

Legislative Summary
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HB 1

Comment:

This effort to exclude organized labor from representing membership's interests and concerns in legislative process failed against strong opposition from FOP and other public employee groups

Short Description: ELEC CD-UNION CONTRIBUTIONS

House Sponsors

Rep. Michael W. Tryon-Michael G. Connelly

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Election Code. Prohibits (i) labor organizations that represent public employees of the State and (ii) political action committees affiliated with those labor organizations from making campaign contributions to political committees established to promote the candidacy of a declared candidate for statewide office or a statewide officeholder. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2011	House	Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

HB 149

Comment:

The language of this bill has become the frame work for the current supporters of take-aways from public employee benefits. [See 3358]

Short Description: PEN CD-ELECTION OF BENEFITS

House Sponsors

Rep. Tom Cross-Dave Winters-Darlene J. Senger-Sandra M. Pihos, Chris Nybo, David Harris and David R. Leitch

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Requires current participants in the State-funded pension and retirement systems to make a one-time, irrevocable election of one of the following: (i) the traditional benefit package under the applicable Article of the Pension Code, (ii) the existing benefit package for new hires, or (iii) a self-managed plan (if made available by the participant's employer). Authorizes persons who became or become participants on or after January 1, 2011 to irrevocably elect either: (i) the benefit

package for new hires or (ii) the self-managed plan (if made available by the participant's employer). Sets forth the requirements for the self-managed plan and provides that if such a plan is available it is the default plan if a participant fails to make an election. In the Articles creating the State-funded pension and retirement systems, provides: (i) that, beginning in fiscal year 2013, the State's required contribution is the greater of 6% of the applicable employee payroll or one-half of the actuarially-determined normal cost of the benefit package for new hires and (ii) that the required employee contribution will be based on the benefit package elected by the participant. Amends the Illinois Public Labor Relations Act to provide that the changes made by the amendatory Act control when there is a conflict with the Illinois Public Labor Relations Act.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2011	House	Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

HB 160

Short Description: CRIME VICTIMS IMPACT STATEMENT

House Sponsors
Rep. Chapin Rose

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act. Provides that in any case where a defendant has been convicted of a violent crime or a juvenile has been adjudicated a delinquent for a violent crime, the victim or his or her representative and immediate family or household member upon their request shall (rather than may) be permitted by the court to orally address (rather than address) the court regarding the impact of the defendant's criminal conduct or juvenile delinquent conduct has upon them. Deletes provision that the court has discretion to determine the number of oral presentations of victim impact statements.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
4/15/2011	House	Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

HB 176

Comment:
creates the Department of Corrections Parole Division Offender Supervision Fund by directing fines and fees from certain criminal convictions.

Short Description: CORRECTIONAL OPERATIONS

House Sponsors

Rep. Joseph M. Lyons

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. John G. Mulroe)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the Illinois Department of Corrections Parole Division Violent Offender Supervision Fund in the State treasury. Also creates the Illinois Department of Corrections Operations Assistance Fund in the State treasury. Amends the Clerks of Courts Act. Increases the fee that the county board may authorize the circuit clerk to collect for automated record keeping to not less than \$10 (rather than \$1) and not more than \$20 (rather than \$15). Provides that the additional fee paid by a defendant in any felony, traffic, misdemeanor, local ordinance, or conservation case upon a judgment of guilty or grant of supervision shall be deposited into the Illinois Department of Corrections Parole Division Violent Offender Supervision Fund rather than the State Police Operations Assistance Fund. Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides that an additional fine of \$25 shall be imposed upon a person convicted of any violation of the Criminal Code of 1961 who was at the time of the commission of the offense in violation of parole orders. Provides that \$5 of the fine shall be deposited into the Circuit Court Clerk Operation and Administrative Fund created by the Clerk of the Circuit Court to be used to offset the costs incurred by the Circuit Court Clerk in performing the additional duties required to collect and disburse funds as provided by law. Provides that the remainder of each such additional fine shall be remitted by the Circuit Court Clerk within one month after receipt to the State Treasurer for deposit into the Illinois Department of Corrections Parole Division Violent Offender Supervision Fund in the State treasury. Effective immediately.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the Bill. Deletes provisions creating the Illinois Department of Corrections Operations Assistance Fund. Creates the Illinois Department of Corrections Parole Division Offender Supervision Fund in the State treasury. Eliminates all references in the Bill to violent offenders. In the amendatory changes to the Unified Code of Corrections, provides that the additional fine shall be imposed on offenders who commit violations of the Criminal Code of 1961 while on parole or mandatory supervised release (rather than who violate parole orders). Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/17/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 263**Short Description:** CD CORR-1ST DEGREE MURDER**House Sponsors**

