

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 SB2207

Introduced 2/26/2021, by Sen. Jason Plummer

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

50 ILCS 205/25 new

Amends the Local Records Act. Provides that a unit of local government shall compile a list of the pay and benefits of every employee, consultant, contractor, and other personnel of the unit of local government whose accumulated payments or compensation are at least \$1,000 during each fiscal year. Provides that the list shall continue to be updated throughout the entire fiscal year by adding additional names of persons being paid at least \$1,000. Provides that the unit of local government shall publish on its website, if it has one, the compiled list and shall update the list at least annually. Provides that, if the unit of local government does not have a website, the unit of local government shall publish the list, on an annual basis, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the unit of local government is located. Limits home rule powers.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY HOME RULE NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

- Section 5. The Local Records Act is amended by adding Section 25 as follows:
- 6 (50 ILCS 205/25 new)

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- Sec. 25. Compensation greater than \$1,000.
- (a) A unit of local government shall compile a list of the 8 pay and benefits of every employee, consultant, contractor, and other personnel of the unit of local government whose 10 accumulated payments or compensation are at least \$1,000 11 12 during each fiscal year. Exempt material listed under Section 7 of the Freedom of Information Act shall not be included in 13 14 the list. The list shall continue to be updated throughout the entire fiscal year by adding additional names of persons whose 15 16 accumulated payments or compensation are at least \$1,000.
 - (b) A unit of local government shall publish on its website, if it has one, the public record compiled under subsection (a) and shall update the list at least annually. If the unit of local government does not have a website, the unit of local government shall publish the list, on an annual basis, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the unit of local government is located.
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- 1 (c) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to require
 2 a unit of local government to compile or publish information
 3 about payments or compensation to jurors.
 - (d) A home rule unit may not compile or publish the list of the pay and benefits under this Section in a manner inconsistent with this Section. This Section is a limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home rule units of powers and functions exercised by the State.