



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB4668

Introduced 2/3/2026, by Rep. Ann M. Williams

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 140/7.5
20 ILCS 2605/2605-51
50 ILCS 705/7
750 ILCS 60/301.1 from Ch. 40, par. 2313-1.1
750 ILCS 60/304 from Ch. 40, par. 2313-4

Amends the Illinois State Police Law and the Illinois Police Training Act to require instruction during training on the policies and procedures for administering a lethality assessment, including referrals to domestic violence services. Amends the Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986. Provides that, on or before January 1, 2028, every law enforcement agency shall provide to all of its law enforcement officers instruction on the policies and procedures for administering a lethality assessment as part of basic training. Provides that, on or before July 1, 2028, a law enforcement officer investigating an alleged incident of domestic violence shall administer a lethality assessment if the allegation of domestic violence is against an intimate partner, regardless of whether an arrest is made. Provides that if a victim does not, or is unable to, provide information to a law enforcement officer sufficient to allow the law enforcement officer to administer a lethality assessment, the law enforcement officer must document the lack of a lethality assessment in the written police report and refer the victim to the nearest locally certified domestic violence center. Prohibits a law enforcement officer from including in or attaching to a probable cause statement, written police report, or incident report the domestic violence center to which a victim was referred. Prohibits a law enforcement officer from administering a lethality assessment if the law enforcement officer has not received training on administering a lethality assessment. Makes a conforming change in the Freedom of Information Act.

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1 AN ACT concerning domestic violence.

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

4 Section 5. The Freedom of Information Act is amended by
5 changing Section 7.5 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 140/7.5)

7 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 104-441 and
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1 Department of Transportation under Sections 2705-300 and
2 2705-616 of the Department of Transportation Law of the
3 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois, the Regional
4 Transportation Authority under Section 2.11 of the
5 Regional Transportation Authority Act, or the St. Clair
6 County Transit District under the Bi-State Transit Safety
7 Act (repealed).

8 (q) Information prohibited from being disclosed by the
9 Personnel Record Review Act.

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24 Firearm Concealed Carry Act, records of the Concealed
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7 19.1 of the Toll Highway Act.

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10 8-11-21 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

11 (y) Confidential information under the Adult
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13 statute, the Elder Abuse and Neglect Act, including
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16 decision of abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation of
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1 Section 50 of the Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act.

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5 (ww) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
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7 eff. 3-21-25; 104-10, eff. 6-16-25; 104-18, eff. 6-30-25;
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4 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois, the Northern
5 Illinois Transit Authority under Section 2.11 of the
6 Northern Illinois Transit Authority Act, or the St. Clair
7 County Transit District under the Bi-State Transit Safety
8 Act (repealed).

9 (q) Information prohibited from being disclosed by the
10 Personnel Record Review Act.

11 (r) Information prohibited from being disclosed by the
12 Illinois School Student Records Act.

13 (s) Information the disclosure of which is restricted
14 under Section 5-108 of the Public Utilities Act.

15 (t) (Blank).

16 (u) Records and information provided to an independent
17 team of experts under the Developmental Disability and
18 Mental Health Safety Act (also known as Brian's Law).

19 (v) Names and information of people who have applied
20 for or received Firearm Owner's Identification Cards under
21 the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act or applied for
22 or received a concealed carry license under the Firearm
23 Concealed Carry Act, unless otherwise authorized by the
24 Firearm Concealed Carry Act; and databases under the
25 Firearm Concealed Carry Act, records of the Concealed
26 Carry Licensing Review Board under the Firearm Concealed

1 Carry Act, and law enforcement agency objections under the
2 Firearm Concealed Carry Act.

3 (v-5) Records of the Firearm Owner's Identification
4 Card Review Board that are exempted from disclosure under
5 Section 10 of the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act.

6 (w) Personally identifiable information which is
7 exempted from disclosure under subsection (g) of Section
8 19.1 of the Toll Highway Act.

9 (x) Information which is exempted from disclosure
10 under Section 5-1014.3 of the Counties Code or Section
11 8-11-21 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

12 (y) Confidential information under the Adult
13 Protective Services Act and its predecessor enabling
14 statute, the Elder Abuse and Neglect Act, including
15 information about the identity and administrative finding
16 against any caregiver of a verified and substantiated
17 decision of abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation of
18 an eligible adult maintained in the Registry established
19 under Section 7.5 of the Adult Protective Services Act.

20 (z) Records and information provided to a fatality
21 review team or the Illinois Fatality Review Team Advisory
22 Council under Section 15 of the Adult Protective Services
23 Act.

24 (aa) Information which is exempted from disclosure
25 under Section 2.37 of the Wildlife Code.

26 (bb) Information which is or was prohibited from

1 disclosure by the Juvenile Court Act of 1987.

2 (cc) Recordings made under the Law Enforcement
3 Officer-Worn Body Camera Act, except to the extent
4 authorized under that Act.

5 (dd) Information that is prohibited from being
6 disclosed under Section 45 of the Condominium and Common
7 Interest Community Ombudsperson Act.

8 (ee) Information that is exempted from disclosure
9 under Section 30.1 of the Pharmacy Practice Act.

10 (ff) Information that is exempted from disclosure
11 under the Revised Uniform Unclaimed Property Act.

12 (gg) Information that is prohibited from being
13 disclosed under Section 7-603.5 of the Illinois Vehicle
14 Code.

15 (hh) Records that are exempt from disclosure under
16 Section 1A-16.7 of the Election Code.

17 (ii) Information which is exempted from disclosure
18 under Section 2505-800 of the Department of Revenue Law of
19 the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.

20 (jj) Information and reports that are required to be
21 submitted to the Department of Labor by registering day
22 and temporary labor service agencies but are exempt from
23 disclosure under subsection (a-1) of Section 45 of the Day
24 and Temporary Labor Services Act.

25 (kk) Information prohibited from disclosure under the
26 Seizure and Forfeiture Reporting Act.

1 (ll) Information the disclosure of which is restricted
2 and exempted under Section 5-30.8 of the Illinois Public
3 Aid Code.

4 (mm) Records that are exempt from disclosure under
5 Section 4.2 of the Crime Victims Compensation Act.

6 (nn) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
7 Section 70 of the Higher Education Student Assistance Act.

8 (oo) Communications, notes, records, and reports
9 arising out of a peer support counseling session
10 prohibited from disclosure under the First Responders
11 Suicide Prevention Act.

12 (pp) Names and all identifying information relating to
13 an employee of an emergency services provider or law
14 enforcement agency under the First Responders Suicide
15 Prevention Act.

