



## 100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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**HB0454**

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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

30 ILCS 5/3-1

735 ILCS 30/15-5-46

from Ch. 15, par. 303-1

Creates the Community Bank of Illinois Act. Provides that the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation shall operate The Community Bank of Illinois. Specifies the authority of the advisory board of directors to the Bank. Provides that the Secretary is to employ a president and employees. Contains provisions concerning the removal and discharge of appointees. Provides that State funds must be deposited in the Bank. Contains provisions concerning the nonliability of officers and sureties after deposit. Specifies the powers of the Bank. Contains provisions concerning the guaranty of deposits and the Bank's role as a clearinghouse, the authorization of loans the General Revenue Fund, bank loans to farmers, limitations on loans by the Bank, the name in which business is conducted and titles taken, civil actions, surety on appeal, audits, electronic fund transfer systems, confidentiality of bank records, the sale and leasing of acquired agricultural real estate, and the Illinois higher education savings plan. Provides that the Bank is the custodian of securities. Amends the Illinois State Auditing Act to require that the Auditor General must contract with an independent certified public accounting firm for an annual audit of The Community Bank of Illinois as provided in the Community Bank of Illinois Act. Amends the Eminent Domain Act to allow the Bank to acquire property by eminent domain.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning financial regulation.

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

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the  
5 Community Bank of Illinois Act.

6 Section 5. Purpose. For the purpose of encouraging and  
7 promoting agriculture, commerce, and industry, the State shall  
8 engage in the business of banking, and for that purpose shall  
9 maintain a system of banking owned, controlled, and operated by  
10 it, under the name of The Community Bank of Illinois.

11 Section 10. Definitions: As used in this Act:

12 "Bank" means The Community Bank of Illinois.

13 "Department" means the Department of Financial and  
14 Professional Regulation.

15 "Secretary" means the Secretary of Financial and  
16 Professional Regulation.

17 Section 15. Department to operate Bank; business of Bank.  
18 The Department shall operate, manage, and control The Community  
19 Bank of Illinois, locate and maintain its places of business,  
20 of which the principal place must be within the State, and make  
21 and enforce orders, rules, regulations, and bylaws for the

1 transaction of its business. The business and financial  
2 transactions of the Bank, in addition to other matters  
3 specified in this Act, may include anything that any bank or  
4 bank holding company lawfully may do, except as it is  
5 restricted by the provisions of this Act. This Section may not  
6 be held in any way to limit or qualify either the powers of the  
7 Department granted by or the functions of the Bank as defined  
8 in this Act. The powers of the Department and the functions of  
9 the Bank must be implemented through actions taken and policies  
10 adopted by the Department of Financial and Professional  
11 Regulation.

12 Section 20. Declaration and finding of public purpose;  
13 Community Bank of Illinois advisory board of directors. To  
14 enlist the help of private enterprise and to encourage more  
15 active use of the purposes of this Act, the Governor shall  
16 appoint an advisory board of directors to The Community Bank of  
17 Illinois consisting of 7 persons, at least 2 of whom must be  
18 officers of banks, the majority of the stock of which is owned  
19 by Illinois residents, and at least one of whom must be an  
20 officer of a State-chartered or federally chartered financial  
21 institution. The Governor shall appoint a chairman,  
22 vice-chairman, and secretary from the advisory board of  
23 directors. The term of a director is 4 years. The Department  
24 shall define the duties of the advisory board of directors.

1           Section 25. Authority of the advisory board of directors to  
2 The Community Bank of Illinois. The advisory board of  
3 directors to The Community Bank of Illinois shall do all of the  
4 following:

5           (1) Meet regularly with the management of The Community  
6 Bank of Illinois to review the Bank's operations to  
7 determine whether recommendations should be made by the  
8 board to the Department relating to improved management  
9 performance, better customer service, and overall  
10 improvement in internal methods, procedures, and operating  
11 policies of the Bank.

