



## 97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2011 and 2012

**HB4077**

by Rep. Renée Kosel - Dwight Kay

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/31-4.6 new

Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Creates the offense of making a false statement to a peace officer or criminal investigative officer. Provides that a person commits the offense if: (1) the person knowingly makes a false statement to a peace officer or criminal investigative officer of the State or a unit of local government regarding a criminal matter that the person knows to be under investigation by the officer; and (2) during the interview, the person is first informed by a prosecutor who is working with the officer on the investigation that a knowing false statement to the officer relating to the investigation would constitute a criminal offense. Provides that a violation is a Class 4 felony.

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CORRECTIONAL  
BUDGET AND  
IMPACT NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding  
5 Section 31-4.6 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/31-4.6 new)

7 Sec. 31-4.6. Making a false statement to a peace officer or  
8 criminal investigative officer.

9 (a) A person commits making a false statement to a peace  
10 officer or criminal investigative officer if:

11 (1) the person knowingly makes a false statement to a  
12 peace officer or criminal investigative officer of the  
13 State or a unit of local government regarding a criminal  
14 matter that the person knows to be under investigation by  
15 the officer; and

16 (2) during the interview, the person is first informed  
17 by a prosecutor who is working with the officer on the  
18 investigation that a knowing false statement to the officer  
19 relating to the investigation would constitute a criminal  
20 offense.

21 (b) Sentence. Making a false statement to a peace officer  
22 or criminal investigative officer is a Class 4 felony.