16 (qq) Information and records held by the Department of
17 Public Health and its authorized representatives collected
18 under the Reproductive Health Act.

19 (rr) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
20 the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act.

21 (ss) Data reported by an employer to the Department of
22 Human Rights pursuant to Section 2-108 of the Illinois
23 Human Rights Act.

24 (tt) Recordings made under the Children's Advocacy
25 Center Act, except to the extent authorized under that
26 Act.

1 (uu) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
2 Section 50 of the Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act.

3 (vv) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
4 subsections (f) and (j) of Section 5-36 of the Illinois
5 Public Aid Code.

6 (ww) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
7 Section 16.8 of the State Treasurer Act.

8 (xx) Information that is exempt from disclosure or
9 information that shall not be made public under the
10 Illinois Insurance Code.

11 (yy) Information prohibited from being disclosed under
12 the Illinois Educational Labor Relations Act.

13 (zz) Information prohibited from being disclosed under
14 the Illinois Public Labor Relations Act.

15 (aaa) Information prohibited from being disclosed
16 under Section 1-167 of the Illinois Pension Code.

17 (bbb) Information that is prohibited from disclosure
18 by the Illinois Police Training Act and the Illinois State
19 Police Act.

20 (ccc) Records exempt from disclosure under Section
21 2605-304 of the Illinois State Police Law of the Civil
22 Administrative Code of Illinois.

23 (ddd) Information prohibited from being disclosed
24 under Section 35 of the Address Confidentiality for
25 Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Human
26 Trafficking, or Stalking Act.

1 (eee) Information prohibited from being disclosed
2 under subsection (b) of Section 75 of the Domestic
3 Violence Fatality Review Act.

4 (fff) Images from cameras under the Expressway Camera
5 Act and all automated license plate reader (ALPR)
6 information used and collected by the Illinois State
7 Police. "ALPR information" means information gathered by
8 an ALPR or created from the analysis of data generated by
9 an ALPR. This subsection (fff) is inoperative on and after
10 July 1, 2028.

11 (ggg) Information prohibited from disclosure under
12 paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of Section 14 of the Nurse
13 Agency Licensing Act.

14 (hhh) Information submitted to the Illinois State
15 Police in an affidavit or application for an assault
16 weapon endorsement, assault weapon attachment endorsement,
17 .50 caliber rifle endorsement, or .50 caliber cartridge
18 endorsement under the Firearm Owners Identification Card
19 Act.

20 (iii) Data exempt from disclosure under Section 50 of
21 the School Safety Drill Act.

22 (jjj) Information exempt from disclosure under Section
23 30 of the Insurance Data Security Law.

24 (kkk) Confidential business information prohibited
25 from disclosure under Section 45 of the Paint Stewardship
26 Act.

1 (lll) Data exempt from disclosure under Section
2 2-3.196 of the School Code.

3 (mmm) Information prohibited from being disclosed
4 under subsection (e) of Section 1-129 of the Illinois
5 Power Agency Act.

6 (nnn) Materials received by the Department of Commerce
7 and Economic Opportunity that are confidential under the
8 Music and Musicians Tax Credit and Jobs Act.

9 (ooo) Data or information provided pursuant to Section
10 20 of the Statewide Recycling Needs and Assessment Act.

11 (ppp) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
12 Section 28-11 of the Lawful Health Care Activity Act.

13 (qqq) Information that is exempt from disclosure under
14 Section 7-101 of the Illinois Human Rights Act.

15 (rrr) Information prohibited from being disclosed
16 under Section 4-2 of the Uniform Money Transmission
17 Modernization Act.

18 (sss) Information exempt from disclosure under Section
19 40 of the Student-Athlete Endorsement Rights Act.

20 (ttt) Audio recordings made under Section 30 of the
21 Illinois State Police Act, except to the extent authorized
22 under that Section.

23 (uuu) Information prohibited from being disclosed
24 under Section 30-5 of the Digital Assets Regulation Act.

25 (vvv) ~~(uuu)~~ Information exempt from disclosure under
26 Section 70 of the End-of-Life Options for Terminally Ill

1 Patients Act.

2 (Source: P.A. 103-8, eff. 6-7-23; 103-34, eff. 6-9-23;
3 103-142, eff. 1-1-24; 103-372, eff. 1-1-24; 103-472, eff.
4 8-1-24; 103-508, eff. 8-4-23; 103-580, eff. 12-8-23; 103-592,
5 eff. 6-7-24; 103-605, eff. 7-1-24; 103-636, eff. 7-1-24;
6 103-724, eff. 1-1-25; 103-786, eff. 8-7-24; 103-859, eff.
7 8-9-24; 103-991, eff. 8-9-24; 103-1049, eff. 8-9-24; 103-1081,
8 eff. 3-21-25; 104-10, eff. 6-16-25; 104-18, eff. 6-30-25;
9 104-417, eff. 8-15-25; 104-428, eff. 8-18-25; 104-441, eff.
10 9-12-26; 104-457, eff. 6-1-26; revised 1-7-26.)

11 Section 10. The Illinois State Police Law of the Civil
12 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section
13 2605-51 as follows:

14 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-51)

15 Sec. 2605-51. Division of the Academy and Training.

16 (a) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
17 exercise, but not be limited to, the following functions:

18 (1) Oversee and operate the Illinois State Police
19 Training Academy.

20 (2) Train and prepare new officers for a career in law
21 enforcement, with innovative, quality training and
22 educational practices.

23 (3) Offer continuing training and educational programs
24 for Illinois State Police employees.

1 (4) Oversee the Illinois State Police's recruitment
2 initiatives.

3 (5) Oversee and operate the Illinois State Police's
4 quartermaster.

5 (6) Duties assigned to the Illinois State Police in
6 Article 5, Chapter 11 of the Illinois Vehicle Code
7 concerning testing and training officers on the detection
8 of impaired driving.

9 (7) Duties assigned to the Illinois State Police in
10 Article 108B of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

11 (a-5) Successful completion of the Illinois State Police
12 Academy satisfies the minimum standards pursuant to
13 subsections (a), (b), and (d) of Section 7 of the Illinois
14 Police Training Act and exempts Illinois State Police officers
15 from the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board's
16 State Comprehensive Examination and Equivalency Examination.
17 Satisfactory completion shall be evidenced by a commission or
18 certificate issued to the officer.

19 (b) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
20 exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested in the former
21 Division of State Troopers by Section 17 of the Illinois State
22 Police Act.

