of that Act were included in this Act, except that the provision of subsection (d) of Section 10-65 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act that provides that at hearings the dentist or dental hygienist has the right to show compliance with all lawful requirements for retention, continuation or renewal of the license is specifically excluded. For the purposes of this Act the notice required under Section 10-25 of the Administrative Procedure Act is deemed sufficient when mailed or emailed to the last known address or email address of a party.  
(Source: P.A. 88-45; 89-80, eff. 6-30-95; 89-116, eff. 7-7-95.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Section and Section 5 take effect upon becoming law."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Fine, **Senate Bill No. 73** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendment was offered in the Committee on Public Health, adopted and ordered printed:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 73**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 73 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act is amended by adding Section 11.7 as follows:  
(410 ILCS 620/11.7 new)

Sec. 11.7. Baby foods; toxic elements.

(a) In this Section:

"Baby food" means food packaged in a jar, pouch, tub, or box sold specifically for babies and children under the age of 2 years old. "Baby food" does not include infant formula as defined in Section 2.28.

"Final baby food product" means the finished product of baby food with a unique universal product code (UPC). "Final baby food product" does not include the individual ingredients that are in baby food.

"Manufacturer" includes a food manufacturer, food processor, and food packer.

"Product label" means a display of written, printed, or graphic material that is affixed to a product or the product's immediate container.

"Product shelf life" means the time, measured in number of months, between the date of manufacture and the date of expiration for a final baby food product.

"Production aggregate" means a quantity of product that is intended to have uniform composition, character, and quality and is produced according to a master manufacturing order.

"Proficient laboratory" means a laboratory that:

(1) is accredited under the standards of the International Organization for Standardization/International Electrotechnical Commission 17025:2017 regarding the general requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories;

(2) uses an analytical method at least as sensitive as the analytical method described in Section 4.7 of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Elemental Analysis Manual for Food and Related Products; and

(3) demonstrates, when using an independent proficiency test, the achievement of a z-score within the range of plus or minus 2 in quantifying each toxic element to at least 6 micrograms of the toxic element per kilogram of food.

"QR code" means a machine-readable code, consisting of an array of squares, used for storing data that allows a user to access a webpage.

"Representative sample" means a sample that consists of a number of units that are drawn based on rational criteria, such as random sampling, and intended to ensure that the sample accurately portrays the material being sampled.

"Toxic element" means arsenic, cadmium, lead, or mercury.

(b) No person or entity shall sell or manufacture, deliver, or hold or offer for sale in this State any baby food that does not comply with the requirements of this Section.

(c) Each manufacturer of baby food shall test a representative sample of each production aggregate of the manufacturer's final baby food product for toxic elements at a proficient laboratory.

The testing required under this subsection shall be conducted by a proficient laboratory at least once per month.

A manufacturer may test the final baby food product in accordance with this subsection before packaging individual units of baby food for sale or distribution.

(d) Upon the request of the Department of Public Health, a manufacturer of baby food shall provide the results of the testing conducted under subsection (c) to an authorized agent of the Department of Public Health.

(e) Beginning January 1, 2027, for final baby food products sold, manufactured, delivered, or held or offered for sale in this State, each manufacturer of baby food shall disclose product information to consumers consistent with the following:

(1) The manufacturer shall make publicly available on the manufacturer's website for each final baby food product that it manufactures and for the duration of the product shelf life for the final baby food product plus one month:

(A) the name and level of each toxic element present in each production aggregate of a final baby food product as determined by the testing conducted under subsection (c); and

(B) descriptive information, including, but not limited to, the product's name, UPC, size, lot numbers, or batch numbers, to enable accurate identification of the final baby food product by consumers.

(2) If a product is tested for a certain toxic element subject to an action level, regulatory limit, or tolerance established by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration under 21 CFR 109, the manufacturer shall also include on the baby food product label:

(A) a statement that reads: "For information about the toxic element testing on this product, scan the Quick Response (QR) Code."; and

(B) a QR code or other machine-readable code that allows consumers to access the following information on the manufacturer's website on the final baby food product's information page:

(i) the test results for the toxic elements; and

(ii) a link to the webpage on the U.S. Food and Drug Administration website that includes the most recent guidance and information about the health effects of the toxic element on children.

(f) The Department of Public Health shall adopt rules to implement a system for consumer reporting of baby foods under this subsection."

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Fine, **Senate Bill No. 1531** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time.

The following amendments were offered in the Committee on Environment and Conservation, adopted and ordered printed:

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 1531**

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1531 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the Disposable Food Service Container Act.

Section 5. Definitions. In this Act, unless the context requires otherwise:

"Disposable food service container" means service ware designed for one-time use. "Disposable food service container" includes, but is not limited to, service ware for take-out foods, bakery products, and leftovers from partially consumed meals. "Disposable food service container" does not include polystyrene foam coolers, ice chests that are used for the processing or shipping of seafood, or service ware that is used to contain, transport, or otherwise package raw, uncooked, or butchered meat, poultry, fish, or seafood.

