HB3836 Engrossed

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by 5 adding Section 12-4.13c as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/12-4.13c new)

7 Sec. 12-4.13c. SNAP; online grocery shopping. The Department of Human Services shall seek approval from the 8 9 United States Department of Agriculture to participate in the 10 federal SNAP Online Purchasing Pilot program to enable recipients of benefits provided under the Supplemental 11 12 Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) to use their SNAP benefits to purchase groceries from eligible online grocery retailers. 13 14 Upon federal approval, the Department shall enter into an agreement with any online grocery retailer that is eligible to 15 16 participate in the federal SNAP Online Purchasing Pilot program 17 and may adopt any rules necessary to implement this Section.