12           (2) Make recommendations to the Department relating to  
13 the establishment of additional objectives for the  
14 operation of The Community Bank of Illinois.

15           (3) Make recommendations to the Department concerning  
16 the appointment of officers of The Community Bank of  
17 Illinois.

18           (4) Meet regularly with the Secretary to present any  
19 recommendations concerning The Community Bank of Illinois.

20           (5) In addition to the foregoing and pursuant to  
21 authorization from the Secretary, act on behalf of the Bank  
22 with respect to the powers and functions of the Bank.

23           Section 30. Secretary to employ president and employees;  
24 compensation, operation, and maintenance expenditures limited  
25 to appropriations, revenue, or capital. The Secretary shall

1 appoint a president, and may appoint and employ subordinate  
2 officers, employees, and agents as he or she may judge  
3 expedient and in the interests of the State, and shall define  
4 the duties, designate the titles, and fix the compensation of  
5 all such persons. The Secretary may designate the president or  
6 other officers or employees as its agent in respect to the  
7 functions of the Bank, subject to its supervision, limitation,  
8 and control. The total compensation of such appointees and  
9 employees, together with other expenditures for the operation  
10 and maintenance of the Bank, shall remain within the  
11 appropriation, revenues, or capital lawfully available for  
12 those purposes.

13 Section 35. Removal and discharge of appointees. The  
14 Secretary may remove and discharge any and all persons  
15 appointed in the exercise of the powers granted by this Act,  
16 whether by the Secretary or by the president of the Bank. All  
17 appointments and removals contemplated by this Act must be made  
18 as the Secretary deems fit to promote the efficiency of the  
19 public service.

20 Section 40. State funds must be deposited in The Community  
21 Bank of Illinois; income of the Bank. All State funds and funds  
22 of all State penal, educational, and industrial institutions  
23 must be deposited in The Community Bank of Illinois by the  
24 persons having control of those funds or must be deposited in

1 accordance with constitutional and statutory provisions. All  
2 income earned by the Bank for its own account on State moneys  
3 that are deposited in or invested with the Bank to the credit  
4 of the State must be credited to and become a part of the  
5 revenues and income of the Bank.

6 Section 45. Nonliability of officers and sureties after  
7 deposit. Whenever any public funds are deposited in The  
8 Community Bank of Illinois, the official having control of the  
9 public funds and the sureties on the bond of every such  
10 official shall be exempt from all liability by reason of loss  
11 of any such funds while so deposited.

12 Section 50. Guaranty of deposits; exemption from all  
13 taxation. All deposits in The Community Bank of Illinois are  
14 guaranteed by the State. Those deposits are exempt from State,  
15 county, and municipal taxes of any and all kinds.

16 Section 55. Bank as a clearinghouse. For banks that make  
17 The Community Bank of Illinois a reserve depository, it may  
18 perform the functions and render the services of a  
19 clearinghouse, including all facilities for providing domestic  
20 and foreign exchange, and may rediscount paper, on those terms  
21 as the Department shall provide.

22 Section 60. Powers. The Community Bank of Illinois may:

1 (1) make, purchase, guarantee, or hold loans:

2 (A) to State-chartered or federally chartered  
3 lending agencies or institutions or any other  
4 financial institutions;

5 (B) to holders of Bank certificates of deposit and  
6 savings accounts up to 90% of the value of the  
7 certificates and savings accounts offered as security;

8 (C) to actual farmers who are residents of this  
9 State, if the loans are secured by recorded mortgages  
10 giving the Bank a first lien on real estate in Illinois  
11 in amounts not to exceed 80% of the value of the  
12 security;

13 (D) that are insured or guaranteed in whole or in  
14 part by the United States, its agencies, or  
15 instrumentalities;

16 (E) that are eligible to be guaranteed under  
17 education. Loans made pursuant to this paragraph (E)  
18 may provide for interest that remains unpaid at the end  
19 of any period specified in the loan to be added to the  
20 principal amount of the debt and thereafter accumulate  
21 interest;