Rep. Dennis M. Reboletti-Sandra M. Pihos-Kay Hatcher-Kevin A. McCarthy-Timothy L. Schmitz, Patricia R. Bellock, Sidney H. Mathias, Jil Tracy, Dwight Kay, Keith P. Sommer, Michelle Mussman, Lisa M. Dugan, Richard Morthland, Chapin Rose, Michael Unes, Franco Coladipietro, Michael G. Connelly, Jim Durkin, David Reis, Jim Sacia, Keith Farnham, Susana A. Mendoza, Daniel J. Burke, Mike Bost, Sandy

Cole, Randy Ramey, Jr., Linda Chapa LaVia, Emily McAsey, Dave Winters, Joe Sosnowski, Darlene J. Senger, Renée Kosel, Angelo Saviano, William Cunningham, Rita Mayfield, Jack D. Franks, Carol A. Sente, Fred Crespo, Adam Brown, John D. Cavaletto and Kenneth Dunkin

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. John J. Millner-Carole Pankau)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides that the Department of State Police shall establish and maintain a Statewide First Degree Murderer Database for the purpose of identifying persons convicted of first degree murder, when the murder was committed before June 19, 1998, who have been released from a penal institution or other facility after the completion of their confinement and making that information available to the public. Provides that the information in the Database shall be the names, residence addresses, places of employment, and schools attended by these offenders, and photographs of the offenders. Provides that the Department of State Police shall require such first degree murderers to register with the Department for a period of 10 years following release.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the bill. Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides that the bill applies to first degree murderers who were not released from a Department facility more than 10 years before the effective date of the amendatory Act (rather than those convicted of first degree when the murder was committed before June 19, 1998). Changes the registration procedures. Adds information to be added to the First Degree Murderer Database. Establishes penalties for non-compliance.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Provides that the amendatory Act may be cited as Andrea's Law.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 4

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Sex Offender Registration Act. Provides that any first degree murder that is sexually motivated is a sex offense regardless of the age of the victim or the defendant. Provides for lifetime registration of such offenders. Exempts from such lifetime registration individuals released from incarceration more than 10 years prior to the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends the Child Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Act. Changes the short title of the Act to the Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Act. Changes the name of the Child Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Fund to the Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Fund. Provides for 10 year registration of a first degree murderer of an adult (a person 18 years of age or older at the time of the commission of the offense). Exempts from such registration individuals released from incarceration more than 10 years prior to the effective date of the amendatory Act. Amends various Acts to make conforming changes. Provides that the amendatory Act may be referred to as Andrea's Law. Effective January 1, 2012.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/31/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

Short Description: LOCAL GOVT CONSOLIDATION COMSN

House Sponsors

Rep. Jack D. Franks-Lou Lang-Lisa M. Dugan-Jim Watson-Carol A. Sente, Kenneth Dunkin, Linda Chapa LaVia and Keith Farnham

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Kwame Raoul-Kirk W. Dillard-Steven M Landek-Pamela J. Althoff-Linda Holmes and John G. Mulroe)

Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Local Government Consolidation Commission Act of 2011. Establishes a commission of legislative members appointed by the legislative leaders and local government representatives appointed by the Governor to report to the General Assembly on consolidating local governments. Provides for support of the commission by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. Repeals the Local Government Consolidation Commission Act. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/17/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 276

