1 AN ACT concerning elections.

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

- 4 Section 5. The Election Code is amended by adding Section
- 5 1-15 as follows:
- 6 (10 ILCS 5/1-15 new)
- 7 <u>Sec. 1-15. Ineligibility of felon for public office.</u>
- 8 (a) A person is not eligible for any public office who has
- 9 been convicted in any court located in the United States of any
- 10 <u>felony relating to his or her duties in an elective government</u>
- office.
- 12 <u>(b) As used in this Section, "public office" means an</u>
- office for which candidates are required to file statements of
- 14 economic interests under the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act.