

## 100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2017 and 2018 HB1686

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

740 ILCS 82/5

Amends the Gender Violence Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the definition of "gender-related violence".

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

- Section 5. The Gender Violence Act is amended by changing

  Section 5 as follows:
- 6 (740 ILCS 82/5)

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- Sec. 5. Definition. In this Act, "gender-related violence", which is a form of sex discrimination, means the the following:
  - (1) One or more acts of violence or physical aggression satisfying the elements of battery under the laws of Illinois that are committed, at least in part, on the basis of a person's sex, whether or not those acts have resulted in criminal charges, prosecution, or conviction.
    - (2) A physical intrusion or physical invasion of a sexual nature under coercive conditions satisfying the elements of battery under the laws of Illinois, whether or not the act or acts resulted in criminal charges, prosecution, or conviction.
    - (3) A threat of an act described in item (1) or (2) causing a realistic apprehension that the originator of the threat will commit the act.
- 23 (Source: P.A. 93-416, eff. 1-1-04.)