100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB2539

Introduced 2/6/2018, by Sen. Scott M. Bennett

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/21-360 35 ILCS 200/21-385

Amends the Property Tax Code. In a Section requiring a receipt for payment of certain fees and costs incurred by a certificate holder, provides that the county clerk shall write or stamp the date of receiving upon the receipt. In a Section concerning notice of an extended period of redemption, provides that the county clerk shall write or stamp the date of receipt upon the notice, and provides that the county clerk is not required to extend the period of redemption unless the purchaser or his or her assignee obtains that acknowledgement of delivery. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing
Sections 21-360 and 21-385 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 200/21-360)

7 Sec. 21-360. Posting requirements. Except as otherwise 8 provided in Section 21-355, the county clerk shall not be 9 required to include amounts described in paragraphs (c) through 10 (k) of Section 21-355 in the payment for redemption or the amount received for redemption, nor shall payment thereof be a 11 12 charge on the property sold for taxes, unless the tax certificate holder has filed and posted with the county clerk 13 14 prior to redemption and in any event not less than 30 days prior to the expiration of the period of redemption or extended 15 16 period of redemption an official, original or duplicate receipt 17 for payment of those fees, costs and expenses permitted under paragraphs (c) through (k) of Section 21-355. Upon receiving an 18 19 official, original, or duplicate receipt, the county clerk 20 shall write or stamp the date of receiving upon the receipt. 21 The county clerk shall not be required to include amounts 22 described in paragraphs (c) through (k) of Section 21-355 unless the purchaser or his or her assignee obtains this 23

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1 acknowledgement of delivery.

2 (Source: P.A. 86-286; 86-413; 86-418; 86-949; 86-1028; 3 86-1158; 86-1481; 87-145; 87-236; 87-435; 87-895; 87-1189; 4 88-455.)

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(35 ILCS 200/21-385)

6 Sec. 21-385. Extension of period of redemption. The 7 purchaser or his or her assignee of property sold for 8 nonpayment of general taxes or special assessments may extend 9 the period of redemption at any time before the expiration of 10 the original period of redemption, or thereafter prior to the 11 expiration of any extended period of redemption, for a period 12 which will expire not later than 3 years from the date of sale, by filing with the county clerk of the county in which the 13 14 property is located a written notice to that effect describing 15 the property, stating the date of the sale and specifying the 16 extended period of redemption. Upon receiving the notice, the county clerk shall write or stamp the date of receipt upon the 17 notice. The county clerk shall not be required to extend the 18 period of redemption unless the purchaser or his or her 19 20 assignee obtains this acknowledgement of delivery. If prior to 21 the expiration of the period of redemption or extended period 22 of redemption a petition for tax deed has been filed under Section 22-30, upon application of the petitioner, the court 23 24 shall allow the purchaser or his or her assignee to extend the 25 period of redemption after expiration of the original period or

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any extended period of redemption, provided that any extension 1 2 allowed will expire not later than 3 years from the date of 3 sale. If the period of redemption is extended, the purchaser or his or her assignee must give the notices provided for in 4 5 Section 22-10 at the specified times prior to the expiration of 6 the extended period of redemption by causing a sheriff (or if 7 he or she is disqualified, a coroner) of the county in which 8 the property, or any part thereof, is located to serve the notices as provided in Sections 22-15 and 22-20. The notices 9 10 may also be served as provided in Sections 22-15 and 22-20 by a 11 special process server appointed by the court under Section 12 22-15.

13 (Source: P.A. 91-209, eff. 1-1-00; 91-554, eff. 8-14-99.)

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

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