23 (c) Specialized training. The Division of the Academy and
24 Training shall provide the following specialized training:

25 (1) Crash reconstruction specialist; training. The
26 Division of the Academy and Training shall cooperate with

1 the Division of Forensic Services to provide specialized
2 training in crash reconstruction for Illinois State Police
3 officers. Only Illinois State Police officers who
4 successfully complete the training may be assigned as
5 crash reconstruction specialists.

6 (2) Death and homicide investigations; training. The
7 Division of the Academy and Training shall provide
8 training in death and homicide investigation for Illinois
9 State Police officers. Only Illinois State Police officers
10 who successfully complete the training may be assigned as
11 lead investigators in death and homicide investigations.
12 Satisfactory completion of the training shall be evidenced
13 by a certificate issued to the officer by the Division of
14 the Academy and Training. The Director shall develop a
15 process for waiver applications for officers whose prior
16 training and experience as homicide investigators may
17 qualify them for a waiver. The Director may issue a
18 waiver, at his or her discretion, based solely on the
19 prior training and experience of an officer as a homicide
20 investigator.

21 (A) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
22 require all homicide investigator training to include
23 instruction on victim-centered, trauma-informed
24 investigation. This training must be implemented by
25 July 1, 2023.

26 (B) The Division of the Academy and Training shall

1 cooperate with the Division of Criminal Investigation
2 to develop a model curriculum on victim-centered,
3 trauma-informed investigation. This curriculum must be
4 implemented by July 1, 2023.

5 (3) Investigation of officer-involved criminal sexual
6 assault; training. The Division of the Academy and
7 Training shall cooperate with the Division of Criminal
8 Investigation to provide a specialized criminal sexual
9 assault and sexual abuse investigation training program
10 for Illinois State Police officers. Only Illinois State
11 Police officers who successfully complete the training may
12 be assigned as investigators in officer-involved criminal
13 sexual assault investigations under Section 10 of the Law
14 Enforcement Criminal Sexual Assault Investigation Act.

15 (4) Investigation of officer-involved deaths;
16 training. The Division of the Academy and Training shall
17 have a written policy regarding the investigation of
18 officer-involved deaths that involve a law enforcement
19 officer employed by the Illinois State Police as required
20 under Section 1-10 of the Police and Community Relations
21 Improvement Act and shall provide specialized training in
22 that policy for Illinois State Police officers.

23 (5) Juvenile specialist; training. The Division of the
24 Academy and Training shall provide specialized juvenile
25 training for Illinois State Police officers who meet the
26 definition of "juvenile police officer" as defined under

1 paragraph (17) of Section 1-3 of the Juvenile Court Act of
2 1987. Juvenile specialists may complete questioning of
3 juveniles on school grounds as provided under Section
4 22-88 of the School Code.

5 (6) Peer support program; training. The Division of
6 the Academy and Training shall cooperate with the Office
7 of the Director to provide peer support advisors with
8 appropriate specialized training in counseling to conduct
9 peer support counseling sessions under Section 10 of the
10 First Responders Suicide Prevention Act.

11 (7) Police dog training standards; training. All
12 police dogs used by the Illinois State Police for drug
13 enforcement purposes pursuant to the Cannabis Control Act,
14 the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, and the
15 Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act shall
16 be trained by programs that meet the certification
17 requirements set by the Director or the Director's
18 designee. Satisfactory completion of the training shall be
19 evidenced by a certificate issued by the Division of the
20 Academy and Training.

21 (8) Safe2Help; training. The Division of the Academy
22 and Training shall cooperate with the Division of Criminal
23 Investigation to ensure all program personnel or call
24 center staff, or both, are appropriately trained in the
25 areas described in subsection (f) of Section 10 of the
26 Student Confidential Reporting Act. ~~(10)~~

1 (c-5) In-service training.

2 (1) At least once, the Division of the Academy and
3 Training shall develop and require the following
4 in-service training opportunities to be completed by
5 Illinois State Police officers:

6 (A) Cell phone medical information; training.

7 Training required under this subparagraph (A) shall
8 provide instruction on accessing and using medical
9 information stored in cell phones. The Division may
10 use the program approved under Section 2310-711 of the
11 Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of
12 the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois to develop
13 the Division's program.

14 (B) Autism spectrum disorders; training. Training
15 required under this subparagraph (B) shall instruct
16 Illinois State Police officers on the nature of autism
17 spectrum disorders and in identifying and
18 appropriately responding to individuals with autism
19 spectrum disorders. The Illinois State Police shall
20 review the training curriculum and may consult with
21 the Department of Public Health or the Department of
22 Human Services to update the training curriculum as
23 needed.

24 (C) Lethality assessment; training. The training
25 required under this subparagraph (C) shall provide
26 instruction on the policies and procedures for

1 administering a lethality assessment including how
2 referrals to domestic violence services would be
3 handled by the law enforcement agency.

4 (2) At least every year, the Division of the Academy
5 and Training shall provide the following in-service
6 training to Illinois State Police officers:

7 (A) Cultural diversity; training.

8 (i) Training required under this subparagraph

9 (A) shall provide training and continuing
10 education to Illinois State Police officers
11 concerning cultural diversity, including topics
12 such as sensitivity toward racial and ethnic
13 differences.

14 (ii) This training and continuing education
15 shall, among other things, emphasize that the
16 primary purpose of enforcement of the Illinois
17 Vehicle Code is safety and equal, uniform, and
18 non-discriminatory enforcement of the law.

19 (B) Minimum annual in-service training
20 requirements. Minimum annual in-service training
21 includes:

22 (i) crisis intervention training;

23 (ii) emergency medical response training and
24 certification;

25 (iii) firearm qualification training;

26 (iv) law updates; and

1 (v) officer wellness and mental health.

2 (C) Firearms restraining orders; training.
3 Training required under this subparagraph (C) shall
4 provide instruction on the processes used to file a
5 firearms restraining order, to identify situations in
6 which a firearms restraining order is appropriate, and
7 to safely promote the usage of the firearms
8 restraining order in different situations.

9 (3) At least every 3 years, the Division of the
10 Academy and Training shall provide the following
11 in-service training to Illinois State Police officers:

12 (A) Arrest and use of force and control tactics;
13 training. Training required under this subparagraph
14 (A) shall provide to Illinois State Police officers
15 training and continuing education concerning knowledge
16 of policies and laws regulating the use of force;
17 shall equip officers with tactics and skills,
18 including de-escalation techniques, to prevent or
19 reduce the need to use force or, when force must be
20 used, to use force that is objectively reasonable,
21 necessary, and proportional under the totality of the
22 circumstances; and shall ensure appropriate
23 supervision and accountability. The training shall
24 consist of at least 30 hours and shall include:

25 (i) at least 12 hours of hands-on,
26 scenario-based role-playing;

1 (ii) at least 6 hours of instruction on use of
2 force techniques, including the use of
3 de-escalation techniques to prevent or reduce the
4 need for force whenever safe and feasible;

5 (iii) specific training on the law concerning
6 stops, searches, and the use of force under the
7 Fourth Amendment to the United States
8 Constitution;

9 (iv) specific training on officer safety
10 techniques, including cover, concealment, and
11 time; and

12 (v) at least 6 hours of training focused on
13 high-risk traffic stops.

