96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB0306

Introduced 1/23/2009, by Rep. Robert Rita

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/10-106.5 new

Amends the Cook County Forest Preserve Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Adds a provision precluding any person who is convicted of any felony relating to or arising out of or in connection with his or her service as an employee from receiving benefits under the Article. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by adding
Section 10-106.5 as follows:

6 (40 ILCS 5/10-106.5 new)

Sec. 10-106.5. Felony conviction. None of the benefits provided in this Article shall be paid to any person who is convicted of any felony relating to or arising out of or in connection with his or her service as an employee.

11 <u>This Section shall not impair any contract or vested right</u> 12 <u>acquired on or before the effective date of this amendatory Act</u> 13 <u>of the 96th General Assembly under any law continued in this</u> 14 <u>Article, nor to preclude the right to a refund.</u>

15 <u>All persons entering service after the effective date of</u> 16 <u>this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall be</u> 17 <u>deemed to have consented to the provisions of this Section as a</u> 18 condition of coverage.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
 becoming law.