Short Description: COUNTY JAIL-PRISONER REMOVAL

House Sponsors

Rep. William Cunningham-Jack D. Franks-Michael J. Zalewski-Carol A. Sente

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Tim Bivins)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the County Jail Act. Provides that at any time, in the opinion of the Warden, the lives or health of the prisoners are endangered or the security of the penal institution is threatened (rather than just the lives or health of the prisoners are endangered), to such a degree as to render their removal necessary, the Warden may cause an individual prisoner or group of prisoners (rather than the prisoners) to be removed to some suitable place within the county, or to the jail of some convenient county, where they may be confined until they can be safely returned to the place whence they were removed.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/17/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 277

Short Description: SEX OFFENDER-VICTIM HARASS

House Sponsors

Rep. William Cunningham-Lisa M. Dugan-Karen A. Yarbrough-Kenneth Dunkin, Thaddeus Jones, Al Riley, Arthur Turner, Joseph M. Lyons, Deborah Mell, Jack McGuire, Jack D. Franks, Keith Farnham, Carol A. Sente, Linda Chapa LaVia and Kevin A. McCarthy

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. John G. Mulroe-Toi W. Hutchinson-Mike Jacobs and Ira I. Silverstein-Jacqueline Y. Collins)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Sex Offender Registration Act. Provides that any person who is required to register under the Act who harasses a victim or family member of a victim of the offense for which the sex offender is required to register under the Act is guilty of a Class 3 felony. Defines "harass".

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Provides that any person who has been previously required to register as a sex offender under the Sex Offender Registration Act is subject to the provisions of the amendatory Act.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Provides that in addition to other elements of the offense a person commits aggravated stalking when he or she is required to register under the Sex Offender Registration Act or has been previously required to register under that Act and commits the offense of stalking when the victim of the stalking is also the victim of the offense for which the sex offender is required to register under the Sex Offender Registration Act or a family member of the victim.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/31/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 1195

Short Description: POLICE CANINE BOARD

House Sponsors

Rep. Monique D. Davis-La Shawn K. Ford-Mary E. Flowers-Annazette Collins-Robert Rita

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Tim Bivins)

Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Illinois Police Canine Certification Act. Creates the Illinois Police Canine Certification

Board. Sets forth the membership of the Board. Provides that the Board shall establish requirements for certification of police canines used by law enforcement agencies within the State. Provides that the requirements shall be adopted by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board. Provides that each law enforcement agency that uses police canines shall comply with the certification requirements within 12 months after the adoption of the requirements. Provides that the Board shall review statistical reports of the use of police canines for traffic stops. Amends the Department of State Police Law to provide that the Department of State Police shall provide administrative support to the Board. Effective immediately.

House Committee Amendment No. 2

Provides that the Department of State Police shall appoint six members to the Illinois Police Canine Certification Board, one of whom shall represent the Chicago Police Department and one of whom shall represent the Cook County Sheriff's Department (now, the Illinois Chiefs of Police Association shall appoint two members, one of whom shall represent the Chicago Police Department; the Illinois Sheriffs Association shall appoint two members, one of whom shall represent the Cook County Sheriff's Department; and the Department of State Police shall appoint two members). Makes technical changes.

House Committee Amendment No. 3

Provides that the canine certification requirements adopted by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board shall not apply to accelerant detection dogs used by the Office of the State Fire Marshal. Provides that the record-keeping and reporting requirements of the Act shall not apply to the use of accelerant detection dogs by the Office of the State Fire Marshal.

House Floor Amendment No. 4

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Illinois Police Training Act. Provides that all police animals used by State and local law enforcement agencies shall be trained by programs that meet the minimum certification requirements set by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board. Defines "police animal". Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that whenever a State or local law enforcement officer issues a traffic citation or stops a motorist for an alleged violation, the officer shall record whether or not a police dog performed a sniff of the vehicle and the results of the sniff. Effective July 1, 2012.

