

## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# State of Illinois

# 2023 and 2024

#### SB0142

Introduced 1/24/2023, by Sen. Jil Tracy

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/1-130

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that buildings, structures, and improvements that are not permanently attached to the land are not considered property for the purposes of the Code. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing
Section 1-130 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 200/1-130)

Sec. 1-130. Property; real property; real estate; land; tract; lot.

9 (a) The land itself, with all things contained therein, and also all buildings, structures and improvements, and other 10 permanent fixtures thereon, including all oil, gas, coal, and 11 other minerals in the land and the right to remove oil, gas and 12 13 other minerals, excluding coal, from the land, and all rights 14 and privileges belonging or pertaining thereto, except where otherwise specified by this Code. Not included therein are 15 16 low-income housing tax credits authorized by Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. 42. Buildings, structures, 17 and improvements that are not permanently attached to the land 18 19 are not considered property for the purposes of this Code.

20 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, mobile 21 homes and manufactured homes that (i) are located outside of 22 mobile home parks and (ii) are taxed under the Mobile Home 23 Local Services Tax Act on the effective date of this

amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall continue to 1 2 be taxed under the Mobile Home Local Services Tax Act and shall 3 not be assessed and taxed as real property until the home is sold or transferred or until the home is relocated to a 4 5 different parcel of land outside of a mobile home park. If a mobile home or manufactured home described in this subsection 6 7 (b) is sold, transferred, or relocated to a different parcel 8 of land outside of a mobile home park, then the home shall be 9 assessed and taxed as real property whether or not that mobile 10 home or manufactured home is affixed to a permanent 11 foundation, as defined in Section 5-5 of the Conveyance and 12 Encumbrance of Manufactured Homes as Real Property and Severance Act, or installed on a permanent foundation, and 13 14 whether or not such mobile home or manufactured home is real property as defined in Section 5-35 of the Conveyance and 15 16 Encumbrance of Manufactured Homes as Real Property and 17 Severance Act. Mobile homes and manufactured homes that are located outside of mobile home parks and assessed and taxed as 18 19 real property on the effective date of this amendatory Act of 20 the 96th General Assembly shall continue to be assessed and taxed as real property whether or not those mobile homes or 21 22 manufactured homes are affixed to a permanent foundation as 23 defined in the Conveyance and Encumbrance of Manufactured 24 Homes as Real Property and Severance Act or installed on 25 permanent foundations and whether or not those mobile homes or 26 manufactured homes are real property as defined in the

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Conveyance and Encumbrance of Manufactured Homes as Real 1 2 Property and Severance Act. If a mobile or manufactured home 3 that is located outside of a mobile home park is relocated to a mobile home park, it must be considered chattel and must be 4 5 taxed according to the Mobile Home Local Services Tax Act. The owner of a mobile home or manufactured home that is located 6 7 outside of a mobile home park may file a request with the chief 8 county assessment officer that the home be taxed as real 9 property.

10 (c) Mobile homes and manufactured homes that are located 11 in mobile home parks must be taxed according to the Mobile Home 12 Local Services Tax Act.

(d) If the provisions of this Section conflict with the Illinois Manufactured Housing and Mobile Home Safety Act, the Mobile Home Local Services Tax Act, the Mobile Home Park Act, or any other provision of law with respect to the taxation of mobile homes or manufactured homes located outside of mobile home parks, the provisions of this Section shall control.

19 (e) Spent fuel pools and dry cask storage systems in which nuclear fuel is stored and is pending further or final 20 21 disposal from a nuclear power plant that was decommissioned 22 before January 1, 2021 shall be considered real property and 23 be assessable. The chief county assessment officer shall assess such property based on a national evaluation of the 24 25 effective value per pound of spent nuclear fuel, calculated by 26 examining assessments or PILOT agreements and documented

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pounds of spent nuclear fuel, at nuclear power plants where
such property is similarly considered real property.
(Source: P.A. 102-662, eff. 9-15-21.)
Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

5 becoming law.