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"Person" means any individual, partnership, co-partnership, firm, company, limited liability company, corporation, association, joint stock company, trust, estate, political subdivision, state agency, or any other legal entity, or their legal representative, agent, or assigns.

"Polystyrene foam" means blown polystyrene and expanded or extruded foams using a styrene monomer.

"Service ware" means a container, bowl, plate, tray, carton, cup, lid, or other item designed to contain, transport, serve, or aid in the consumption of food or beverages.

Section 10. Disposable food service containers composed of polystyrene foam prohibited.

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b), a person may not sell or distribute in this State a disposable food service container that is composed in whole or in part of polystyrene foam beginning January 1, 2030.

(b) The prohibition in subsection (a) does not apply to any activity authorized under an ordinance or resolution adopted by a home rule municipality or home rule county on or before January 1, 2024 or with respect to sales made to a unit of local government for use by the unit of local government for its internal operations.

(c) The prohibition in subsection (a) does not prohibit manufacturing of disposable food service containers that are composed in whole or in part of polystyrene foam for distribution or sale outside the State.

Section 15. Penalties and enforcement.

(a) A person who violates any provision of this Act shall be provided with a written warning with a notice of violation; a civil penalty of up to \$500 for a second offense; and a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for any subsequent offense within a 12-month period.

(b) Any violation of this Act may be enforced by the Attorney General or the State's Attorney of the county in which the violation occurs. The penalties provided for in subsection (a) may be recovered in a civil action brought in the name of the people of the State of Illinois by the State's Attorney of the county in which the violation occurred or by the Attorney General. Any penalties collected under this Section in an action in which the Attorney General has prevailed shall be deposited into the Environmental Protection Trust Fund, to be used in accordance with the provisions of the Environmental Protection Trust Fund Act. The Attorney General or the State's Attorney of a county in which a violation occurs may institute a civil action for an injunction, prohibitory or mandatory, to restrain violations of this Act or to require such actions as may be necessary to address violations of this Act.

(c) The penalties and injunctions provided in this Act are in addition to any penalties, injunctions, or other relief provided under any other law. Nothing in this Act bars a cause of action by the State for any other penalty, injunction, or other relief provided by any other law.

(d) A home rule unit may not regulate the sale and distribution of disposable food service containers composed in whole or in part of polystyrene foam in a manner that is inconsistent with the regulation by the State of the sale and distribution of disposable food service containers composed in whole or in part of polystyrene foam under this Act. This Section is a limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home rule units of powers and functions exercised by the State.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SENATE BILL 1531

AMENDMENT NO. 2. Amend Senate Bill 1531, AS AMENDED, with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment No. 1, on page 1, line 14, by replacing "or service ware" with "egg cartons, or service ware".

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendments Numbered 1 and 2 were ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Morrison, **Senate Bill No. 118** having been printed, was taken up, read by title a second time and ordered to a third reading.

At the hour of 4:33 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stands at ease.

**AT EASE**

At the hour of 4:43 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business.  
President Harmon, presiding.

**REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS**

Senator Cunningham, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 1, 2025 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture: **Senate Bill No. 2309.**

Appropriations- Public Safety and Infrastructure: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1360.**

Behavioral and Mental Health: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 188.**

Consumer Protection: **Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1288; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2247.**

Criminal Law: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 283; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1195; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1773; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2156; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2381.**

Education: **Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 71; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1519; Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1519; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1560; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1616; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1943; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1947; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2057.**

Energy and Public Utilities: **Senate Bill No. 2196; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2424.**

Executive: **Senate Bill No. 1435; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 51; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 52; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 74; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 144; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2044; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2155.**

Financial Institutions: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2457.**

Health and Human Services: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2194; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2437.**

Higher Education: **Senate Bill No. 1345; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1958.**

Insurance: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 40; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1392.**

Judiciary: **Senate Bills Numbered 1523 and 2001; Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1667; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1909; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1932.**

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Licensed Activities: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2154; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2348; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2431.**

Public Health: **Senate Resolutions Numbered 159 and 176; Senate Joint Resolution No. 25; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1814; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1950.**

Transportation: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1256; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2285.**

Senator Cunningham, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 1, 2025 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bill No. 32** on March 21, 2025, pursuant to Rule 3-9(a), reported that the Committee recommends that the bill be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in its former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bill No. 32** was returned to the order of second reading.

Senator Cunningham, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 1, 2025 meeting, reported that the Committee recommends that **Senate Bill No. 1475** be re-referred from the Committee on Appropriations- Education to the Committee on Assignments.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: **Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1560 and Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2487.**

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURE FILED**

The following Committee amendment to the Senate Bill listed below has been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2001

#### **REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS**

Senator Cunningham, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 1, 2025 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Higher Education: **Senate Bill No. 1475.**

Judiciary: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2001.**

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED**

The following Floor amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 328

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 702

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 704

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1173

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1380

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1537

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Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2111  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2306  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2494

The following Committee amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1633  
Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1773  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1899  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1911  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2439

At the hour of 4:49 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stands adjourned until Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at 12:00 o'clock p.m.