House Floor Amendment No. 5

Removes language defining "police animal". Provides that all police dogs (rather than animals) used by State and local law enforcement agencies for drug enforcement purposes pursuant to the Cannabis Control Act, the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, and the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act shall be trained by programs that meet the minimum certification requirements set by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Amends the Department of State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that all police dogs used by the Department of State Police for drug enforcement purposes shall be trained by programs that meet the certification requirements set by the Director of State Police or the Director's designee. Removes a Section of the Illinois Police Training Act in which no changes are made.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/28/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 1237

Short Description: CRIME VICTIM RIGHTS COMPLIANCE

House Sponsors

Rep. Rita Mayfield-La Shawn K. Ford-Jim Sacia-Lou Lang and Esther Golar

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Michael Noland, Terry Link, Suzi Schmidt and Kirk W. Dillard)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer Fund as a special fund in the State treasury. Amends the Illinois Police Training Act. Provides that the curriculum established by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board shall include training in techniques designed to promote effective communication with crime victims and ways to comprehensively explain to victims and witnesses their rights under the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act and the Violent Crime Victim's Assistance Act. Amends the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act. Creates the Office of the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer. Provides that the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer shall be appointed by the Governor from a list of at least 3 persons, prepared and submitted by the Violent Crimes Advisory Commission, to serve a 3-year term at the pleasure of the Governor. Establishes the duties of the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer. Provides that any person who willfully or maliciously commits a violation of the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act is liable for a civil penalty not to exceed \$1,000. Provides that such action may only be pursued by the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer. Provides that if after the Crime Victims' Rights Compliance Officer receives and investigates a complaint of a violation of the Act and concludes that a willful and malicious violation has occurred, he or she shall generate a report detailing his or her findings of fact, conclusions as to the specific legal violations, and recommended sanctions. Establishes court procedures for pursuing the sanctions.

House Floor Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Illinois Police Training Act. Provides that the curriculum for probationary police officers shall include training in techniques designed to promote effective communication at the initial contact with crime victims and ways to comprehensively explain to victims and witnesses their rights under the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act and the Crime Victim's Compensation Act. Amends the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act. Provides that the law enforcement agency that investigates an offense committed in this State shall provide a crime victim with a written statement and explanation of the rights of crime victims within 24 hours of law enforcement's initial contact with a victim. Provides that the statement shall include information about crime victim compensation, including how to contact the Office of the Illinois Attorney General to file a claim. Provides that the content of the statement shall be provided to law enforcement by the Attorney General. Provides that the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall post the rights of crime victims set forth in the Illinois Constitution and in the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act within 3 feet of the door to any courtroom where criminal proceedings are conducted and may also post the rights in other locations in the courthouse. Provides that law enforcement authorities shall notify the victim of the apprehension of an offender and closure of the investigation within 24 hours of the event. Makes other changes.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/27/2011	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 3rd Reading May 28, 2011

HB 1241

Short Description: VEH CD-DUI TESTING-ACCIDENTS

House Sponsors

Rep. Elizabeth Hernandez-Jack D. Franks-Linda Chapa LaVia

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Iris Y. Martinez-Dan Kotowski)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that if a law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe a person involved in a motor vehicle accident causing personal injury or death was under the influence of alcohol or drugs, the law enforcement officer shall request a chemical test. Effective immediately.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause and reinserts the provisions of the original bill, but makes the changes in a Section of the Illinois Vehicle Code concerning driving under the influence of alcohol instead of in the Section concerning driver involvement in a personal injury or fatal motor vehicle accident. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/25/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 1298

Short Description: ST POLICE CITATION FUND

House Sponsors

Rep. Kenneth Dunkin

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Annazette R. Collins)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the State Police Electronic Citation Fund. Provides that moneys in the Fund shall be appropriated to the Department of State Police for uses related to electronic citations. Amends the Clerks of Courts Act. Provides that the circuit court clerk shall remit electronic citation fees designated for the Department of State Police to the State Treasurer for deposit into the State Police Electronic Citation Fund. Effective immediately.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Deletes language concerning the creation of the State Police Electronic Citation Fund. Amends the Department of State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that funds may be appropriated from the LEADS Maintenance Fund to the Department of State Police to finance any of its lawful purposes or functions in relation to defraying the expenses associated with establishing, maintaining, and supporting the issuance of electronic citations. Amends the Clerks of Courts Act. Provides that the circuit court clerk shall remit electronic citation fees designated for the Department of State Police to the State Treasurer for deposit into the LEADS Maintenance Fund (now, the State Police Electronic Citation Fund).

