

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 HB3504

Introduced 2/23/2005, by Rep. Robert W. Pritchard

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 105/5.640 new 730 ILCS 5/5-9-1.1 730 ILCS 5/5-9-1.2

from Ch. 38, par. 1005-9-1.1 from Ch. 38, par. 1005-9-1.2

Amends State Finance Act. Creates the Methamphetamine Law Enforcement Fund in the State treasury. Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides for the imposition of an additional \$100 fine upon a person adjudged guilty of a drug related offense involving possession or delivery of cannabis or possession or delivery of a controlled substance. Provides that the moneys from this additional fine shall be deposited into the Methamphetamine Law Enforcement Fund and equitably allocated to local law enforcement agencies to: (1) reimburse those agencies for the costs of securing and cleaning up sites and facilities used for the illegal manufacture of methamphetamine; (2) defray the costs of employing full-time or part-time peace officers from a Metropolitan Enforcement Group or other local drug task force, including overtime costs for those officers; and (3) defray the costs associated with medical or dental expenses incurred by the county resulting from the incarceration of methamphetamine addicts in the county jail or County Department of Corrections.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

- 4 Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by adding
- 5 Section 5.640 as follows:
- 6 (30 ILCS 105/5.640 new)
- 7 Sec. 5.640. The Methamphetamine Law Enforcement Fund.
- 8 Section 10. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended by
- 9 changing Sections 5-9-1.1 and 5-9-1.2 as follows:
- 10 (730 ILCS 5/5-9-1.1) (from Ch. 38, par. 1005-9-1.1)
- 11 Sec. 5-9-1.1. Drug related offenses.
- 12 (a) When a person has been adjudged guilty of a drug
- 13 related offense involving possession or delivery of cannabis or
- 14 possession or delivery of a controlled substance as defined in
- 15 the Cannabis Control Act, as amended, or the Illinois
- 16 Controlled Substances Act, as amended, in addition to any other
- 17 penalty imposed, a fine shall be levied by the court at not
- 18 less than the full street value of the cannabis or controlled
- 19 substances seized.
- "Street value" shall be determined by the court on the
- 21 basis of testimony of law enforcement personnel and the
- 22 defendant as to the amount seized and such testimony as may be
- 23 required by the court as to the current street value of the
- 24 cannabis or controlled substance seized.
- 25 (b) In addition to any penalty imposed under subsection (a)
- of this Section, a fine of \$200 $\frac{$100}{}$ shall be levied by the
- court, the proceeds of which shall be collected by the Circuit
- 28 Clerk and remitted to the State Treasurer under Section 27.6 of
- 29 the Clerks of Courts Act. One hundred dollars of that fine
- 30 <u>shall be deposited</u> for deposit into the Trauma Center Fund for

- distribution as provided under Section 3.225 of the Emergency
- 2 Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act and \$100 of that fine shall
- 3 <u>be deposited into the Methamphetamine Law Enforcement Fund and</u>
- 4 <u>allocated as provided in subsection (d) of Section 5-9-1.2</u>.
- 5 (c) In addition to any penalty imposed under subsection (a)
- of this Section, a fee of \$5 shall be assessed by the court,
- 7 the proceeds of which shall be collected by the Circuit Clerk
- 8 and remitted to the State Treasurer under Section 27.6 of the
- 9 Clerks of Courts Act for deposit into the Spinal Cord Injury
- 10 Paralysis Cure Research Trust Fund. This additional fee of \$5
- shall not be considered a part of the fine for purposes of any
- 12 reduction in the fine for time served either before or after
- 13 sentencing.
- 14 (Source: P.A. 92-431, eff. 1-1-02.)
- 15 (730 ILCS 5/5-9-1.2) (from Ch. 38, par. 1005-9-1.2)
- Sec. 5-9-1.2. (a) Twelve and one-half percent of all
- amounts collected as fines pursuant to Section 5-9-1.1 shall be
- paid into the Youth Drug Abuse Prevention Fund, which is hereby
- 19 created in the State treasury, to be used by the Department of
- 20 Human Services for the funding of programs and services for
- 21 drug-abuse treatment, and prevention and education services,
- 22 for juveniles.
- 23 (b) Eighty-seven and one-half percent of the proceeds of
- 24 all fines received pursuant to Section 5-9-1.1 shall be
- 25 transmitted to and deposited in the treasurer's office at the
- level of government as follows:
- 27 (1) If such seizure was made by a combination of law
- 28 enforcement personnel representing differing units of
- local government, the court levying the fine shall
- equitably allocate 50% of the fine among these units of
- local government and shall allocate 37 1/2% to the county
- 32 general corporate fund. In the event that the seizure was
- made by law enforcement personnel representing a unit of
- local government from a municipality where the number of
- inhabitants exceeds 2 million in population, the court

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levying the fine shall allocate 87 1/2% of the fine to that unit of local government. If the seizure was made by a combination of law enforcement personnel representing differing units of local government, and at least one of those units represents a municipality where the number of inhabitants exceeds 2 million in population, the court shall equitably allocate 87 1/2% of the proceeds of the fines received among the differing units of local government.

- (2) If such seizure was made by State law enforcement personnel, then the court shall allocate $37\ 1/2\%$ to the State treasury and 50% to the county general corporate fund.
- (3) If a State law enforcement agency in combination with a law enforcement agency or agencies of a unit or units of local government conducted the seizure, the court shall equitably allocate 37 1/2% of the fines to or among the law enforcement agency or agencies of the unit or units of local government which conducted the seizure and shall allocate 50% to the county general corporate fund.
- The proceeds of all fines allocated to the enforcement agency or agencies of the unit or units of local government pursuant to subsection (b) shall be made available to that law enforcement agency as expendable receipts for use in the enforcement of laws regulating controlled substances and cannabis. The proceeds of fines awarded to the State treasury shall be deposited in a special fund known as the Drug Traffic Prevention Fund. Monies from this fund may be used by the Department of State Police for use in the enforcement of laws regulating controlled substances and cannabis; to satisfy funding provisions of the Intergovernmental Enforcement Act; and to defray costs and expenses associated with returning violators of the Cannabis Control Act and the Illinois Controlled Substances Act only, as provided in those Acts, when punishment of the crime shall be confinement of the criminal in the penitentiary. Moneys in the Drug Traffic

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1 Prevention Fund deposited from fines awarded as a direct result

of enforcement efforts of the Illinois Conservation Police may

be used by the Department of Natural Resources Office of Law

Enforcement for use in enforcing laws regulating controlled

substances and cannabis on Department of Natural Resources

regulated lands and waterways. All other monies shall be paid

into the general revenue fund in the State treasury.

Methamphetamine Law Enforcement Fund. Moneys in the Fund shall be equitably allocated to local law enforcement agencies to:

(1) reimburse those agencies for the costs of securing and cleaning up sites and facilities used for the illegal manufacture of methamphetamine; (2) defray the costs of employing full-time or part-time peace officers from a Metropolitan Enforcement Group or other local drug task force, including overtime costs for those officers; and (3) defray the costs associated with medical or dental expenses incurred by the county resulting from the incarceration of methamphetamine

addicts in the county jail or County Department of Corrections.

20 (Source: P.A. 92-601, eff. 7-1-02.)