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AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3903

AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 3903 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Department of Agriculture Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section 205-40 as follows:

(20 ILCS 205/205-40) (was 20 ILCS 205/40.31)

Sec. 205-40. Export consulting service and standards. The Department and, upon request, the in cooperation with the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, shall (1) provide a consulting service to those who desire to export farm products, commodities, and supplies and guide them in their efforts to improve trade relations; (2) cooperate with agencies and instrumentalities of the federal government to develop export grade standards for farm products, commodities, and supplies produced in Illinois and adopt reasonable rules

1 and regulations to ensure that exports of those products, commodities, and supplies comply with those standards; (3) 2 upon request and after inspection of any such farm product, 3 4 commodity, or supplies, certify compliance or noncompliance 5 with those standards; (4) provide an informational program to 6 existing and potential foreign importers of farm products, commodities, and supplies; (5) qualify for U. S. Department of 7 Agriculture matching funds for overseas promotion of farm 8 9 products, commodities, and supplies according to the federal 10 requirements regarding State expenditures that are eligible 11 for matching funds; and (6) provide a consulting service to who desire to export processed or value-added 12 persons 13 agricultural products and assist those persons in ascertaining 14 legal and regulatory restrictions and market preferences that 15 affect the sale of value-added agricultural products in 16 foreign markets.

(Source: P.A. 100-110, eff. 8-15-17.)

18 (20 ILCS 605/605-820 rep.)

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Section 10. The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by repealing Section 605-820.

Section 15. The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section 605-913 as follows:

1 (20 ILCS 605/605-913)

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- Sec. 605-913. Clean Water Workforce Pipeline Program.
 - (a) The General Assembly finds the following:
 - (1) The fresh surface water and groundwater supply in Illinois and Lake Michigan constitute vital natural resources that require careful stewardship and protection for future generations. Access to safe and clean drinking water is the right of all Illinois residents.
 - (2) To adequately protect these resources and provide safe and clean drinking water, substantial investment is needed to replace lead components in drinking water infrastructure, improve wastewater treatment, flood control, and stormwater management, control aquatic invasive species, implement green infrastructure solutions, and implement other infrastructure solutions to protect water quality.
 - (3) Implementing these clean water solutions will require a skilled and trained workforce, and new investments will demand additional workers with specialized skills.
 - (4) Water infrastructure jobs have been shown to provide living wages and contribute to Illinois' economy.
 - (5) Significant populations of Illinois residents, including, but not limited to, residents of environmental justice communities, economically and socially

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disadvantaged communities, those returning from the criminal justice system, foster care alumni, and in particular women and transgender persons, are in need of access to skilled living wage jobs like those in the water infrastructure sector.

- (6) Many of these residents are more likely to live in communities with aging and inadequate clean water infrastructure and suffer from threats to surface and drinking water quality.
- The State can provide significant economic (7) opportunities to these residents and achieve greater environmental and public health by investing in clean water infrastructure.
- (8) New training, recruitment, support, and placement efforts are needed to connect these residents with career opportunities in water infrastructure.
- State must invest in both clean water infrastructure and workforce development efforts in order to achieve these goals.
- (b) Subject to appropriation, From appropriations made from the Build Illinois Bond Fund, Capital Development Fund, or General Revenue Fund or other funds as identified by the Department, the Department may shall create a Clean Water Workforce Pipeline Program to provide grants and other financial assistance to prepare and support individuals for careers in water infrastructure. All funding provided by the

- 1 Program under this Section shall be designed to encourage and
- 2 facilitate employment in projects funded through State capital
- 3 investment and provide participants a skill set to allow them
- 4 to work professionally in fields related to water
- 5 infrastructure.
- 6 Grants and other financial assistance may be made
- 7 available on a competitive annual basis to organizations that
- 8 demonstrate a capacity to recruit, support, train, and place
- 9 individuals in water infrastructure careers, including, but
- 10 not limited to, community organizations, educational
- 11 institutions, workforce investment boards, community action
- 12 agencies, and multi-craft labor organizations for new efforts
- 13 specifically focused on engaging residents of environmental
- justice communities, economically and socially disadvantaged
- 15 communities, those returning from the criminal justice system,
- 16 foster care alumni, and in particular women and transgender
- 17 persons in these populations.
- Grants and other financial assistance <u>may</u> shall be awarded
- 19 on a competitive and annual basis for the following
- 20 activities:
- 21 (1) identification of individuals for job training in
- 22 the water sector;
- 23 (2) counseling, preparation, skills training, and
- other support to increase a candidate's likelihood of
- success in a job training program and career;
- 26 (3) financial support for individuals in a water

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- sector job skills training program, support services, and transportation assistance tied to training under this Section;
 - (4) job placement services for individuals during and after completion of water sector job skills training programs; and
 - (5) financial, administrative, and management assistance for organizations engaged in these activities.
 - (c) It shall be an annual goal of the Program to train and place at least 300, or 25% of the number of annual jobs created by State financed water infrastructure projects, whichever is greater, of the following persons in water sector-related apprenticeships annually: residents of environmental justice communities; residents of economically and socially disadvantaged communities; those returning from the criminal justice system; foster care alumni; and, in particular, women and transgender persons. In awarding and administering grants under this Program, the Department shall strive to provide assistance equitably throughout the State.

In order to encourage the employment of individuals trained through the Program onto projects receiving State financial assistance, the Department <u>may shall</u> coordinate with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, the Illinois Finance Authority, and other State agencies that provide financial support for water infrastructure projects. These agencies may <u>shall</u> take steps to support attaining the

- 1 training and placement goals set forth in this subsection,
- 2 using a list of projects that receive State financial support.
- 3 These agencies may propose and adopt rules to facilitate the
- 4 attainment of this goal.
- 5 Using funds appropriated for the purposes of this Section,
- 6 the Department may select through a competitive bidding
- 7 process a Program Administrator to oversee the allocation of
- 8 funds and select organizations that receive funding.
- 9 When the program is active, recipients Recipients of
- 10 grants under the Program shall report annually to the
- 11 Department on the success of their efforts and their
- 12 contribution to reaching the goals of the Program provided in
- 13 this subsection. When the program is active, the $\frac{\pi}{1}$
- 14 Department shall compile this information and annually report
- 15 to the General Assembly on the Program, including, but not
- limited to, the following information:
- 17 (1) progress toward the goals stated in this
- 18 subsection;
- 19 (2) any increase in the percentage of water industry
- jobs in targeted populations;
- 21 (3) any increase in the rate of acceptance,
- completion, or retention of water training programs among
- 23 targeted populations;
- 24 (4) any increase in the rate of employment, including
- 25 hours and annual income, measured against pre-Program
- 26 participant income; and

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- 1 (5) any recommendations for future changes to optimize 2 the success of the Program.
 - appropriation, Within 90 days of the program receiving an appropriation, Within 90 days after January 1, 2020 (the effective date of Public Act 101 576), the Department may shall propose a draft plan to implement this Section for public comment. The Department may shall allow a minimum of 60 days for public comment on the plan, including one or more public hearings, if requested. The Department may shall finalize the plan within 180 days of January 1, 2020 (the effective date of Public Act 101-576).