22 (F) to individuals or bank holding companies for  
23 the purpose of purchasing or refinancing the purchase  
24 of bank stock of a bank located in the State;

25 (G) under U.S. Public Law No. 99-198 as amended  
26 through December 31, 1996, to nonprofit corporations

1 for the purpose of relending loan funds to rural  
2 businesses;

3 (H) under Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations,  
4 part 1948, subpart C; part 1951, subparts F and R; and  
5 part 1955, subparts A, B, and C, as amended through  
6 December 31, 1996, to finance businesses and community  
7 development projects in rural areas;

8 (I) obtained as security pledged for or originated  
9 in the restructuring of any other loan properly  
10 originated or participated in by the Bank;

11 (J) to instrumentalities of this State;

12 (K) to an investment company created for  
13 completing a trust preferred securities transaction  
14 for the benefit of a financial institution located in  
15 this State; and

16 (L) as otherwise provided by this Act or other  
17 statutes;

18 (2) if the Bank is participating in the loan and the  
19 Bank deems it is in the best interests of the Bank to do  
20 so, purchase the remaining portion of the loan from a  
21 participating lender that is closed by regulatory action or  
22 from the receiver of the participating lender's assets;

23 (3) make agricultural real estate loans in order to  
24 participate in the agricultural mortgage secondary market  
25 program established pursuant to the federal Agricultural  
26 Credit Act amended through December 31, 1996;



1           (4) purchase participation interests in loans made or  
2 held by banks, bank holding companies, State-chartered or  
3 federally chartered lending agencies or institutions, any  
4 other financial institutions, or any other entity that  
5 provides financial services and meets underwriting  
6 standards that are generally accepted by State or federal  
7 financial regulatory agencies;

8           (5) invest its funds:

9                 (A) in conformity with policies of the Department;

10                (B) in a public venture capital corporation  
11 organized and doing business in this State through the  
12 purchase of shares of stock; and

13                (C) in Illinois alternative and venture capital  
14 investments and early-stage capital funds;

15           (6) buy and sell federal funds;

16           (7) lease, assign, sell, exchange, transfer, convey,  
17 grant, pledge, or mortgage all real and personal property,  
18 title to which has been acquired in any manner;

19           (8) acquire real or personal property or property  
20 rights by purchase, lease, or, subject to applicable law,  
21 the exercise of the right of eminent domain and may  
22 construct, remodel, and repair buildings;

23           (9) receive deposits from any source and deposit its  
24 funds in any bank or other financial institution.

25           (10) perform all acts and do all things necessary,  
26 convenient, advisable, or desirable to carry out the powers

1 expressly granted or necessarily implied in this Act  
2 through or by means of its president, officers, agents, or  
3 employees or by contracts with any person, firm, or  
4 corporation; and

5 (11) purchase mortgage loans on residential real  
6 property originated by financial institutions.

7 Section 65. Loans to General Revenue Fund authorized;  
8 continuing appropriation. The State Treasurer and the Director  
9 of the Governor's Office of Management and Budget may, when the  
10 balance in the General Revenue Fund is insufficient to meet  
11 legislative appropriations, execute and issue on behalf of the  
12 State evidences of indebtedness on the State General Revenue  
13 Fund that at no time may exceed the total principal amount of  
14 \$10,000,000 with principal maturity of not more than 12 months.  
15 As a condition precedent to the issuance and sale of the  
16 evidences of indebtedness, the State Treasurer must request and  
17 obtain a statement from the Director of the Governor's Office  
18 of Management and Budget and the Director of Revenue certifying  
19 that anticipated General Revenue Fund revenues for the balance  
20 of the fiscal year in which the evidences of indebtedness are  
21 to be issued will exceed the principal amount and interest on  
22 the evidences of indebtedness to be issued. The Department may  
23 in turn direct The Community Bank of Illinois to make loans to  
24 the General Revenue Fund by the purchase of the evidences of  
25 indebtedness at those rates of interest as the Department may

1 prescribe. After evidences of indebtedness have been issued and  
2 sold pursuant to this Section, the Treasurer shall establish a  
3 fund for the repayment of the principal upon maturity and the  
4 interest when due. The Treasurer shall place all available  
5 General Revenue Fund revenues into this fund until the fund  
6 contains a sufficient balance for the repayment of the  
7 principal at maturity and interest when due, which moneys are  
8 hereby appropriated for this purpose.

