

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing  
5 Section 3-405 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-405) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-405)

7 Sec. 3-405. Application for registration.

8 (a) Every owner of a vehicle subject to registration under  
9 this Code shall make application to the Secretary of State for  
10 the registration of such vehicle upon the appropriate form or  
11 forms furnished by the Secretary. Every such application shall  
12 bear the signature of the owner written with pen and ink and  
13 contain:

14 1. The name, domicile address, as defined in Section  
15 1-115.5 of this Code, (except as otherwise provided in this  
16 paragraph 1) and mail address of the owner or business  
17 address of the owner if a firm, association or corporation.  
18 If the mailing address is a post office box number, the  
19 address listed on the driver license record may be used to  
20 verify residence. A police officer, a deputy sheriff, an  
21 elected sheriff, a law enforcement officer for the  
22 Department of State Police, ~~or~~ a fire investigator, a  
23 state's attorney, an assistant state's attorney, or a

1       state's attorney special investigator may elect to furnish  
2       the address of the headquarters of the governmental entity  
3       or police district where he or she works instead of his or  
4       her domicile address, in which case that address shall be  
5       deemed to be his or her domicile address for all purposes  
6       under this Chapter 3. The spouse and children of a person  
7       who may elect under this paragraph 1 to furnish the address  
8       of the headquarters of the government entity or police  
9       district where the person works instead of the person's  
10      domicile address may, if they reside with that person, also  
11      elect to furnish the address of the headquarters of the  
12      government entity or police district where the person works  
13      as their domicile address, in which case that address shall  
14      be deemed to be their domicile address for all purposes  
15      under this Chapter 3. In this paragraph 1: (A) "police  
16      officer" has the meaning ascribed to "policeman" in Section  
17      10-3-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code; (B) "deputy sheriff"  
18      means a deputy sheriff appointed under Section 3-6008 of  
19      the Counties Code; (C) "elected sheriff" means a sheriff  
20      commissioned pursuant to Section 3-6001 of the Counties  
21      Code; ~~and~~ (D) "fire investigator" means a person classified  
22      as a peace officer under the Peace Officer Fire  
23      Investigation Act; and (E) "state's attorney", "assistant  
24      state's attorney", and "state's attorney special  
25      investigator" mean a state's attorney, assistant state's  
26      attorney, and state's attorney special investigator

1       commissioned or appointed under Division 3-9 of the  
2       Counties Code.

3           2. A description of the vehicle, including such  
4       information as is required in an application for a  
5       certificate of title, determined under such standard  
6       rating as may be prescribed by the Secretary.

7           3. Information relating to the insurance policy for the  
8       motor vehicle, including the name of the insurer which  
9       issued the policy, the policy number, and the expiration  
10      date of the policy.

11          4. Such further information as may reasonably be  
12      required by the Secretary to enable him to determine  
13      whether the vehicle is lawfully entitled to registration  
14      and the owner entitled to a certificate of title.

15          5. An affirmation by the applicant that all information  
16      set forth is true and correct. If the application is for  
17      the registration of a motor vehicle, the applicant also  
18      shall affirm that the motor vehicle is insured as required  
19      by this Code, that such insurance will be maintained  
20      throughout the period for which the motor vehicle shall be  
21      registered, and that neither the owner, nor any person  
22      operating the motor vehicle with the owner's permission,  
23      shall operate the motor vehicle unless the required  
24      insurance is in effect. If the person signing the  
25      affirmation is not the sole owner of the vehicle, such  
26      person shall be deemed to have affirmed on behalf of all

1 the owners of the vehicle. If the person signing the  
2 affirmation is not an owner of the vehicle, such person  
3 shall be deemed to have affirmed on behalf of the owner or  
4 owners of the vehicle. The lack of signature on the  
5 application shall not in any manner exempt the owner or  
6 owners from any provisions, requirements or penalties of  
7 this Code.

8 (b) When such application refers to a new vehicle purchased  
9 from a dealer the application shall be accompanied by a  
10 Manufacturer's Statement of Origin from the dealer, and a  
11 statement showing any lien retained by the dealer.

12 (Source: P.A. 95-207, eff. 1-1-08.)