The Department may propose and adopt any rules necessary for the implementation of the Program and to ensure compliance with this Section.

(e) (Blank). The Water Workforce Development Fund is created as a special fund in the State treasury. The Fund shall receive moneys appropriated for the purpose of this Section from the Build Illinois Bond Fund, the Capital Development Fund, the General Revenue Fund and any other funds. Moneys in the Fund shall only be used to fund the Program and to assist and enable implementation of clean water infrastructure capital investments. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the Water Workforce Development Fund is not subject to sweeps, administrative charge backs, or any other fiscal or budgetary maneuver that would in any way transfer any amounts from the Water Workforce Development Fund into any other fund

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- 2 (f) For purpose of this Section:
- 3 "Environmental justice community" has the meaning provided
- 4 in subsection (b) of Section 1-50 of the Illinois Power Agency
- 5 Act.
- 6 "Multi-craft labor organization" means a joint
- 7 labor-management apprenticeship program registered with and
- 8 approved by the United States Department of Labor's Office of
- 9 Apprenticeship or a labor organization that has an accredited
- 10 training program through the Higher Learning Commission or the
- 11 Illinois Community College Board.
- "Organization" means a corporation, company, partnership,
- association, society, order, labor organization, or individual
- or aggregation of individuals.
- 15 (Source: P.A. 101-576, eff. 1-1-20; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21.)
- 16 (20 ILCS 615/Act rep.)
- 17 Section 20. The Displaced Homemakers Assistance Act is
- 18 repealed.
- 19 (20 ILCS 630/3 rep.)
- 20 (20 ILCS 630/5 rep.)
- 21 Section 22. The Illinois Emergency Employment Development
- 22 Act is amended by repealing Sections 3 and 5.
- 23 Section 25. The Renewable Energy, Energy Efficiency, and

- Coal Resources Development Law of 1997 is amended by changing 1
- 2 Section 6-6 as follows:
- 3 (20 ILCS 687/6-6)
- (Section scheduled to be repealed on December 31, 2025) 4
- Sec. 6-6. Energy efficiency program. 5
- (a) For the year beginning January 1, 1998, and thereafter 6 as provided in this Section, each electric utility as defined 7 8 in Section 3-105 of the Public Utilities Act and each 9 alternative retail electric supplier as defined in Section 10 16-102 of the Public Utilities Act supplying electric power and energy to retail customers located in the State of 11 12 Illinois shall contribute annually a pro rata share of a total 13 amount of \$3,000,000 based upon the number of kilowatt-hours 14 sold by each such entity in the 12 months preceding the year of 15 contribution. On or before May 1 of each year, the Illinois Commerce Commission shall determine and notify the Agency of 16 the pro rata share owed by each electric utility and each 17 alternative retail electric supplier based upon information 18 19 supplied annually to the Illinois Commerce Commission. On or before June 1 of each year, the Agency shall send written 20 notification to each electric utility and each alternative 21 22 retail electric supplier of the amount of pro rata share they owe. These contributions shall be remitted to the Illinois 23 24 Environmental Protection Agency Department of Revenue on or 25 before June 30 of each year the contribution is due on a return

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prescribed and furnished by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Department of Revenue showing information as the <u>Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> Department of Revenue may reasonably require. The funds received pursuant to this Section shall be subject to the appropriation of funds by the General Assembly. The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Department of Revenue shall place the funds remitted under this Section in a trust fund, that is hereby created in the State Treasury, called the Energy Efficiency Trust Fund. If an electric utility or alternative retail electric supplier does not remit its pro rata share to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Department of Revenue, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Department of Revenue must inform the Illinois Commerce Commission of such failure. The Illinois Commerce Commission may then revoke the certification of that electric utility or alternative retail electric supplier. The Illinois Commerce Commission may not renew the certification of any electric utility or alternative retail electric supplier that is delinquent in paying its pro rata share. These changes made to this subsection (a) by this amendatory Act of the 103rd General Assembly apply beginning July 1, 2023.

(b) The Agency shall disburse the moneys in the Energy Efficiency Trust Fund to benefit residential electric customers through projects which the Agency has determined will promote energy efficiency in the State of Illinois. The

- 1 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity shall
- 2 establish a list of projects eligible for grants from the
- 3 Energy Efficiency Trust Fund including, but not limited to,
- 4 supporting energy efficiency efforts for low-income
- 5 households, replacing energy inefficient windows with more
- 6 efficient windows, replacing energy inefficient appliances
- 7 with more efficient appliances, replacing energy inefficient
- 8 lighting with more efficient lighting, insulating dwellings
- 9 and buildings, using market incentives to encourage energy
- 10 efficiency, and such other projects which will increase energy
- 11 efficiency in homes and rental properties.
- 12 (c) The Agency may, by administrative rule, establish
- criteria and an application process for this grant program.
- 14 (d) (Blank).
- 15 (e) (Blank).
- 16 (Source: P.A. 102-444, eff. 8-20-21.)
- 17 (20 ILCS 701/Act rep.)
- 18 Section 27. The High Technology School-to-Work Act is
- 19 repealed.
- 20 (20 ILCS 1120/Act rep.)
- 21 Section 30. The Energy Policy and Planning Act is
- 22 repealed.
- 23 (20 ILCS 1510/65 rep.)

