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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3095

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 3095 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The State Police Act is amended by changing  
5 Section 9 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 2610/9) (from Ch. 121, par. 307.9)

7 Sec. 9. Appointment; qualifications.

8 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this Section, the  
9 appointment of Department of State Police officers shall be  
10 made from those applicants who have been certified by the Board  
11 as being qualified for appointment. All persons so appointed  
12 shall, at the time of their appointment, be not less than 21  
13 years of age, or 20 years of age and have successfully  
14 completed 2 years of law enforcement studies at an accredited  
15 college or university. Any person appointed subsequent to  
16 successful completion of 2 years of such law enforcement

1 studies shall not have power of arrest, nor shall he be  
2 permitted to carry firearms, until he reaches 21 years of age.  
3 In addition, all persons so certified for appointment shall be  
4 of sound mind and body, be of good moral character, be citizens  
5 of the United States, have no criminal records, possess such  
6 prerequisites of training, education and experience as the  
7 Board may from time to time prescribe, and shall be required to  
8 pass successfully such mental and physical tests and  
9 examinations as may be prescribed by the Board. Notwithstanding  
10 any Board rule to the contrary, all persons who meet one of the  
11 following requirements are deemed to have met the collegiate  
12 educational requirements ~~either~~:

13 (i) have been honorably discharged and who  
14 have been awarded a Southwest Asia Service Medal,  
15 Kosovo Campaign Medal, Korean Defense Service  
16 Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Iraq Campaign  
17 Medal, or Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary  
18 Medal by the United States Armed Forces; ~~or~~

19 (ii) are active members of the Illinois  
20 National Guard or a reserve component of the United  
21 States Armed Forces and who have been awarded a  
22 Southwest Asia Service Medal, Kosovo Campaign  
23 Medal, Korean Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan  
24 Campaign Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, or Global War  
25 on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal as a result of  
26 honorable service during deployment on active

1 duty;~~it~~

2 (iii) have been honorably discharged who  
3 served in a combat mission by proof of hostile fire  
4 pay or imminent danger pay during deployment on  
5 active duty; or

6 (iv) have at least 4 years of full active and  
7 continuous military duty and received an honorable  
8 discharge before hiring. ~~are deemed to have met the~~  
9 ~~collegiate educational requirements.~~

10 Preference shall be given in such appointments to persons  
11 who have honorably served in the military or naval services of  
12 the United States. All appointees shall serve a probationary  
13 period of 12 months from the date of appointment and during  
14 that period may be discharged at the will of the Director.  
15 However, the Director may in his or her sole discretion extend  
16 the probationary period of an officer up to an additional 6  
17 months when to do so is deemed in the best interest of the  
18 Department.

19 (b) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Act, after  
20 July 1, 1977 and before July 1, 1980, the Director of State  
21 Police may appoint and promote not more than 20 persons having  
22 special qualifications as special agents as he deems necessary  
23 to carry out the Department's objectives. Any such appointment  
24 or promotion shall be ratified by the Board.

25 (c) During the 90 days following the effective date of this  
26 amendatory Act of 1995, the Director of State Police may

1 appoint up to 25 persons as State Police officers. These  
2 appointments shall be made in accordance with the requirements  
3 of this subsection (c) and any additional criteria that may be  
4 established by the Director, but are not subject to any other  
5 requirements of this Act. The Director may specify the initial  
6 rank for each person appointed under this subsection.

7 All appointments under this subsection (c) shall be made  
8 from personnel certified by the Board. A person certified by  
9 the Board and appointed by the Director under this subsection  
10 must have been employed by the Illinois Commerce Commission on  
11 November 30, 1994 in a job title subject to the Personnel Code  
12 and in a position for which the person was eligible to earn  
13 "eligible creditable service" as a "noncovered employee", as  
14 those terms are defined in Article 14 of the Illinois Pension  
15 Code.

16 Persons appointed under this subsection (c) shall  
17 thereafter be subject to the same requirements and procedures  
18 as other State police officers. A person appointed under this  
19 subsection must serve a probationary period of 12 months from  
20 the date of appointment, during which he or she may be  
21 discharged at the will of the Director.

22 This subsection (c) does not affect or limit the Director's  
23 authority to appoint other State Police officers under  
24 subsection (a) of this Section.

25 (Source: P.A. 97-640, eff. 12-19-11; 98-54, eff. 1-1-14.)

1           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
2   2017.".