9 Section 70. Bank loans to beginning farmers; revolving loan  
10 fund; requirements.

11 (a) A revolving loan fund must be maintained in The  
12 Community Bank of Illinois for the purpose of making or  
13 participating in loans to Illinois beginning farmers for the  
14 purchase of agricultural real estate, equipment, and  
15 livestock. All moneys transferred into the fund, interest upon  
16 moneys in the fund, and payments to the fund of principal and  
17 interest on loans made from the fund are appropriated for the  
18 purpose of providing loans and to supplement the interest rate  
19 on loans to beginning farmers made by this Act under applicable  
20 law and in accordance with this Section.

21 (b) The revolving loan fund and loans made from the fund  
22 must be administered and supervised by the Bank. The Bank may  
23 deduct a service fee for administering the fund from interest  
24 payments received on loans. An application for a loan from the  
25 fund must be made to the Bank and, upon approval, a loan must

1 be made from the fund in accordance with this Section.

2 (c) A loan made from the fund may not exceed 80% of the  
3 appraised value of the agricultural collateral, with the actual  
4 percentage to be determined by the Bank. The Bank may do all  
5 things and acts and may establish additional terms and  
6 conditions necessary to make a loan under this Section. A loan  
7 made from the fund must have a first security interest.

8 (d) A loan made from the fund must have the interest rate  
9 fixed at 1% below the Bank's then current base rate for the  
10 first 5 years with a maximum rate of 6% per year and variable  
11 at 1% below the Bank's then current base rate for the second 5  
12 years. During the second 5 years, the variable rate must be  
13 adjusted annually on the anniversary date. The rate during the  
14 remaining term of the loan floats at the Bank's base rate as in  
15 effect from time to time.

16 (e) The maximum term of a real estate loan is 25 years. The  
17 maximum term of a farm equipment or livestock loan is 7 years.

18 (f) The Department shall contract with a certified public  
19 accounting firm to audit the fund as necessary. The cost of the  
20 audit, and any other actual costs incurred by the Bank on  
21 behalf of the fund, must be paid for by the fund.

22 (g) The Bank shall adopt rules necessary to implement this  
23 Section.

24 Section 75. Name in which business conducted and titles  
25 taken; execution of instruments. All business of the Bank must

1 be conducted under the name of "The Community Bank of  
2 Illinois". Title to property pertaining to the operation of the  
3 Bank must be obtained and conveyed in the name of "The State of  
4 Illinois, doing business as The Community Bank of Illinois".  
5 Instruments must be executed in the name of the State. Within  
6 the scope of authority granted by the Department, the president  
7 may execute instruments on behalf of the Bank, including any  
8 instrument granting, conveying, or otherwise affecting any  
9 interest in or lien upon real or personal property. Other  
10 officers or employees of, and legal counsel to, the Bank may  
11 execute instruments on behalf of the Bank when authorized by  
12 the Department.

13 Section 80. Civil actions. Civil actions may be brought  
14 against the State on account of claims for relief claimed to  
15 have arisen out of transactions connected with the operation of  
16 The Community Bank of Illinois upon condition that the  
17 provisions of this Section are complied with. In such actions,  
18 the State must be designated as "The State of Illinois, doing  
19 business as The Community Bank of Illinois". The actions may be  
20 brought in the same manner and are subject to the same  
21 provisions of law as other civil actions.