14 (B) Minimum triennial in-service training
15 requirements. Minimum triennial in-service training
16 required this under subparagraph (B) includes training
17 and continuing education to Illinois State Police
18 officers concerning:

19 (i) constitutional and proper use of law
20 enforcement authority;

21 (ii) civil and human rights;

22 (iii) cultural competency, including implicit
23 bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity; and

24 (iv) procedural justice.

25 (C) Mandated reporter; training. Training required
26 under this subparagraph (C) must be approved by the

1 Department of Children and Family Services as provided
2 under Section 4 of the Abused and Neglected Child
3 Reporting Act and includes training on the reporting
4 of child abuse and neglect.

5 (D) Sexual assault and sexual abuse; training.

6 (i) Training required under this subparagraph
7 (D) shall include in-service training on sexual
8 assault and sexual abuse response and training on
9 report writing requirements, including, but not
10 limited to, the following:

11 (a) recognizing the symptoms of trauma;

12 (b) understanding the role trauma has
13 played in a victim's life;

14 (c) responding to the needs and concerns
15 of a victim;

16 (d) delivering services in a
17 compassionate, sensitive, and nonjudgmental
18 manner;

19 (e) interviewing techniques in accordance
20 with the curriculum standards in subdivision
21 (iii) of this subparagraph;

22 (f) understanding cultural perceptions and
23 common myths of sexual assault and sexual
24 abuse; and

25 (g) report writing techniques in
26 accordance with the curriculum standards in

1 subdivision (iii) of this subparagraph and the
2 Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act.

3 (ii) Instructors providing training under this
4 subparagraph (G) shall have successfully completed
5 training on evidence-based, trauma-informed,
6 victim-centered responses to cases of sexual
7 assault and sexual abuse and shall have experience
8 responding to sexual assault and sexual abuse
9 cases.

10 (iii) The Illinois State Police shall adopt
11 rules, in consultation with the Office of the
12 Attorney General and the Illinois Law Enforcement
13 Training Standards Board, to determine the
14 specific training requirements. The rules adopted
15 by the Illinois State Police shall include, at a
16 minimum, both of the following:

17 (a) evidence-based curriculum standards
18 for report writing and immediate response to
19 sexual assault and sexual abuse, including
20 trauma-informed, victim-centered interview
21 techniques, which have been demonstrated to
22 minimize retraumatization, for all Illinois
23 State Police officers; and

24 (b) evidence-based curriculum standards
25 for trauma-informed, victim-centered
26 investigation and interviewing techniques,

1 which have been demonstrated to minimize
2 retraumatization, for cases of sexual assault
3 and sexual abuse for all Illinois State Police
4 officers who conduct sexual assault and sexual
5 abuse investigations.

6 (4) At least every 5 years, the Division of the
7 Academy and Training shall provide the following
8 in-service training to Illinois State Police officers:

9 (A) Psychology of domestic violence; training.
10 Training under this subparagraph (A) shall provide aid
11 in understanding the actions of domestic violence
12 victims and abusers and the actions needed to prevent
13 further victimization of those who have been abused.
14 The training shall focus specifically on looking
15 beyond physical evidence to the psychology of domestic
16 violence situations by studying the dynamics of the
17 aggressor-victim relationship, separately evaluating
18 claims where both parties claim to be the victim, and
19 assessing the long-term effects of domestic violence
20 situations.

21 (c-10) Cadet training. The Division of the Academy and
22 Training shall provide the following basic training to
23 Illinois State Police cadets or ensure the following training
24 was completed prior to an Illinois State Police cadet becoming
25 an Illinois State Police officer:

26 (1) Animal fighting awareness and humane response;

1 training. Training required under this paragraph (1) shall
2 include a training program in animal fighting awareness
3 and humane response for Illinois State Police cadets. The
4 purpose of that training shall be for Illinois State
5 Police officers to identify animal fighting operations and
6 respond appropriately. Training under this paragraph (1)
7 shall include a humane response component that provides
8 guidelines for appropriate law enforcement response to
9 animal abuse, cruelty, and neglect, or similar condition,
10 as well as training on canine behavior and nonlethal ways
11 to subdue a canine.

12 (2) Arrest and use of force and control tactics and
13 officer safety; training. Training required under this
14 paragraph (2) must include, without limitation, training
15 on officer safety techniques, such as cover, concealment,
16 and time.

17 (3) Arrest of a parent or an immediate family member;
18 training. Training required under this paragraph (3) shall
19 instruct Illinois State Police cadets on trauma-informed
20 responses designed to ensure the physical safety and
21 well-being of a child of an arrested parent or immediate
22 family member, which must include, without limitation: (A)
23 training in understanding the trauma experienced by the
24 child while maintaining the integrity of the arrest and
25 safety of officers, suspects, and other involved
26 individuals; (B) training in de-escalation tactics that

1 would include the use of force when reasonably necessary;
2 and (C) training in understanding and inquiring whether a
3 child will require supervision and care.

4 (4) Autism and other developmental or physical
5 disabilities; training. Training required under this
6 paragraph (4) shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets
7 on identifying and interacting with persons with autism
8 and other developmental or physical disabilities, reducing
9 barriers to reporting crimes against persons with autism,
10 and addressing the unique challenges presented by cases
11 involving victims or witnesses with autism and other
12 developmental disabilities.

13 (5) Cell phone medical information; training. Training
14 required under this paragraph (5) shall instruct Illinois
15 State Police cadets to access and use medical information
16 stored in cell phones. The Division of the Academy and
17 Training may use the program approved under Section
18 2310-711 of the Department of Public Health Powers and
19 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois to
20 develop the training required under this paragraph (5).

21 (6) Compliance with the Health Care Violence
22 Prevention Act; training. Training required under this
23 paragraph (6) shall provide an appropriate level of
24 training for Illinois State Police cadets concerning the
25 Health Care Violence Prevention Act.

26 (7) Constitutional law; training. Training required

1 under this paragraph (7) shall instruct Illinois State
2 Police cadets on constitutional and proper use of law
3 enforcement authority, procedural justice, civil rights,
4 human rights, and cultural competency, including implicit
5 bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity.