- 1 Section 40. The Illinois Guaranteed Job Opportunity Act is
- 2 amended by repealing Section 65.
- 3 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-76 rep.)
- 4 Section 45. The Department of Public Health Powers and
- 5 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is
- amended by repealing Section 2310-76. 6
- 7 (20 ILCS 2335/Act rep.)
- 8 Section 50. The Community Health Worker Advisory Board Act
- 9 is repealed.
- 10 (20 ILCS 3934/Act rep.)
- 11 Section 55. The Electronic Health Records Taskforce Act is
- 12 repealed.
- Section 60. The Green Governments Illinois Act is amended 13
- 14 by changing Section 15 as follows:
- 15 (20 ILCS 3954/15)
- Sec. 15. Council membership and administrative support. 16
- 17 Representatives from various State agencies
- 18 universities with specific fiscal, procurement, educational,
- and environmental policy expertise shall comprise the Council. 19
- 20 Until the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th
- 21 General Assembly, the Lieutenant Governor is the chair of the

- 1 Council. On and after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly, the Governor is the chair of 2 3 the Council, and the Lieutenant Governor, or his or her 4 designee, shall be a member of the council. The director or 5 President, respectively, of each of the following State agencies and State universities, or his or her designee, is a 6 7 member of the Council: the Department of Commerce and Economic 8 Opportunity, the Environmental Protection Agency, 9 University of Illinois, the Department of Natural Resources, 10 the Department of Central Management Services, the Governor's 11 Office Management Budget, of and the Department 12 Agriculture, the Department of Transportation, the Department 13 of Corrections, the Department of Human Services, 14 Department of Public Health, the State Board of Education, the
- The Office of the Governor shall provide administrative support to the Council. A minimum of one staff position in the Office of the Governor shall be dedicated to the Green Governments Illinois program.

Board of Higher Education, and the Capital Development Board.

- 20 (Source: P.A. 97-573, eff. 8-25-11; 98-346, eff. 8-14-13.)
- 21 (30 ILCS 105/5.914 rep.)
- Section 63. The State Finance Act is amended by repealing
- 23 Section 5.914.

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Section 65. The State Finance Act is amended by changing

Sections 5k and 6z-75 as follows:

2 (30 ILCS 105/5k)

- 3 Sec. 5k. Cash flow borrowing and general funds liquidity; 4 FY15.
- (a) In order to meet cash flow deficits and to maintain 5 liquidity in the General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance 6 Reserve Fund, on and after July 1, 2014 and through June 30, 7 8 2015, the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller shall make 9 transfers to the General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance 10 Reserve Fund, as directed by the Governor, out of special funds of the State, to the extent allowed by federal law. No 11 12 such transfer may reduce the cumulative balance of all of the 13 special funds of the State to an amount less than the total 14 debt service payable during the 12 months immediately 15 following the date of the transfer on any bonded indebtedness of the State and any certificates issued under the Short Term 16 Borrowing Act. At no time shall the outstanding total 17 18 transfers made from the special funds of the State to the 19 General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance Reserve Fund 20 under this Section exceed \$650,000,000; once the amount of 21 \$650,000,000 has been transferred from the special funds of 22 the State to the General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance 23 Reserve Fund, additional transfers may be made from the 24 special funds of the State to the General Revenue Fund and the 25 Health Insurance Reserve Fund under this Section only to the

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extent that moneys have first been re-transferred from the General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance Reserve Fund to those special funds of the State. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, no such transfer may be made from any special fund that is exclusively collected by or appropriated to any other constitutional officer without the written approval of that constitutional officer.

(b) If moneys have been transferred to the General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance Reserve Fund pursuant to subsection (a) of this Section, this amendatory Act of the General Assembly shall constitute the continuing authority for and direction to the State Treasurer and State Comptroller to reimburse the funds of origin from the General Revenue Fund by transferring to the funds of origin, at such times and in such amounts as directed by the Governor when necessary to support appropriated expenditures from the funds, an amount equal to that transferred from them plus any interest that would have accrued thereon had the transfer not occurred. When any of the funds from which moneys have been transferred pursuant to subsection (a) have insufficient cash from which the State Comptroller may make expenditures properly supported by appropriations from the fund, then the State Treasurer and State Comptroller shall transfer from the General Revenue Fund to the fund only such amount as is immediately necessary to satisfy outstanding expenditure obligations on a timely basis.

1	(c) On the first day of each quarterly period in each
2	fiscal year, until such time as a report indicates that all
3	moneys borrowed and interest pursuant to this Section have
4	been repaid, the Governor's Office of Management and Budget
5	shall provide to the President and the Minority Leader of the
6	Senate, the Speaker and the Minority Leader of the House of
7	Representatives, and the Commission on Government Forecasting
8	and Accountability a report on all transfers made pursuant to
9	this Section in the prior <u>fiscal year</u> quarterly period . The
10	report must be provided in electronic format. The report must
11	include all of the following:

- (1) The date each transfer was made.
- 13 (2) The amount of each transfer.
- (3) In the case of a transfer from the General Revenue 14 15 Fund to a fund of origin pursuant to subsection (b) of this 16 Section, the amount of interest being paid to the fund of 17 origin.
- (4) The end of day balance of the fund of origin, the 18 General Revenue Fund and the Health Insurance Reserve Fund 19 20 on the date the transfer was made.
- (Source: P.A. 98-682, eff. 6-30-14; 99-523, eff. 6-30-16.) 21
- 22 (30 ILCS 105/6z-75)

- 23 Sec. 6z-75. The Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund.
- 24 (a) Creation. The Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund is 25 created as a special fund in the State treasury. The State

- 1 Treasurer shall be the custodian of the Fund. Amounts in the
- 2 Fund, both principal and interest not appropriated, shall be
- 3 invested as provided by law.

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- (b) Funding and investment.
- (1) The Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund may accept, receive, and administer any grants, loans, or other funds made available to it by any source. Any such funds received by the Fund shall not be considered income, but shall be added to the principal of the Fund.
- (2) The investments of the Fund shall be managed by the Illinois State Board of Investment, for the purpose of obtaining a total return on investments for the long term, as provided for under Article 22A of the Illinois Pension Code.
- (c) Investment proceeds. Subject to the provisions of subsection (d) of this Section, the General Assembly may annually appropriate from the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund to the Illinois Power Agency Operations Fund an amount calculated not to exceed 90% of the prior fiscal year's annual investment income earned by the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund to the Illinois Power Agency. Any investment income not appropriated by the General Assembly in a given fiscal year shall be added to the principal of the Fund, and thereafter considered a part thereof and not subject to appropriation as income earned by the Fund.
 - (d) Expenditures.