22 Section 85. Surety on appeal, attachment, claim and  
23 delivery, and other cases in which undertaking required.  
24 Provisions of law requiring that a surety or sureties be given

1 on undertakings in actions on appeal, attachment, claim and  
2 delivery, and other cases in which an undertaking is required,  
3 are not applicable to the State of Illinois, doing business as  
4 The Community Bank of Illinois, as the party seeking relief. It  
5 is required to give its own undertaking without surety and to  
6 reimburse the adverse party when required by law.

7 Section 90. Examinations and audit reports. The Auditor  
8 General shall contract with an independent certified public  
9 accounting firm for an annual audit of The Community Bank of  
10 Illinois in accordance with generally accepted government  
11 auditing standards. The Auditor General shall audit annually or  
12 contract for an annual audit of the separate programs and funds  
13 administered by The Community Bank of Illinois. On request of  
14 the Auditor General, the Department shall assist the Auditor  
15 General in the auditing firm selection process, but the  
16 selection of the auditing firm is the Auditor General's  
17 responsibility. The auditor selected shall prepare an audit  
18 report that includes financial statements presented in  
19 accordance with the audit and accounting guide for banks and  
20 savings institutions issued by the American Institute of  
21 Certified Public Accountants. The auditor also shall prepare  
22 audited financial statements for inclusion in the  
23 comprehensive annual financial report for the State. The State  
24 auditor may conduct performance audits of The Community Bank of  
25 Illinois, including the separate programs and funds

1 administered by the Bank. The Auditor General shall report the  
2 results of the audit to the Department and to the General  
3 Assembly. The Community Bank of Illinois or its separate  
4 programs and funds shall pay the costs of the audit. The  
5 Department shall examine The Community Bank of Illinois at  
6 least once each 24 months and conduct any investigation of the  
7 Bank that may be necessary. The Secretary shall report the  
8 examination results, and the results of any necessary  
9 investigation, to the Department as soon as practicable and to  
10 the legislative assembly. The Department shall charge a fee for  
11 any examination or investigation at an hourly rate to be set by  
12 the Secretary, sufficient to cover all reasonable expenses of  
13 the Department associated with the examinations and  
14 investigations provided for by this Section.

15 Section 95. Electronic fund transfer systems. The  
16 Community Bank of Illinois may establish, by rule adopted by  
17 the Department, a system to provide fund transfer services to  
18 its customers and to the customers of State-chartered and  
19 federally chartered banks located within the State of Illinois,  
20 and to other financial institutions otherwise authorized to  
21 utilize the services of electronic fund transfer systems. The  
22 Bank may acquire such equipment as is necessary to establish  
23 electronic fund transfer systems and may impose reasonable  
24 charges for services rendered to other banks under this Act as  
25 may be established by the Department.

1           Section 100. Confidentiality of Bank records.       The  
2 following records of The Community Bank of Illinois are  
3 confidential:

4           (1) Commercial or financial information of a customer,  
5 whether obtained directly or indirectly, except for  
6 routine credit inquiries or unless required by due legal  
7 process. As used in this item (1), "customer" means any  
8 person who has transacted or is transacting business with,  
9 or has used or is using the services of, The Community Bank  
10 of Illinois, or for whom The Community Bank of Illinois has  
11 acted as a fiduciary with respect to trust property.

12           (2) Internal or inter-agency memorandums or letters  
13 that would not be available by law to a party other than in  
14 litigation with the Bank.

15           (3) Information contained in or related to  
16 examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by,  
17 on behalf of, or for the use of a State or federal agency  
18 responsible for the regulation or supervision of any Bank  
19 activity.

20           (4) Information obtained from the Department that  
21 would not be available from that agency under applicable  
22 law.

23           (5) The report by a Bank officer or member of the  
24 Bank's advisory board of directors concerning personal  
25 financial statements.