6 (8) Courtroom testimony; training.

7 (9) Crime victims; training. Training required under
8 this paragraph (9) shall provide instruction in techniques
9 designed to promote effective communication at the initial
10 contact with crime victims and to comprehensively explain
11 to victims and witnesses their rights under the Rights of
12 Crime Victims and Witnesses Act and the Crime Victims
13 Compensation Act.

14 (10) Criminal law; training.

15 (11) Crisis intervention team and mental health
16 awareness; training. Training required under this
17 paragraph (11) shall include a specialty certification
18 course of at least 40 hours, addressing specialized
19 policing responses to people with mental illnesses. The
20 Division of the Academy and Training shall conduct Crisis
21 Intervention Team training programs that train officers to
22 identify signs and symptoms of mental illness, to
23 de-escalate situations involving individuals who appear to
24 have a mental illness and connect individuals in crisis to
25 treatment.

26 (12) Cultural diversity; training.

1 (A) The training required under this paragraph
2 (12) shall provide training to Illinois State Police
3 cadets concerning cultural competency and cultural
4 diversity, including sensitivity toward racial and
5 ethnic differences.

6 (B) This training shall include, but not be
7 limited to, an emphasis on the fact that the primary
8 purpose of enforcement of the Illinois Vehicle Code is
9 safety, equal, and uniform and non-discriminatory
10 enforcement under the law.

11 (13) De-escalation and use of force; training.
12 Training required under this paragraph (13) must consist
13 of at least 6 hours of instruction on use of force
14 techniques, including the use of de-escalation techniques
15 to prevent or reduce the need for force whenever safe and
16 feasible.

17 (14) Domestic violence; training. Training required
18 under this paragraph (14) shall provide aid in
19 understanding the actions of domestic violence victims and
20 abusers and to prevent further victimization of those who
21 have been abused, focusing specifically on looking beyond
22 the physical evidence to the psychology of domestic
23 violence situations, such as the dynamics of the
24 aggressor-victim relationship, separately evaluating
25 claims where both parties claim to be the victim, and
26 long-term effects. This shall include instruction on the

1 policies and procedures for administering a lethality
2 assessment, including how referrals to domestic violence
3 services would be handled by the law enforcement agency.

4 (15) Effective recognition of and responses to stress,
5 trauma, and post-traumatic stress; training. Training
6 required under this paragraph (15) shall instruct Illinois
7 State Police cadets to recognize and respond to stress,
8 trauma, and post-traumatic stress experienced by law
9 enforcement officers. The training must be consistent with
10 Section 25 of the Illinois Mental Health First Aid
11 Training Act in a peer setting, including recognizing
12 signs and symptoms of work-related cumulative stress,
13 issues that may lead to suicide, and solutions for
14 intervention with peer support resources.

15 (16) Elder abuse; training. Training required under
16 this paragraph (16) shall teach Illinois State Police
17 cadets to recognize neglect and financial exploitation
18 against the elderly and adults with disabilities. The
19 training shall also teach Illinois State Police cadets to
20 recognize self-neglect by the elderly and adults with
21 disabilities. In this subparagraph, "adults with
22 disabilities" has the meaning given to that term in the
23 Adult Protective Services Act.

24 (17) Electronic control devices; training. Training
25 required under this paragraph (17) shall include training
26 in the use of electronic control devices, including the

1 psychological and physiological effects of the use of
2 those devices on humans.

3 (18) Epinephrine auto-injector administration;
4 training. Training required under this paragraph (18)
5 shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets to recognize
6 and respond to anaphylaxis. The training must comply with
7 subsection (c) of Section 40 of the Illinois State Police
8 Act.

9 (19) Evidence collection; training. Training required
10 under this paragraph (19) must include proper procedures
11 for collecting, handling, and preserving evidence, and
12 rules of law.

13 (20) Firearms restraining orders; training. Providing
14 instruction on the process used to file a firearms
15 restraining order and how to identify situations in which
16 a firearms restraining order is appropriate and how to
17 safely promote the usage of the firearms restraining order
18 in different situations.

19 (21) Firearms; training. Successful completion of a
20 40-hour course of training in use of a suitable type
21 firearm shall be a condition precedent to the possession
22 and use of that respective firearm in connection with the
23 officer's official duties. To satisfy the requirements of
24 this Act, the training must include the following:

25 (A) Instruction in the dangers of misuse of the
26 firearm, safety rules, and care and cleaning of the

1 firearm.

2 (B) Practice firing on a range and qualification
3 with the firearm in accordance with the standards
4 established by the Board.

5 (C) Instruction in the legal use of firearms under
6 the Criminal Code of 2012 and relevant court
7 decisions.

8 (D) A forceful presentation of the ethical and
9 moral considerations assumed by any person who uses a
10 firearm.

11 (22) First-aid; training. First-aid training must
12 include cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

13 (23) Hate crimes; training. Training required under
14 this paragraph (23) shall instruct Illinois State Police
15 cadets in identifying, responding to, and reporting all
16 hate crimes.

17 (24) High-risk traffic stops; training. Training
18 required under this paragraph (24) must consist of at
19 least 6 hours of training focused on high-risk traffic
20 stops.

21 (25) High-speed vehicle chase; training. Training
22 required under this paragraph (25) shall instruct Illinois
23 State Police cadets on the hazards of high-speed police
24 vehicle chases with an emphasis on alternatives to the
25 high-speed vehicle chase.

26 (26) Human relations; training.

1 (27) Human trafficking; training. Training required
2 under this paragraph (27) shall instruct Illinois State
3 Police cadets in the detection and investigation of all
4 forms of human trafficking, including, but not limited to,
5 involuntary servitude under subsection (b) of Section 10-9
6 of the Criminal Code of 2012, involuntary sexual servitude
7 of a minor under subsection (c) of Section 10-9 of the
8 Criminal Code of 2012, and trafficking in persons under
9 subsection (d) of Section 10-9 of the Criminal Code of
10 2012. This program shall be made available to all cadets
11 and Illinois State Police officers.

12 (28) Juvenile law; training. Training required under
13 this paragraph (28) shall instruct Illinois State Police
14 cadets on juvenile law and the proper processing and
15 handling of juvenile offenders.

16 (29) Mandated reporter; training. Training required
17 under this paragraph (29) must be approved by the
18 Department of Children and Family Services as provided
19 under Section 4 of the Abused and Neglected Child
20 Reporting Act and includes training on the reporting of
21 child abuse and neglect.