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- (1) During Fiscal Year 2008 and Fiscal Year 2009, the General Assembly shall not appropriate any of investment income earned by the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund to the Illinois Power Agency.
 - (2) During Fiscal Year 2010 and Fiscal Year 2011, the General Assembly shall appropriate a portion of the investment income earned by the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund to repay to the General Revenue Fund of the State of Illinois those amounts, if any, appropriated from the General Revenue Fund for the operation of the Illinois Power Agency during Fiscal Year 2008 and Fiscal Year 2009, so that at the end of Fiscal Year 2011, the entire amount, if any, appropriated from the General Revenue Fund for the operation of the Illinois Power Agency during Fiscal Year 2008 and Fiscal Year 2009 will be repaid in full to the General Revenue Fund.
 - (3) In Fiscal Year 2012 and thereafter, the General Assembly shall consider the need to balance appropriations from the investment income earned by the Fund with the need to provide for the growth of the principal of the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund in order to ensure that the Fund is able to produce sufficient investment income to fund the operations of the Illinois Power Agency in future years.
 - If the Illinois Power Agency shall operations, then, unless otherwise provided for by law or

- 1 appropriation, the principal and any investment income
- 2 earned by the Fund shall be transferred into the
- 3 Supplemental Low-Income Energy Assistance Fund.
- 4 (e) Implementation. The provisions of this Section shall
- 5 not be operative until the Illinois Power Agency Trust Fund
- 6 has accumulated a principal balance of \$25,000,000.
- 7 (Source: P.A. 102-1071, eff. 6-10-22.)
- 8 Section 70. The Industrial Development Assistance Law is
- 9 amended by changing Sections 4, 5, and 7 as follows:
- 10 (30 ILCS 720/4) (from Ch. 85, par. 894)
- 11 Sec. 4. Recognition of industrial development agencies.
- 12 The Department, upon receipt of certified copies of such
- 13 resolutions as may be necessary to satisfy it that an
- 14 industrial development agency has been duly chosen to act
- 15 within a particular county, may shall recognize such
- industrial development agency as the sole such agency within
- such county for the purposes of this Act.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 76-1961.)
- 19 (30 ILCS 720/5) (from Ch. 85, par. 895)
- Sec. 5. Applications for and approval of grants to
- 21 industrial development agencies. Subject to appropriation, the
- 22 The Department is authorized to make grants to recognized
- industrial development agencies, to assist such agencies in

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- 1 the financing of their operational costs for the purposes of making studies, surveys and investigations, the compilation of 2 data and statistics and in the carrying out of planning and 3 4 promotional programs; but before any such grant may be made,
 - The industrial development agency shall have made application to the Department for such grant, and shall have therein set forth the studies proposed to be made, the statistics, data and surveys proposed to be completed, and the program proposed to be undertaken for the purpose of encouraging and stimulating industrial development in the county. The application shall further state, under oath or affirmation, with evidence thereof satisfactory to department, the amount of funds held by or committed or subscribed to the industrial development agency application to the purposes herein described and the amount of the grant for which application is made; and
 - (B) The Department, after review of the application, if satisfied that the program of the industrial development agency appears to be in accord with the purposes of this Act, shall authorize the making of a matching grant to such industrial development agency equal to funds of the agency allocated by it to the program described in its application; but such State grant shall not exceed an amount equal to one-twentieth of one dollar for each inhabitant of the county or counties represented by such agency as determined by the last preceding decennial United States Census.

- 1 (Source: P.A. 76-1961.)
- 2 (30 ILCS 720/7) (from Ch. 85, par. 897)
- 3 Sec. 7. Rules and regulations of the department. In order
- 4 to effectuate and enforce the provisions of this Act, the
- Department may adopt is authorized to promulgate necessary 5
- 6 rules and regulations and prescribe procedures in order to
- 7 assure compliance by industrial development agencies in
- 8 carrying out the purposes for which grants may be made
- 9 hereunder.
- (Source: P.A. 76-1961.) 10
- 11 Section 75. The Build Illinois Act is amended by changing
- Section 9-4.2a as follows: 12
- 13 (30 ILCS 750/9-4.2a)
- Sec. 9-4.2a. Rural micro-business loans. 14
- 15 In order to increase the growth of small rural
- 16 businesses, the rural micro-business loan program is created
- 17 and shall be administered by the Department of Commerce and
- Economic Opportunity, subject to appropriation. This program 18
- shall help small businesses that lack sufficient collateral or 19
- 20 equity access funds at competitive terms to help create or
- 21 retain jobs, modernize equipment or facilities, and maintain
- 2.2 their competitiveness.
- 23 (b) In the making of loans for rural micro-businesses, as

- 1 defined below, the Department is authorized to employ
- different criteria in lieu of the general provisions of 2
- subsections (b), (d), (e), (f), (h), and (i) of Section 9-4. 3
- 4 The Department shall adopt rules for the administration of
- 5 this program.
- For purposes of this Section, "rural micro-business" means 6
- a business that: (i) employs 5 or fewer full-time employees, 7
- 8 including the owner if the owner is an employee, and (ii) is
- based on the production, processing, or marketing of 9
- 10 agricultural products, forest products, cottage and craft
- 11 products, or tourism.
- (c) The Department may shall determine by rule the amount, 12
- 13 term, interest rate, and allowable uses of loans awarded under
- 14 this program, except that:
- 15 (1) The loan shall not exceed \$25,000 or 50% of the
- 16 business project costs, unless the Director of the
- Department determines that a waiver of these limits is 17
- 18 required to meet the purposes of this Act.
- (2) The loan shall only be made if the Department 19
- 20 determines that the number of jobs to be created or
- 2.1 retained by the business is reasonable in relation to the
- 22 loan funds requested.
- (3) The borrower shall provide a written statement of 23
- 24 the funds required to establish or support the business
- 25 and shall provide equity capital in an amount equal to 10%
- 26 of the first \$10,000 of the required funds and equity

