

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB3765

Introduced 2/22/2021, by Rep. Thaddeus Jones

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

415 ILCS 40/14a new

Amends the Public Water Supply Regulation Act. Provides that the State or a unit of local government may not contract for the sale or lease of water resources for a period longer than 4 years, inclusive of extensions or renewals of the contract. Limits home rule powers.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

HOME RULE NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning safety.

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

- Section 5. The Public Water Supply Regulation Act is amended by adding Section 14a as follows:
- 6 (415 ILCS 40/14a new)
- 7 Sec. 14a. Sale of water resources.
- 8 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on and
 9 after this effective date of this amendatory Act of the 102nd
 10 General Assembly, the State or a unit of local government may
 11 not contract for the sale or lease of water resources for a
 12 period longer than 4 years, inclusive of extensions or
- 13 <u>renewals of the contract.</u>
- 14 <u>(b) A home rule unit may not regulate the sale of water</u>
 15 <u>resources in a manner inconsistent with this Section. This</u>
 16 <u>Section is a limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of</u>
 17 <u>Article VII of the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent</u>
 18 <u>exercise by home rule units of powers and functions exercised</u>
- 19 by the State.