22 (30) Mental conditions and crises, training. Training
23 required under this paragraph (30) shall include, without
24 limitation, (A) recognizing the disease of addiction, (B)
25 recognizing situations which require immediate assistance,
26 and (C) responding in a manner that safeguards and

1 provides assistance to individuals in need of mental
2 treatment.

3 (31) Officer wellness and suicide prevention;
4 training. The training required under this paragraph (31)
5 shall include instruction on job-related stress management
6 techniques, skills for recognizing signs and symptoms of
7 work-related cumulative stress, recognition of other
8 issues that may lead to officer suicide, solutions for
9 intervention, and a presentation on available peer support
10 resources.

11 (32) Officer-worn body cameras; training.

12 (A) As used in this paragraph (32), "officer-worn
13 body camera" has the meaning given to that term in
14 Article 10 of the Law Enforcement Officer-Worn Body
15 Camera Act.

16 (B) The training required under this paragraph
17 (32) shall provide training in the use of officer-worn
18 body cameras to cadets who will use officer-worn body
19 cameras.

20 (33) Opioid antagonists; training.

21 (A) As used in this paragraph (33), "opioid
22 antagonist" has the meaning given to that term in
23 subsection (e) of Section 5-23 of the Substance Use
24 Disorder Act.

25 (B) Training required under this paragraph (33)
26 shall instruct Illinois State Police cadets to

1 administer opioid antagonists.

2 (34) Persons arrested while under the influence of
3 alcohol or drugs; training. Training required under this
4 paragraph (34) shall comply with Illinois State Police
5 policy adopted under Section 2605-54. The training shall
6 be consistent with the Substance Use Disorder Act and
7 shall provide guidance for the arrest of persons under the
8 influence of alcohol or drugs, proper medical attention if
9 warranted, and care and release of those persons from
10 custody. The training shall provide guidance concerning
11 the release of persons arrested under the influence of
12 alcohol or drugs who are under the age of 21 years of age,
13 which shall include, but shall not be limited to,
14 instructions requiring the arresting officer to make a
15 reasonable attempt to contact a responsible adult who is
16 willing to take custody of the person who is under the
17 influence of alcohol or drugs.

18 (35) Physical training.

19 (36) Post-traumatic stress disorder; training.
20 Training required under this paragraph (36) shall equip
21 Illinois State Police cadets to identify the symptoms of
22 post-traumatic stress disorder and to respond
23 appropriately to individuals exhibiting those symptoms.

24 (37) Report writing; training. Training required under
25 this paragraph (37) shall instruct Illinois State Police
26 cadets on writing reports and proper documentation of

1 statements.

2 (38) Scenario training. At least 12 hours of hands-on,
3 scenario-based role-playing.

4 (39) Search and seizure; training. Training required
5 under this paragraph (39) shall instruct Illinois State
6 Police cadets on search and seizure, including temporary
7 questioning.

8 (40) Sexual assault and sexual abuse; training.
9 Training required under this paragraph (40) shall instruct
10 Illinois State Police cadets on sexual assault and sexual
11 abuse response and report writing training requirements,
12 including, but not limited to, the following:

13 (A) recognizing the symptoms of trauma;

14 (B) understanding the role trauma has played in a
15 victim's life;

16 (C) responding to the needs and concerns of a
17 victim;

18 (D) delivering services in a compassionate,
19 sensitive, and nonjudgmental manner;

20 (E) interviewing techniques in accordance with the
21 curriculum standards in subsection (f) of Section
22 10.19 of the Illinois Police Training Act;

23 (F) understanding cultural perceptions and common
24 myths of sexual assault and sexual abuse; and

25 (G) report-writing techniques in accordance with
26 the curriculum standards in subsection (f) of Section

1 10.19 of the Illinois Police Training Act and the
2 Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act.

3 (41) Traffic control and crash investigation;
4 training.

5 (d) The Division of the Academy and Training shall
6 administer and conduct a program consistent with 18 U.S.C.
7 926B and 926C for qualified active and retired Illinois State
8 Police officers.

9 (Source: P.A. 103-34, eff. 1-1-24; 103-939, eff. 1-1-25;
10 103-949, eff. 1-1-25; 104-24, eff. 1-1-26; 104-417, eff.
11 8-15-25; revised 9-10-25.)

12 Section 15. The Illinois Police Training Act is amended by
13 changing Section 7 as follows:

14 (50 ILCS 705/7)

15 Sec. 7. Rules and standards for schools. The Board shall
16 adopt rules and minimum standards for such schools which shall
17 include, but not be limited to, the following:

18 a. The curriculum for probationary law enforcement
19 officers which shall be offered by all certified schools
20 shall include, but not be limited to, courses of
21 procedural justice, arrest and use and control tactics,
22 search and seizure, including temporary questioning, civil
23 rights, human rights, human relations, cultural
24 competency, including implicit bias and racial and ethnic

1 sensitivity, criminal law, law of criminal procedure,
2 constitutional and proper use of law enforcement
3 authority, crisis intervention training, vehicle and
4 traffic law including uniform and non-discriminatory
5 enforcement of the Illinois Vehicle Code, traffic control
6 and crash investigation, techniques of obtaining physical
7 evidence, court testimonies, statements, reports, firearms
8 training, training in the use of electronic control
9 devices, including the psychological and physiological
10 effects of the use of those devices on humans, first aid
11 (including cardiopulmonary resuscitation), training in the
12 administration of opioid antagonists as defined in
13 paragraph (1) of subsection (e) of Section 5-23 of the
14 Substance Use Disorder Act, handling of juvenile
15 offenders, recognition of mental conditions and crises,
16 including, but not limited to, the disease of addiction,
17 which require immediate assistance and response and
18 methods to safeguard and provide assistance to a person in
19 need of mental treatment, recognition of abuse, neglect,
20 financial exploitation, and self-neglect of adults with
21 disabilities and older adults, as defined in Section 2 of
22 the Adult Protective Services Act, crimes against the
23 elderly, law of evidence, the hazards of high-speed police
24 vehicle chases with an emphasis on alternatives to the
25 high-speed chase, and physical training. The curriculum
26 shall include a block of instruction addressing