1           Section 105. Custodian of securities. Notwithstanding any  
2 other provision of law to the contrary, The Community Bank of  
3 Illinois shall replace the Treasurer as the custodian of all  
4 securities that are required to be deposited with the State  
5 except that the Treasurer is the custodian of all securities  
6 resulting from the investment of funds by the Treasurer, or  
7 except as otherwise required by this Section and by law.

8           Section 110. Sale and leasing of acquired agricultural real  
9 estate. The sale and leasing of agricultural real estate with  
10 an appraised value of \$10,000 or more acquired by The Community  
11 Bank of Illinois through foreclosure or deed in lieu of  
12 foreclosure must be done in accordance with law and policies  
13 adopted by the Department. The sale and leasing of agricultural  
14 real estate with an appraised value of less than \$10,000,  
15 acquired by The Community Bank of Illinois through foreclosure  
16 or deed in lieu of foreclosure, may be done in a manner as the  
17 Bank determines is appropriate given the circumstances. In the  
18 case of a lease by the party holding the right of redemption,  
19 that party has the right to purchase at any time.

20           Section 115. Illinois higher education savings plan;  
21 administration; rules; continuing appropriation. The  
22 Community Bank of Illinois shall adopt rules to administer,  
23 manage, promote, and market a Illinois higher education savings

1 plan. The Bank shall ensure that the Illinois higher education  
2 savings plan is maintained in compliance with Internal Revenue  
3 Service standards for qualified State tuition programs. The  
4 Bank, as trustee of the Illinois higher education savings plan,  
5 may impose an annual administrative fee to recover expenses  
6 incurred in connection with operation of the plan or for other  
7 programs deemed to promote attendance at an institution of  
8 higher education. Administrative fees received by the Bank are  
9 appropriated on a continuing basis to be used as provided in  
10 this Section. Contributions made during the taxable year to a  
11 higher education savings plan administered by the Bank,  
12 pursuant to the provisions of the plan, are eligible for an  
13 income tax deduction as provided by law. Information related to  
14 contributions is confidential except as is needed by the  
15 Director of Revenue for determining compliance with the income  
16 tax deduction as provided by law.

17 Section 900. The Illinois State Auditing Act is amended by  
18 changing Section 3-1 as follows:

19 (30 ILCS 5/3-1) (from Ch. 15, par. 303-1)

20 Sec. 3-1. Jurisdiction of Auditor General. The Auditor  
21 General has jurisdiction over all State agencies to make post  
22 audits and investigations authorized by or under this Act or  
23 the Constitution.

24 The Auditor General has jurisdiction over local government

1 agencies and private agencies only:

2 (a) to make such post audits authorized by or under  
3 this Act as are necessary and incidental to a post audit of  
4 a State agency or of a program administered by a State  
5 agency involving public funds of the State, but this  
6 jurisdiction does not include any authority to review local  
7 governmental agencies in the obligation, receipt,  
8 expenditure or use of public funds of the State that are  
9 granted without limitation or condition imposed by law,  
10 other than the general limitation that such funds be used  
11 for public purposes;

12 (b) to make investigations authorized by or under this  
13 Act or the Constitution; and

14 (c) to make audits of the records of local government  
15 agencies to verify actual costs of state-mandated programs  
16 when directed to do so by the Legislative Audit Commission  
17 at the request of the State Board of Appeals under the  
18 State Mandates Act.

19 In addition to the foregoing, the Auditor General may  
20 conduct an audit of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition  
21 Authority, the Regional Transportation Authority, the Suburban  
22 Bus Division, the Commuter Rail Division and the Chicago  
23 Transit Authority and any other subsidized carrier when  
24 authorized by the Legislative Audit Commission. Such audit may  
25 be a financial, management or program audit, or any combination  
26 thereof.

1           The audit shall determine whether they are operating in  
2 accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Subject to  
3 the limitations of this Act, the Legislative Audit Commission  
4 may by resolution specify additional determinations to be  
5 included in the scope of the audit.

