

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2007 and 2008 HB4520

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/11-1011.5 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Prohibits a pedestrian from using a wireless telephone while crossing a roadway. Makes a violation a petty offense for which a fine not to exceed \$25 may be imposed.

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- 1 AN ACT concerning transportation.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- **represented in the General Assembly:**
- 4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding
- 5 Section 11-1011.5 as follows:
- 6 (625 ILCS 5/11-1011.5 new)
- 7 <u>Sec. 11-1011.5. Pedestrian use of wireless telephone.</u>
- 8 (a) A pedestrian shall not use a wireless telephone while
- 9 crossing a roadway.
- 10 (b) As used in this Section, "wireless telephone" means a
- device that is capable of transmitting or receiving telephonic
- 12 communications without a wire connecting the device to the
- telephone network.
- 14 (c) A violation of this Section is a petty offense for
- which a fine not to exceed \$25 may be imposed.