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- capital, other loans, or leveraged capital, or any combination thereof, in an amount equal to 50% of any additional required funds.
 - (4) The loan shall be in a principal amount and form and contain terms and provisions with respect to security, insurance, reporting, delinquency charges, default remedies, and other matters that the Department determines are appropriate to protect the public interest and are consistent with the purposes of this Section. The terms and provisions may be less than required for similar loans not covered by this Section.
- 12 (5) The Department shall award no less than 80% of the
 13 amount available for this program for loans to businesses
 14 that are located in counties with a population of 100,000
 15 or less.
- 16 (Source: P.A. 94-392, eff. 8-1-05.)
- Section 80. The State Mandates Act is amended by changing

 Section 4 as follows:
- 19 (30 ILCS 805/4) (from Ch. 85, par. 2204)
- Sec. 4. Collection and maintenance of information concerning state mandates.
- 22 (a) The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, 23 hereafter referred to as the Department, shall, subject to
- 24 <u>appropriation</u>, be responsible for:

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- (1) Collecting and maintaining information on State mandates, including information required for effective implementation of the provisions of this Act.
 - (2) Reviewing local government applications for reimbursement submitted under this Act in cases in which the General Assembly has appropriated funds to reimburse local governments for costs associated with the implementation of a State mandate. In cases in which there is no appropriation for reimbursement, upon a request for determination of a mandate by a unit of local government, or more than one unit of local government filing a single request, other than a school district or a community college district, the Department shall determine whether a Public Act constitutes a mandate and, if so, the Statewide cost of implementation.
 - (3) Hearing complaints or suggestions from local governments and other affected organizations as to existing or proposed State mandates.
 - (4) Reporting each year to the Governor and the General Assembly regarding the administration of provisions of this Act and changes proposed to this Act.

The Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability shall conduct public hearings as needed to review the information collected and the recommendations made by the Department under this subsection (a). The Department shall cooperate fully with the Commission on Government

- Forecasting and Accountability, providing any information, 1
- supporting documentation and other assistance required by the 2
- 3 Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability to
- 4 facilitate the conduct of the hearing.
- 5 (b) Within 2 years following the effective date of this
- Act, the Department shall, subject to appropriation, collect 6
- and tabulate relevant information as to the nature and scope 7
- of each existing State mandate, including but not necessarily 8
- 9 limited to (i) identity of type of local government and local
- 10 government agency or official to whom the mandate is directed;
- (ii) whether or not an identifiable local direct cost is 11
- necessitated by the mandate and the estimated annual amount; 12
- 13 (iii) extent of State financial participation, if any, in
- 14 meeting identifiable costs; (iv) State agency, if any, charged
- 15 with supervising the implementation of the mandate; and (v) a
- 16 brief description of the mandate and a citation of its origin
- 17 in statute or regulation.
- (c) The resulting information from subsection (b) shall be 18
- published in a catalog available to members of the General 19
- 20 Assembly, State and local officials, and interested citizens.
- 2.1 As new mandates are enacted they shall be added to the catalog,
- 22 and each January 31 the Department shall, subject to
- 23 appropriation, list each new mandate enacted at the preceding
- 24 session of the General Assembly, and the estimated additional
- 25 identifiable direct costs, if any imposed upon local
- 26 governments. A revised version of the catalog shall, subject

- 1 to appropriation, be published every 2 years beginning with
- 2 the publication date of the first catalog.
- 3 (d) Failure of the General Assembly to appropriate
- 4 adequate funds for reimbursement as required by this Act shall
- 5 not relieve the Department of Commerce and Economic
- 6 Opportunity from its obligations under this Section.
- 7 (Source: P.A. 100-1148, eff. 12-10-18.)
- 8 (70 ILCS 210/22.1 rep.)
- 9 Section 85. The Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority
- 10 Act is amended by repealing Section 22.1.
- 11 Section 90. The Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship Training
- 12 Act is amended by changing Section 5 as follows:
- 13 (110 ILCS 46/5)
- 14 Sec. 5. Creation of program. The University of Illinois
- 15 at Chicago and Southern Illinois University shall expand their
- 16 focuses on enrolling, training, and graduating forensic mental
- 17 health professionals by each creating, subject to
- 18 appropriations, a forensic psychiatry fellowship training
- 19 program at their Colleges of Medicine.
- 20 (Source: P.A. 95-22, eff. 8-3-07.)
- 21 Section 95. The Liquor Control Act of 1934 is amended by
- 22 changing Sections 6-5 and 9-12 as follows:

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1 (235 ILCS 5/6-5) (from Ch. 43, par. 122)

Sec. 6-5. Except as otherwise provided in this Section, it is unlawful for any person having a retailer's license or any officer, associate, member, representative or agent of such licensee to accept, receive or borrow money, or anything else or accept or receive credit value, (other merchandising credit in the ordinary course of business for a period not to exceed 30 days) directly or indirectly from any manufacturer, importing distributor or distributor alcoholic liquor, or from any person connected with or in any way representing, or from any member of the family of, such manufacturer, importing distributor, distributor wholesaler, or from any stockholders in any corporation engaged in manufacturing, distributing or wholesaling of such liquor, or from any officer, manager, agent or representative of said manufacturer. Except as provided below, it is unlawful for any manufacturer or distributor or importing distributor to give or lend money or anything of value, or otherwise loan or extend credit (except such merchandising credit) directly or indirectly to any retail licensee or to the manager, representative, agent, officer or director of such licensee. A manufacturer, distributor or importing distributor may furnish free advertising, posters, signs, brochures, hand-outs, or other promotional devices or materials to any unit of government owning or operating any auditorium, exhibition

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hall, recreation facility or other similar facility holding a retailer's license, provided that the primary purpose of such promotional devices or materials is to promote public events being held at such facility. A unit of government owning or operating such a facility holding a retailer's license may accept such promotional devices or materials primarily to promote public events held at the facility. No retail licensee delinquent beyond the 30 day period specified in this Section shall solicit, accept or receive credit, purchase or acquire alcoholic liquors, directly or indirectly from any other licensee, and no manufacturer, distributor or importing distributor shall knowingly grant or extend credit, sell, furnish or supply alcoholic liquors to any such delinquent retail licensee; provided that the purchase price of all beer sold to a retail licensee shall be paid by the retail licensee in cash on or before delivery of the beer, and unless the purchase price payable by a retail licensee for beer sold to him in returnable bottles shall expressly include a charge for the bottles and cases, the retail licensee shall, on or before delivery of such beer, pay the seller in cash a deposit in an amount not less than the deposit required to be paid by the distributor to the brewer; but where the brewer sells direct to the retailer, the deposit shall be an amount no than that required by the brewer from distributors; and provided further, that in no instance shall this deposit be less than 50 cents for each case of beer in