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/19/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 1427**Short Description:** WORKERS COMP-MUNICIPALITY SIZE**House Sponsors**

Rep. John E. Bradley

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. A. J. Wilhelmi-Linda Holmes)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Workers' Compensation Act. Increases the city population floor limiting the ability of police officers and fire fighters to be considered "employees" under the Act. Provides that a member of a police department in any city whose population exceeds 500,000 is not considered an "employee" under the act. Provides that a member of a fire department in any city whose population exceeds 500,000 is considered an "employee" under the Act only with respect to claims for any serious and permanent disfigurement. Further provides that members of a fire department in a city whose population exceeds 500,000 are eligible for compensation for serious and permanent disfigurement only where the disfigurement results from burns. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
6/10/2011	House	Sent to the Governor

HB 1872**Short Description:** PEN CD-TRANSFER-ART 5 TO ART 3

House Sponsors

Rep. Renée Kosel

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Ira I. Silverstein-John G. Mulroe)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Downstate Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Authorizes a person, for 60 days after the effective date of the amendatory Act, to transfer up to 10 years of creditable service from an Article 5 police pension fund to an Article 3 police pension fund after paying to the Article 3 fund an amount that is determined by its board to be equal to (i) the difference between the amount of employee and employer contributions transferred to the fund from the Article 5 fund and the amounts that would have been contributed had they been made under Article 3 plus (ii) interest on the difference at the actuarially assumed rate, compounded annually, from the date of service to the date of payment. Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that, upon receiving a written application to make such a transfer, the Article 5 fund shall pay employee contributions, employer contributions, and interest to the Article 3 fund. Provides that the transferee's participation under Article 5 ends upon the making of the transfer. Authorizes the reinstatement of service credit prior to transfer. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Provides that, if, as a part of a transfer of service credit from Article 5 to Article 3, a person wants to reinstate creditable service that was terminated upon the receipt of a refund, then he or she must pay to the Fund the amount of the refund plus interest thereon at the actuarially assumed rate (instead of 6%), compounded annually, from the date of the refund to the date of payment.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/17/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 2925**Comment:**

FOP testimony in hearing achieved a 0-11 defeat of this bill that sought to exclude police and firefighters from the protection of the Public Employee Disability Act

Short Description: PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISABILITY

House Sponsors

Rep. Sandra M. Pihos

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Public Employee Disability Act. Excludes from the definition of "eligible employee" any full-time law enforcement officer or full-time firefighter who is employed by a unit of local government. Removes a provision that preempted the power of home rule units to act inconsistently with the requirements of the Act, as well as a provision that exempted from the requirements of the Act

municipalities having a population of over 1,000,000. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2011	House	Rule 19(a) / Re-referred to Rules Committee

HB 3253

Short Description: PEN CD-IMRF-SLEP/CTY OFFICIALS

House Sponsors

Rep. Karen May-Kevin A. McCarthy-Roger L. Eddy-Elaine Nekritz-Sara Feigenholtz, Esther Golar, Daniel J. Burke, Daniel Biss and Linda Chapa LaVia

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Michael W. Frerichs, Jeffrey M. Schoenberg and Dan Duffy)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Prohibits a sheriff's law enforcement employee who begins service in that capacity after the effective date of the amendatory Act from being able to convert up to 10 years of service in any other capacity into service as a sheriff's law enforcement employee. Provides that, on and after the effective date of the amendatory Act, an elected county officer will not be able to elect to establish alternative credits for an alternative annuity. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
6/10/2011	House	Sent to the Governor

HB 3255

Short Description: EMT LICENSURE-STATE TROOPER

House Sponsors

Rep. Donald L. Moffitt-Michael P. McAuliffe-Sidney H. Mathias-Lisa M. Dugan-Thomas Holbrook

