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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 3240

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 3240, AS AMENDED,
3 by inserting at the end of the bill the following:

4 "Section 15. The Military Code of Illinois is amended by
5 adding Section 29.1 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 1805/29.1 new)

7 Sec. 29.1. Creation of Illinois Cyber Auxiliary Force.

8 (a) The Governor may organize and maintain within this
9 State, on a reserve basis, a volunteer civilian cybersecurity
10 auxiliary force, known as the Illinois Cyber Auxiliary Force
11 (ICAF), that is capable of being expanded and trained to
12 educate and protect from cyber incidents State, county, and
13 local government entities and critical infrastructure,
14 including election systems, businesses, and the citizens of
15 this State. In the case of a disaster proclaimed by the
16 Governor, or caused by illicit actors or imminent danger, the

1 Governor, as Commander-in-Chief, shall expand the ICAF as the
2 exigency of the occasion requires.

3 (b) The ICAF shall be operated as an interagency effort
4 between the Illinois Department of Military Affairs (IDMA),
5 the Illinois Emergency Management Agency and Office of
6 Homeland Security (IEMA-OHS), and the Department of Innovation
7 and Technology (DoIT).

8 (1) IEMA-OHS shall have oversight of the entire
9 program and act as the lead agency for the ICAF for mission
10 and project development. The Homeland Security Advisor
11 shall be the final approval for ICAF missions. IEMA-OHS
12 shall be responsible for the evaluation and exercising of
13 the ICAF.

14 (2) DoIT shall evaluate threats and recommend missions
15 to the Homeland Security Advisor. DoIT shall develop
16 standards and training for ICAF members, while ensuring
17 their training and credentials meet mission requirements.
18 DoIT cyber navigators may provide liaison support to the
19 ICAF.

20 (3) IDMA shall focus on recruiting, manning, and
21 mission assignments. IDMA shall provide key sustainment
22 requirements, such as pay and reimbursement for missions
23 utilizing existing State Active Duty systems and
24 processes. The Adjutant General, in cooperation with the
25 Homeland Security Advisor, shall request activation of
26 ICAF for cyber incident response. IDMA shall stock and

1 issue uniform articles as required.

2 (c) Appropriate training shall be provided to current and
3 potential members of the ICAF. While performing training and
4 other volunteer duties such as public engagement, current and
5 potential auxiliary members shall serve in an unpaid volunteer
6 status.

7 (d) The ICAF shall use funds appropriated by the General
8 Assembly for the actual and necessary expenses incurred by the
9 ICAF for administration, training, and deployment of the ICAF,
10 at the discretion of the Director of IEMA-OHS or the
11 Director's designee. Expenses for administration, training,
12 and deployment may include, but are not limited to, permanent
13 or temporary State employees or contractual internal or
14 external administrative staff, travel and subsistence
15 expenses, the purchase or rental of equipment and hardware,
16 and local operational support.

17 (e) The Director of IEMA-OHS shall adopt rules consistent
18 with the provisions of law governing the membership,
19 organization, administration, equipment, and maintenance of
20 the ICAF.

21 (f) ICAF members may not be called or ordered into the
22 military service of the United States.

23 (g) No person shall be accepted into the ICAF who is not a
24 United States national or a lawful permanent resident.
25 Applicants shall be subject to an appropriate background
26 check, in accordance with rules adopted by the Director of

1 IEMA-OHS, before admittance into the ICAF. Notwithstanding any
2 other provision of this Code, no person shall be disqualified
3 from acceptance into the ICAF on the basis that the person is
4 an employee of the State or a political subdivision of the
5 State, or an employee or proprietor of a private entity that
6 conducts business with the State or a political subdivision of
7 the State.

8 (h) The Director of IEMA-OHS may accept the resignation of
9 any ICAF member at any time. ICAF members serve at the pleasure
10 of the Governor and may be removed from the auxiliary in
11 accordance with adopted rules. The Director of IEMA-OHS may
12 require reimbursement for training, equipment, and uniforms if
13 an ICAF member does not serve the full term of the member's
14 membership agreement and the member's inability to serve out
15 the term of the membership agreement was not due to a
16 disability or a similar disabling medical condition.

17 (i) The Governor, may authorize the Director of IEMA-OHS
18 to employ individuals or units of the ICAF as compensated
19 State employees using IDMA State Active Duty procedures to
20 protect State, county, and local government entities and
21 critical infrastructure, including election systems, or for
22 training as the Governor determines necessary."