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pint or smaller bottles and 60 cents for each case of beer in quart or half-gallon bottles; and provided further, that the purchase price of all beer sold to an importing distributor or distributor shall be paid by such importing distributor or distributor in cash on or before the 15th day (Sundays and holidays excepted) after delivery of such beer to such purchaser; and unless the purchase price payable by such distributor for beer sold importing distributor or returnable bottles and cases shall expressly include a charge for the bottles and cases, such importing distributor or distributor shall, on or before the 15th day (Sundays and holidays excepted) after delivery of such beer to such purchaser, pay the seller in cash a required amount as a deposit to assure the return of such bottles and cases. Nothing herein contained shall prohibit any licensee from crediting or refunding to a purchaser the actual amount of money paid for bottles, cases, kegs or barrels returned by the purchaser to the seller or paid by the purchaser as a deposit on bottles, cases, kegs or barrels, when such containers or packages are returned to the seller. Nothing herein contained shall prohibit any manufacturer, importing distributor or distributor from extending usual and customary credit for alcoholic liquor sold to customers or purchasers who live in or maintain places of business outside of this State when such alcoholic liquor is actually transported and delivered to such points outside of this State.

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A manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor may furnish free social media advertising to a retail licensee if the social media advertisement does not contain the retail price of any alcoholic liquor and the social complies with any applicable advertisement rules regulations issued by the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau of the United States Department of the Treasury. A manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor may list the names of one or more unaffiliated retailers in the advertisement of alcoholic liquor through social media. Nothing in this Section shall prohibit a retailer from communicating with a manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor on social media or sharing media on the social distributor, or of a manufacturer, importing distributor. A retailer may request free social advertising from a manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor. Nothing in this Section shall prohibit manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor from sharing, reposting, or otherwise forwarding a social media post by a retail licensee, so long as the sharing, reposting, or forwarding of the social media post does not contain the retail price of any alcoholic liquor. No manufacturer, distributor, or importing distributor shall pay or reimburse a retailer, directly or indirectly, for any social media advertising services, except as specifically permitted in this Act. No retailer shall accept any payment or reimbursement,

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directly or indirectly, for any social media advertising
services offered by a manufacturer, distributor, or importing
distributor, except as specifically permitted in this Act. For
the purposes of this Section, "social media" means a service,
platform, or site where users communicate with one another and
share media, such as pictures, videos, music, and blogs, with
other users free of charge.

No right of action shall exist for the collection of any claim based upon credit extended to a distributor, importing distributor or retail licensee contrary to the provisions of this Section.

Every manufacturer, importing distributor and distributor shall submit or cause to be submitted, to the State Commission, in triplicate, not later than Thursday of each calendar week, a verified written list of the names and respective addresses of each retail licensee purchasing spirits or wine from such manufacturer, importing distributor or distributor who, on the first business day of that calendar week, was delinquent beyond the above mentioned permissible merchandising credit period of 30 days; or, if such is the fact, a verified written statement that no retail licensee purchasing spirits or wine was then delinquent beyond such permissible merchandising credit period of 30 days.

Every manufacturer, importing distributor and distributor shall submit or cause to be submitted, to the State Commission, in triplicate, a verified written list of the

names and respective addresses of each previously reported delinquent retail licensee who has cured such delinquency by payment, which list shall be submitted not later than the close of the second full business day following the day such

delinquency was so cured.

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The written list of delinquent retail licensees shall be developed, administered, and maintained only by the State Commission. The State Commission shall notify each retail licensee that it has been placed on the delinquency list. Determinations of delinquency or nondelinquency shall be made only by the State Commission.

Such written verified reports required to be submitted by this Section shall be posted by the State Commission in each of its offices in places available for public inspection not later than the day following receipt thereof by the State Commission. The reports so posted shall constitute notice to every manufacturer, importing distributor and distributor of the information contained therein. Actual notice to manufacturers, importing distributors and distributors of the information contained in any such posted reports, however received, shall also constitute notice of such information.

The 30-day merchandising credit period allowed by this Section shall commence with the day immediately following the date of invoice and shall include all successive days including Sundays and holidays to and including the 30th successive day.

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In addition to other methods allowed by law, payment by check or credit card during the period for which merchandising credit may be extended under the provisions of this Section shall be considered payment. All checks received in payment for alcoholic liquor shall be promptly deposited for collection. A post dated check or a check dishonored on presentation for payment shall not be deemed payment.

A credit card payment in dispute by a retailer shall not be deemed payment, and the debt uncured for merchandising credit shall be reported as delinquent. Nothing in this Section shall prevent a distributor, self-distributing manufacturer, or importing distributor from assessing a usual and customary transaction fee representative of the actual finance charges incurred for processing a credit card payment. This transaction fee shall be disclosed on the invoice. It shall be considered unlawful for a distributor, importing distributor, or self-distributing manufacturer to waive finance charges for retailers.

A retail licensee shall not be deemed to be delinquent in payment for any alleged sale to him of alcoholic liquor when there exists a bona fide dispute between such retailer and a manufacturer, importing distributor or distributor with respect to the amount of indebtedness existing because of such alleged sale. A retail licensee shall not be deemed to be delinquent under this provision and 11 Ill. Adm. Code 100.90 until 30 days after the date on which the region in which the

- 1 retail licensee is located enters Phase 4 of the Governor's
- 2 Restore Illinois Plan as issued on May 5, 2020.
- 3 A delinquent retail licensee who engages in the retail
- 4 liquor business at 2 or more locations shall be deemed to be
- 5 delinquent with respect to each such location.
- 6 The license of any person who violates any provision of
- 7 this Section shall be subject to suspension or revocation in
- 8 the manner provided by this Act.
- 9 If any part or provision of this Article or the
- 10 application thereof to any person or circumstances shall be
- 11 adjudged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such
- judgment shall be confined by its operation to the controversy
- 13 in which it was mentioned and shall not affect or invalidate
- 14 the remainder of this Article or the application thereof to
- 15 any other person or circumstance and to this and the
- provisions of this Article are declared severable.
- 17 (Source: P.A. 101-631, eff. 6-2-20; 102-8, eff. 6-2-21;
- 18 102-442, eff. 1-1-22; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22.)
- 19 (235 ILCS 5/9-12) (from Ch. 43, par. 175.1)
- Sec. 9-12. Within 10 days after the filing of any petition
- 21 under this Article, the official with whom the petition is
- filed shall prepare, in quintuplicate, the report hereinafter
- 23 prescribed. One copy shall be kept on file in the official's
- office, and he shall, by registered mail, send two copies to
- 25 the Secretary of State, one copy to the county clerk and one