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Carole Pankau-Darin M. LaHood)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act to provide that an EMT who is an Illinois State Trooper may submit an application to the Department of Public Health for a waiver of certain fees.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Provides that an EMT who exclusively serves as a volunteer for a not-for-profit organization that serves a service area with a population base of less than 5,000 may submit an application to the Department of Public Health for a waiver of certain fees.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Provides that an EMT who exclusively serves as a volunteer for a not-for-profit organization that serves a service area with a population base of less than 5,000 may submit an application to the Department of Public Health for a waiver of certain fees. Provides that First Responder application fees shall not apply to officers of the Illinois State Police who are First Responders pursuant to their employment.

House Floor Amendment No. 4

Replaces everything after the enacting clause with the introduced bill as amended by House Amendment No. 1. Adds an immediate effective date.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1

Includes members of the Illinois National Guard among those who may submit an application to the Department of Public Health for a waiver of certain fees.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/28/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 3375**Comment:**

began as a so-called double-dipping bill was amended to a technical bill about use of teachers and school admin.

Short Description: PEN CD-PENSION-SUSPENSION

House Sponsors

Rep. Kevin A. McCarthy

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Pamela J. Althoff)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that if a member or participant of a retirement system or pension fund subject to this Code is receiving a retirement annuity or retirement pension under that

system or fund and becomes a member or participant of any other system or fund created by this Code and is employed on a full-time basis, then the person's retirement annuity or retirement pension under that system or fund shall be suspended during that employment. Effective July 1, 2011.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Downstate Teachers Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Specifies that a provision authorizing annuitants to return to service must not be construed to authorize multiple annuitants, without impairing their retirement status, to accept employment with a school district or other employer in order to fill, as a group, a teaching position that would ordinarily be occupied by an active participant. Provides that if a school board or other employer determines there is a subject or administrative shortage, then it must apply for an exemption under a specific provision of the Code. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/13/2011	Senate	Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

HB 3376

Comment:

bill was part of last year's pension reform bill. Established parity between Chicago and Downstate Police Pension Funds

Short Description: PEN CD-CHIC POLICE-INCREASES

House Sponsors

Rep. Kevin A. McCarthy

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Kwame Raoul)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Makes changes concerning annual increases to the monthly annuities of persons who first become a policeman on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act and deletes repetitive language concerning annual increases in survivor's annuities for new hires. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/17/2011	House	Passed Both Houses

HB 3503

Short Description: CRIMES AGAINST POLICE ADVISORY

House Sponsors

Rep. Wayne Rosenthal

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Wm. Sam McCann)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Department of State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Creates the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory. The Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory provides for the rapid dissemination of information concerning a crime of violence committed against a police officer or peace officer. Provides that the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory is a regional system. Specifies the requirements of the alert system. Provides that the AMBER Plan Task Force shall serve as the task force for the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory. Requires that the Child Safety Coordinator also serve as the Crimes Against Police Officers Coordinator. Amends the Missing Persons Identification Act. Requires that local law enforcement agencies provide for the prompt use of the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory in appropriate cases.

House Floor Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Department of State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Creates the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory. Provides that the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory provides for the rapid dissemination of information concerning the commission or attempted commission of the following crimes against a police officer or peace officer: first degree murder, second degree murder, involuntary manslaughter, reckless homicide, and concealment of homicidal death. Provides that the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory is a regional system. Specifies the requirements of the alert system including the use, in coordination with the Illinois Department of Transportation, of electronic message signs in the vicinity of the commission or attempted commission of specified crimes against a police officer or peace officer to provide critical information to the public. Amends the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois to make conforming changes. Amends the Missing Persons Identification Act. Requires that local law enforcement agencies provide for the prompt use of the Crimes Against Police Officers Advisory in appropriate cases. Effective January 1, 2012.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/13/2011	Senate	Rule 3-9(a) / Re-referred to Assignments

Totals: 20 - (House Bills: 20) (Senate Bills: 0) (Other Bills: 0)