1 trauma-informed programs, procedures, and practices meant
2 to minimize traumatization of the victim. The curriculum
3 shall include specific training in techniques for
4 immediate response to and investigation of cases of
5 domestic violence, including domestic violence lethality
6 assessments, and of sexual assault of adults and children,
7 including cultural perceptions and common myths of sexual
8 assault and sexual abuse as well as interview techniques
9 that are age sensitive and are trauma informed, victim
10 centered, and victim sensitive. The curriculum shall
11 include training in techniques designed to promote
12 effective communication at the initial contact with crime
13 victims and ways to comprehensively explain to victims and
14 witnesses their rights under the Rights of Crime Victims
15 and Witnesses Act and the Crime Victims Compensation Act.
16 The curriculum shall also include training in effective
17 recognition of and responses to stress, trauma, and
18 post-traumatic stress experienced by law enforcement
19 officers that is consistent with Section 25 of the
20 Illinois Mental Health First Aid Training Act in a peer
21 setting, including recognizing signs and symptoms of
22 work-related cumulative stress, issues that may lead to
23 suicide, and solutions for intervention with peer support
24 resources. The curriculum shall include a block of
25 instruction addressing the mandatory reporting
26 requirements under the Abused and Neglected Child

1 Reporting Act. The curriculum shall also include a block
2 of instruction aimed at identifying and interacting with
3 persons with autism and other developmental or physical
4 disabilities, reducing barriers to reporting crimes
5 against persons with autism, and addressing the unique
6 challenges presented by cases involving victims or
7 witnesses with autism and other developmental
8 disabilities. The curriculum shall include training in the
9 detection and investigation of all forms of human
10 trafficking. The curriculum shall also include instruction
11 in trauma-informed responses designed to ensure the
12 physical safety and well-being of a child of an arrested
13 parent or immediate family member; this instruction must
14 include, but is not limited to: (1) understanding the
15 trauma experienced by the child while maintaining the
16 integrity of the arrest and safety of officers, suspects,
17 and other involved individuals; (2) de-escalation tactics
18 that would include the use of force when reasonably
19 necessary; and (3) inquiring whether a child will require
20 supervision and care. The curriculum for probationary law
21 enforcement officers shall include: (1) at least 12 hours
22 of hands-on, scenario-based role-playing; (2) at least 6
23 hours of instruction on use of force techniques, including
24 the use of de-escalation techniques to prevent or reduce
25 the need for force whenever safe and feasible; (3)
26 specific training on officer safety techniques, including

1 cover, concealment, and time; and (4) at least 6 hours of
2 training focused on high-risk traffic stops. The
3 curriculum for permanent law enforcement officers shall
4 include, but not be limited to: (1) refresher and
5 in-service training in any of the courses listed above in
6 this subparagraph, (2) advanced courses in any of the
7 subjects listed above in this subparagraph, (3) training
8 for supervisory personnel, and (4) specialized training in
9 subjects and fields to be selected by the board. The
10 training in the use of electronic control devices shall be
11 conducted for probationary law enforcement officers,
12 including University police officers. The curriculum shall
13 also include training on the use of a firearms restraining
14 order by providing instruction on the process used to file
15 a firearms restraining order and how to identify
16 situations in which a firearms restraining order is
17 appropriate.

18 b. Minimum courses of study, attendance requirements
19 and equipment requirements.

20 c. Minimum requirements for instructors.

21 d. Minimum basic training requirements, which a
22 probationary law enforcement officer must satisfactorily
23 complete before being eligible for permanent employment as
24 a local law enforcement officer for a participating local
25 governmental or State governmental agency. Those
26 requirements shall include training in first aid

1 (including cardiopulmonary resuscitation).

2 e. Minimum basic training requirements, which a
3 probationary county corrections officer must
4 satisfactorily complete before being eligible for
5 permanent employment as a county corrections officer for a
6 participating local governmental agency.

7 f. Minimum basic training requirements which a
8 probationary court security officer must satisfactorily
9 complete before being eligible for permanent employment as
10 a court security officer for a participating local
11 governmental agency. The Board shall establish those
12 training requirements which it considers appropriate for
13 court security officers and shall certify schools to
14 conduct that training.

15 A person hired to serve as a court security officer
16 must obtain from the Board a certificate (i) attesting to
17 the officer's successful completion of the training
18 course; (ii) attesting to the officer's satisfactory
19 completion of a training program of similar content and
20 number of hours that has been found acceptable by the
21 Board under the provisions of this Act; or (iii) attesting
22 to the Board's determination that the training course is
23 unnecessary because of the person's extensive prior law
24 enforcement experience.

25 Individuals who currently serve as court security
26 officers shall be deemed qualified to continue to serve in

1 that capacity so long as they are certified as provided by
2 this Act within 24 months of June 1, 1997 (the effective
3 date of Public Act 89-685). Failure to be so certified,
4 absent a waiver from the Board, shall cause the officer to
5 forfeit his or her position.

6 All individuals hired as court security officers on or
7 after June 1, 1997 (the effective date of Public Act
8 89-685) shall be certified within 12 months of the date of
9 their hire, unless a waiver has been obtained by the
10 Board, or they shall forfeit their positions.

11 The Sheriff's Merit Commission, if one exists, or the
12 Sheriff's Office if there is no Sheriff's Merit
13 Commission, shall maintain a list of all individuals who
14 have filed applications to become court security officers
15 and who meet the eligibility requirements established
16 under this Act. Either the Sheriff's Merit Commission, or
17 the Sheriff's Office if no Sheriff's Merit Commission
18 exists, shall establish a schedule of reasonable intervals
19 for verification of the applicants' qualifications under
20 this Act and as established by the Board.

21 g. Minimum in-service training requirements, which a
22 law enforcement officer must satisfactorily complete every
23 3 years. Those requirements shall include constitutional
24 and proper use of law enforcement authority; procedural
25 justice; civil rights; human rights; reporting child abuse
26 and neglect; autism-informed law enforcement responses,

1 techniques, and procedures; trauma-informed programs,
2 procedures, and practices meant to minimize traumatization
3 of the victim; and cultural competency, including implicit
4 bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity. These trainings
5 shall consist of at least 30 hours of training every 3
6 years.

7 h. Minimum in-service training requirements, which a
8 law enforcement officer must satisfactorily complete at
9 least annually. Those requirements shall include law
10 updates, emergency medical response training and
11 certification, crisis intervention training, and officer
12 wellness and mental health.

13 i. Minimum in-service training requirements as set
14 forth in Section 10.6.

15 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the
16 changes made to this Section by Public Act 101-652, Public Act
17 102-28, and Public Act 102-694 take effect July 1, 2022.

18 (Source: P.A. 103-154, eff. 6-30-23; 103-949, eff. 1-1-25;
19 104-84, eff. 1-1-26.)