- 1 copy to the person who filed the petition.
- 2 The official shall make such report substantially in the
- 3 following form:
- 4 Report of filing of petition for local option election to
- 5 be held on in (name of precinct, etc.).
- Date of filing 6
- 7 By whom filed
- 8 Number of signers
- 9 Proposal(s) to be voted upon
- 10 (Official)
- 11 Immediately upon completion of the canvass of any local
- 12 option election, the official shall prepare, in quadruplicate,
- 13 a report of the election result as hereinafter prescribed, and
- 14 shall keep one copy on file in his office _ and, within 10 days
- after the canvass, shall, by registered mail, send two copies 15
- 16 to the Secretary of State and one copy to the county clerk. The
- 17 report shall be substantially as follows:
- Report of local option election held on in (name 18
- 19 of precinct, etc.) upon the following proposal(s)
- 20 Number voting "YES"
- 21 Number voting "NO"
- 22 (Official)

- 1 The official shall sign each copy of every report required
- 2 by this Section.
- 3 The Secretary of State and the county clerk shall keep on
- 4 file in their offices, available for inspection, any report
- 5 received by him pursuant to this Section.
- 6 (Source: P.A. 91-357, eff. 7-29-99.)
- 7 Section 100. The Atherosclerosis Prevention Act is amended
- 8 by changing Section 15 as follows:
- 9 (410 ILCS 3/15)
- 10 Sec. 15. Duties. The Department of Public Health, with the
- 11 advice of the Atherosclerosis Advisory Committee, shall do all
- 12 of the following:
- 13 (1) Develop standards for determining eligibility for
- support of research, education, and prevention activities.
- 15 (2) Assist in the development and expansion of
- 16 programs for research in the causes and cures of
- 17 atherosclerosis, including medical procedures and
- 18 techniques that have a lifesaving effect in the care and
- 19 treatment of persons suffering from the disease.
- 20 (3) Assist in expanding resources for research and
- 21 medical care in the cardiovascular disease field.
- 22 (4) Establish or cause to be established, through its
- own resources or by contract or otherwise, with other
- 24 agencies or institutions, facilities and systems for early

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- detection of persons with heart disease or conditions that might lead to heart disease and for referral to those persons' physicians or other appropriate resources for
- 5 (5) Institute and carry on educational programs among physicians, hospitals, public health departments, and the 6 concerning atherosclerosis, 7 including 8 dissemination of information and the conducting 9 educational programs concerning the prevention of 10 atherosclerosis and the methods for the care and treatment 11 of persons suffering from the disease.
- 12 (Source: P.A. 91-343, eff. 1-1-00.)
- Section 105. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by changing Section 55.6 as follows:
- 15 (415 ILCS 5/55.6) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1055.6)

subdivision (b) (4) or (b) (4-5) of Section 42.

- Sec. 55.6. Used Tire Management Fund.
- 17 (a) There is hereby created in the State Treasury a
 18 special fund to be known as the Used Tire Management Fund.
 19 There shall be deposited into the Fund all monies received as
 20 (1) recovered costs or proceeds from the sale of used tires
 21 under Section 55.3 of this Act, (2) repayment of loans from the
 22 Used Tire Management Fund, or (3) penalties or punitive
 23 damages for violations of this Title, except as provided by

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(b) Beginning January 1, 1992, in addition to any other
fees required by law, the owner or operator of each site
required to be registered or permitted under subsection (d) or
(d-5) of Section 55 shall pay to the Agency an annual fee of
\$100. Fees collected under this subsection shall be deposited
into the Environmental Protection Permit and Inspection Fund.

- (c) Pursuant to appropriation, moneys up to an amount of \$4 million per fiscal year from the Used Tire Management Fund shall be allocated as follows:
 - (1) 38% shall be available to the Agency for the following purposes, provided that priority shall be given to item (i):
 - (i) To undertake preventive, corrective or removal action as authorized by and in accordance with Section 55.3, and to recover costs in accordance with Section 55.3.
 - For the performance of inspection and enforcement activities for used and waste tire sites.
 - (iii) (Blank).
 - (iv) To provide financial assistance to units of local government for the performance of inspecting, investigating and enforcement activities pursuant to subsection (r) of Section 4 at used and waste tire sites.
 - (v) To provide financial assistance for used and waste tire collection projects sponsored by local

government or not-for-profit corporations.

2	(vi) For the costs of fee collection and
3	administration relating to used and waste tires, and
4	to accomplish such other purposes as are authorized by
5	this Act and regulations thereunder.
6	(vii) To provide financial assistance to units of
7	local government and private industry for the purposes
8	of:
9	(A) assisting in the establishment of
10	facilities and programs to collect, process, and
11	utilize used and waste tires and tire-derived
12	materials;
13	(B) demonstrating the feasibility of
14	innovative technologies as a means of collecting,
15	storing, processing, and utilizing used and waste
16	tires and tire-derived materials; and
17	(C) applying demonstrated technologies as a
18	means of collecting, storing, processing, and
19	utilizing used and waste tires and tire-derived
20	materials.
21	(2) (Blank).
22	(2.1) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004 and
23	for all fiscal years thereafter, 23% shall be deposited
24	into the General Revenue Fund. Prior to the fiscal year
25	beginning July 1, 2023, such Such transfers are at the
26	direction of the Department of Revenue, and shall be made

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1	within 30 days after the end of each quarter. Beginning
2	with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, such
3	transfers are at the direction of the Agency and shall be
4	made within 30 days after the end of each quarter.
5	(3) 25% shall be available to the Illinois Department
6	of Public Health for the following purposes:
7	(A) To investigate threats or potential threats to
8	the public health related to mosquitoes and other