6           In addition to the foregoing, the Auditor General must also  
7 conduct a financial audit of the Illinois Sports Facilities  
8 Authority's expenditures of public funds in connection with the  
9 reconstruction, renovation, remodeling, extension, or  
10 improvement of all or substantially all of any existing  
11 "facility", as that term is defined in the Illinois Sports  
12 Facilities Authority Act.

13           The Auditor General may also conduct an audit, when  
14 authorized by the Legislative Audit Commission, of any hospital  
15 which receives 10% or more of its gross revenues from payments  
16 from the State of Illinois, Department of Healthcare and Family  
17 Services (formerly Department of Public Aid), Medical  
18 Assistance Program.

19           The Auditor General is authorized to conduct financial and  
20 compliance audits of the Illinois Distance Learning Foundation  
21 and the Illinois Conservation Foundation.

22           As soon as practical after the effective date of this  
23 amendatory Act of 1995, the Auditor General shall conduct a  
24 compliance and management audit of the City of Chicago and any  
25 other entity with regard to the operation of Chicago O'Hare  
26 International Airport, Chicago Midway Airport and Merrill C.

1 Meigs Field. The audit shall include, but not be limited to, an  
2 examination of revenues, expenses, and transfers of funds;  
3 purchasing and contracting policies and practices; staffing  
4 levels; and hiring practices and procedures. When completed,  
5 the audit required by this paragraph shall be distributed in  
6 accordance with Section 3-14.

7 The Auditor General shall conduct a financial and  
8 compliance and program audit of distributions from the  
9 Municipal Economic Development Fund during the immediately  
10 preceding calendar year pursuant to Section 8-403.1 of the  
11 Public Utilities Act at no cost to the city, village, or  
12 incorporated town that received the distributions.

13 The Auditor General must conduct an audit of the Health  
14 Facilities and Services Review Board pursuant to Section 19.5  
15 of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act.

16 The Auditor General of the State of Illinois shall annually  
17 conduct or cause to be conducted a financial and compliance  
18 audit of the books and records of any county water commission  
19 organized pursuant to the Water Commission Act of 1985 and  
20 shall file a copy of the report of that audit with the Governor  
21 and the Legislative Audit Commission. The filed audit shall be  
22 open to the public for inspection. The cost of the audit shall  
23 be charged to the county water commission in accordance with  
24 Section 6z-27 of the State Finance Act. The county water  
25 commission shall make available to the Auditor General its  
26 books and records and any other documentation, whether in the

1 possession of its trustees or other parties, necessary to  
2 conduct the audit required. These audit requirements apply only  
3 through July 1, 2007.

4 The Auditor General must conduct audits of the Rend Lake  
5 Conservancy District as provided in Section 25.5 of the River  
6 Conservancy Districts Act.

7 The Auditor General must conduct financial audits of the  
8 Southeastern Illinois Economic Development Authority as  
9 provided in Section 70 of the Southeastern Illinois Economic  
10 Development Authority Act.

11 The Auditor General shall conduct a compliance audit in  
12 accordance with subsections (d) and (f) of Section 30 of the  
13 Innovation Development and Economy Act.

14 The Auditor General must contract with an independent  
15 certified public accounting firm for an annual audit of The  
16 Community Bank of Illinois as provided in Section 90 of the  
17 Community Bank of Illinois Act.

18 (Source: P.A. 95-331, eff. 8-21-07; 96-31, eff. 6-30-09;  
19 96-939, eff. 6-24-10.)

20 Section 905. The Eminent Domain Act is amended by changing  
21 Section 15-5-46 as follows:

22 (735 ILCS 30/15-5-46)

23 Sec. 15-5-46. Eminent domain powers in new Acts. The  
24 following provisions of law may include express grants of the

1 power to acquire property by condemnation or eminent domain:

2 Community Bank of Illinois Act; The Community Bank of Illinois;  
3 for purposes of the Act.

4 ~~(Reserved).~~

5 (Source: P.A. 96-1522, eff. 2-14-11; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12.)