20 Section 20. The Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986 is
21 amended by changing Sections 301.1 and 304 as follows:

22 (750 ILCS 60/301.1) (from Ch. 40, par. 2313-1.1)

23 Sec. 301.1. Law enforcement policies.

24 (a) Every law enforcement agency shall develop, adopt, and

1 implement written policies regarding arrest procedures for
2 domestic violence incidents consistent with the provisions of
3 this Act. In developing these policies, each law enforcement
4 agency shall consult with community organizations and other
5 law enforcement agencies with expertise in recognizing and
6 handling domestic violence incidents.

7 (b) In the initial training of new recruits and every 5
8 years in the continuing education of law enforcement officers,
9 every law enforcement agency shall provide training to aid in
10 understanding the actions of domestic violence victims and
11 abusers and to prevent further victimization of those who have
12 been abused, focusing specifically on looking beyond the
13 physical evidence to the psychology of domestic violence
14 situations, such as the dynamics of the aggressor-victim
15 relationship, separately evaluating claims where both parties
16 claim to be the victim, and long-term effects.

17 The Law Enforcement Training Standards Board shall
18 formulate and administer the training under this subsection
19 (b) as part of the current programs for both new recruits and
20 active law enforcement officers. The Board shall formulate the
21 training by July 1, 2017, and implement the training statewide
22 by July 1, 2018. In formulating the training, the Board shall
23 work with community organizations with expertise in domestic
24 violence to determine which topics to include. The Law
25 Enforcement Training Standards Board shall oversee the
26 implementation and continual administration of the training.

1 (c) On or before January 1, 2028, every law enforcement
2 agency shall provide to all of its law enforcement officers
3 instruction on the policies and procedures for administering a
4 lethality assessment under Section 304. A law enforcement
5 officer may not administer a lethality assessment under
6 Section 304 if the law enforcement officer has not received
7 instruction on administering a lethality assessment.

8 (Source: P.A. 99-810, eff. 1-1-17.)

9 (750 ILCS 60/304) (from Ch. 40, par. 2313-4)

10 Sec. 304. Assistance by law enforcement officers.

11 (a) Whenever a law enforcement officer has reason to
12 believe that a person has been abused, neglected, or exploited
13 by a family or household member, the officer shall immediately
14 use all reasonable means to prevent further abuse, neglect, or
15 exploitation, including:

16 (1) Arresting the abusing, neglecting, and exploiting
17 party, if appropriate. However, if the alleged offender is
18 a juvenile, then the officer, based on the totality of the
19 circumstances and using the Adolescent Domestic Battery
20 Typology Tool, may choose not to arrest the juvenile and
21 instead may divert the juvenile or may assist the juvenile
22 and the juvenile's family in finding alternative
23 placement. In any situation in which law enforcement does
24 not make an arrest under this Act, the officer shall
25 forward the report of the incident to the State's

1 Attorney's office for review;

2 (2) If there is probable cause to believe that
3 particular weapons were used to commit the incident of
4 abuse, subject to constitutional limitations, seizing and
5 taking inventory of the weapons;

6 (3) Accompanying the victim of abuse, neglect, or
7 exploitation to his or her place of residence for a
8 reasonable period of time to remove necessary personal
9 belongings and possessions;

10 (4) Offering the victim of abuse, neglect, or
11 exploitation immediate and adequate information (written
12 in a language appropriate for the victim or in Braille or
13 communicated in appropriate sign language), which shall
14 include a summary of the procedures and relief available
15 to victims of abuse under subsection (c) of Section 217
16 and the officer's name and badge number;

17 (5) Providing the victim with one referral to an
18 accessible service agency;

19 (6) Advising the victim of abuse about seeking medical
20 attention and preserving evidence (specifically including
21 photographs of injury or damage and damaged clothing or
22 other property); and

23 (7) Providing or arranging accessible transportation
24 for the victim of abuse (and, at the victim's request, any
25 minors or dependents in the victim's care) to a medical
26 facility for treatment of injuries or to a nearby place of

1 shelter or safety; or, after the close of court business
2 hours, providing or arranging for transportation for the
3 victim (and, at the victim's request, any minors or
4 dependents in the victim's care) to the nearest available
5 circuit judge or associate judge so the victim may file a
6 petition for an emergency order of protection under
7 subsection (c) of Section 217. When a victim of abuse
8 chooses to leave the scene of the offense, it shall be
9 presumed that it is in the best interests of any minors or
10 dependents in the victim's care to remain with the victim
11 or a person designated by the victim, rather than to
12 remain with the abusing party.

13 (b) Whenever a law enforcement officer does not exercise
14 arrest powers or otherwise initiate criminal proceedings, the
15 officer shall:

16 (1) Make a police report of the investigation of any
17 bona fide allegation of an incident of abuse, neglect, or
18 exploitation and the disposition of the investigation, in
19 accordance with subsection (a) of Section 303;

20 (2) Inform the victim of abuse neglect, or
21 exploitation of the victim's right to request that a
22 criminal proceeding be initiated where appropriate,
23 including specific times and places for meeting with the
24 State's Attorney's office, a warrant officer, or other
25 official in accordance with local procedure; and

26 (3) Advise the victim of the importance of seeking

1 medical attention and preserving evidence (specifically
2 including photographs of injury or damage and damaged
3 clothing or other property).

4 (c) Except as provided by Section 24-6 of the Criminal
5 Code of 2012 or under a court order, any weapon seized under
6 subsection (a)(2) shall be returned forthwith to the person
7 from whom it was seized when it is no longer needed for
8 evidentiary purposes.

9 (d) On or before July 1, 2028, a law enforcement officer
10 investigating an alleged incident of domestic violence shall
11 administer a lethality assessment if the allegation of
12 domestic violence is against an intimate partner, regardless
13 of whether an arrest is made.

14 Each law enforcement agency shall create a policy on
15 administering a lethality assessment, including how referrals
16 to domestic violence services would be handled by the law
17 enforcement agency.

18 If a victim does not, or is unable to, provide information
19 to a law enforcement officer sufficient to allow the law
20 enforcement officer to administer a lethality assessment, the
21 law enforcement officer must document the lack of a lethality
22 assessment in the written police report and refer the victim
23 to the nearest domestic violence center.

24 A law enforcement officer shall not include or attach in a
25 probable cause statement, written police report, or incident
26 report the domestic violence center to which a victim was

1 referred; such information is exempt under Section 7.5 of the
2 Freedom of Information Act.

3 (Source: P.A. 104-290, eff. 11-13-25.)

4 Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act makes
5 changes in a statute that is represented in this Act by text
6 that is not yet or no longer in effect (for example, a Section
7 represented by multiple versions), the use of that text does
8 not accelerate or delay the taking effect of (i) the changes
9 made by this Act or (ii) provisions derived from any other
10 Public Act.