- (A) To investigate threats or potential threats to the public health related to mosquitoes and other vectors of disease associated with the improper storage, handling and disposal of tires, improper waste disposal, or natural conditions.
- (B) To conduct surveillance and monitoring activities for mosquitoes and other arthropod vectors of disease, and surveillance of animals which provide a reservoir for disease-producing organisms.
- (C) To conduct training activities to promote vector control programs and integrated pest management as defined in the Vector Control Act.
- (D) To respond to inquiries, investigate complaints, conduct evaluations and provide technical consultation to help reduce or eliminate public health hazards and nuisance conditions associated with mosquitoes and other vectors.
- (E) To provide financial assistance to units of local government for training, investigation and response to public nuisances associated with

- 1 mosquitoes and other vectors of disease.
 - (4) 2% shall be available to the Department of Agriculture for its activities under the Illinois Pesticide Act relating to used and waste tires.
 - (5) 2% shall be available to the Pollution Control Board for administration of its activities relating to used and waste tires.
 - (6) 10% shall be available to the University of Illinois for the Prairie Research Institute to perform research to study the biology, distribution, population ecology, and biosystematics of tire-breeding arthropods, especially mosquitoes, and the diseases they spread.
 - (d) By January 1, 1998, and biennially thereafter, each State agency receiving an appropriation from the Used Tire Management Fund shall report to the Governor and the General Assembly on its activities relating to the Fund.
 - (e) Any monies appropriated from the Used Tire Management Fund, but not obligated, shall revert to the Fund.
- (f) In administering the provisions of subdivisions (1),

 (2) and (3) of subsection (c) of this Section, the Agency, the

 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, and the

 Illinois Department of Public Health shall ensure that

 appropriate funding assistance is provided to any municipality

 with a population over 1,000,000 or to any sanitary district

 which serves a population over 1,000,000.
 - (g) Pursuant to appropriation, monies in excess of \$4

1	million per fiscal year from the Used Tire Management Fund
2	shall be used as follows:
3	(1) 55% shall be available to the Agency for the
4	following purposes, provided that priority shall be given
5	to subparagraph (A):
6	(A) To undertake preventive, corrective or renewed
7	action as authorized by and in accordance with Section
8	55.3 and to recover costs in accordance with Section
9	55.3.
10	(B) To provide financial assistance to units of
11	local government and private industry for the purposes
12	of:
13	(i) assisting in the establishment of
14	facilities and programs to collect, process, and
15	utilize used and waste tires and tire-derived
16	materials;
17	(ii) demonstrating the feasibility of
18	innovative technologies as a means of collecting,
19	storing, processing, and utilizing used and waste
20	tires and tire-derived materials; and
21	(iii) applying demonstrated technologies as a
22	means of collecting, storing, processing, and
23	utilizing used and waste tires and tire-derived
24	materials.
25	(C) To provide grants to public universities for

vector-related research, disease-related research, and

- for related laboratory-based equipment and field-based 1
- 2 equipment.
- 3 (2) (Blank).
- 4 (3) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004 and for
- 5 all fiscal years thereafter, 45% shall be deposited into
- the General Revenue Fund. Prior to the fiscal year 6
- beginning July 1, 2023, such Such transfers are at the 7
- 8 direction of the Department of Revenue, and shall be made
- 9 within 30 days after the end of each quarter. Beginning
- 10 with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, such
- 11 transfers are at the direction of the Agency and shall be
- made within 30 days after the end of each quarter. 12
- 13 (Source: P.A. 100-103, eff. 8-11-17; 100-327, eff. 8-24-17;
- 100-587, eff. 6-4-18; 100-621, eff. 7-20-18; 100-863, eff. 14
- 15 8-14-18; 101-10, eff. 6-5-19; 101-636, eff. 6-10-20.)
- (615 ILCS 60/Act rep.) 16
- Section 110. The Des Plaines and Illinois Rivers Act is 17
- 18 repealed.
- 19 Section 115. The Minimum Wage Law is amended by changing
- Section 10 as follows: 20
- 21 (820 ILCS 105/10) (from Ch. 48, par. 1010)
- 2.2 10. (a) The Director shall make and revise
- 23 administrative regulations, including definitions of terms, as

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- 1 he deems appropriate to carry out the purposes of this Act, to prevent the circumvention or evasion thereof, and to safequard 2 the minimum wage established by the Act. Regulations governing 3 4 employment of learners may be issued only after notice and 5 opportunity for public hearing, as provided in subsection (c) 6 of this Section.
 - (b) In order to prevent curtailment of opportunities for employment, avoid undue hardship, and safeguard the minimum wage rate under this Act, the Director may also issue regulations providing for the employment of workers with disabilities at wages lower than the wage rate applicable under this Act, under permits and for such periods of time as specified therein; and providing for the employment of learners at wages lower than the wage rate applicable under this Act. However, such regulation shall not permit lower wages for persons with disabilities on any basis that is unrelated to such person's ability resulting from his disability, and such regulation may be issued only after notice and opportunity for public hearing as provided in subsection (c) of this Section.
 - (c) Prior to the adoption, amendment or repeal of any rule regulation by the Director under this Act, regulations which concern only the internal management of the Department of Labor and do not affect any public right provided by this Act, the Director shall give proper notice to persons in any industry or occupation that may be affected by

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the proposed rule or regulation, and hold a public hearing on his proposed action at which any such affected person, or his duly authorized representative, may attend and testify or present other evidence for or against such proposed rule or regulation. Rules and regulations adopted under this Section shall be filed with the Secretary of State in compliance with "An Act concerning administrative rules", as now or hereafter amended. Such adopted and filed rules and regulations shall become effective 10 days after copies thereof have been mailed by the Department to persons in industries affected thereby at their last known address.

- The commencement of proceedings by any person (d) aggrieved by an administrative regulation issued under this Act does not, unless specifically ordered by the Court, operate as a stay of that administrative regulation against other persons. The Court shall not grant any stay of an administrative regulation unless the person complaining of such regulation files in the Court an undertaking with a surety or sureties satisfactory to the Court for the payment to the employees affected by the regulation, in the event such regulation is affirmed, of the amount by which compensation such employees are entitled to receive under the regulation exceeds the compensation they actually receive while such stay is in effect.
- (e) The Department may adopt emergency rules in accordance with Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act

- 1 to implement the changes made by this amendatory Act of the
- 2 101st General Assembly.
- (Source: P.A. 101-1, eff. 2-19-19.)
- Section 999. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 4
- becoming law.". 5