

1 AN ACT concerning safety.

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

4 Section 5. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by
5 adding Section 52.3-15 as follows:

6 (415 ILCS 5/52.3-15 new)

7 Sec. 52.3-15. Unlawful materials for recycling. Beginning
8 on July 1, 2017, it shall be unlawful for any person to
9 knowingly place into a container intended for collection by a
10 residential hauler for processing at a recycling center the
11 following materials:

12 (1) household sharps;

13 (2) plastic bags, plastic sheets, plastic tarps, or
14 plastic wrap;

15 (3) polystyrene or Styrofoam;

16 (4) landscape waste;

17 (5) food scrap; and

18 (6) motor oil containers or other hazardous waste
19 containers.

20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
21 2017.