

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

4 Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by adding  
5 Section 6-7 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 200/6-7 new)

7 Sec. 6-7. Board of review; counties with 3,000,000 or more  
8 inhabitants. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,  
9 beginning with the first vacancy to occur on or after the  
10 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 102nd General  
11 Assembly, in addition to any other requirements set forth by  
12 law, each member of the board of review in a county with  
13 3,000,000 or more inhabitants must be an attorney licensed to  
14 practice law in Illinois. This Section is a denial and  
15 limitation of home rule powers and functions in accordance  
16 with subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois  
17 Constitution. A home rule unit may not regulate its board of  
18 review in a manner that is inconsistent with this Section.