

# HB4935



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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**HB4935**

Introduced 2/18/2020, by Rep. David A. Welter

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 440/1

from Ch. 1, par. 3201

Amends the Time Standardization Act. Provides that the State is exempt from the provisions of the federal Uniform Time Act of 1966 that establish daylight saving time. Effective July 1, 2020.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

4 Section 5. The Time Standardization Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 440/1) (from Ch. 1, par. 3201)

7 Sec. 1. The State of Illinois, acting under the exemption  
8 provisions of the federal Uniform Time Act of 1966 (15 U.S.C.  
9 260a(a)), is exempt from the provisions of that law that  
10 establish daylight saving time. ~~At two o'clock ante meridian of~~  
11 ~~the second Sunday in March of each year, the standard time in~~  
12 ~~this State shall be advanced one hour, and at two o'clock ante~~  
13 ~~meridian of the first Sunday in November of each year the~~  
14 ~~standard time in this State shall, by the retarding of one~~  
15 ~~hour, be made to coincide with the mean astronomical time of~~  
16 ~~the ninety degrees of longitude West from Greenwich, the~~  
17 ~~standard official time of which is described as United States~~  
18 ~~standard central time, so that between the second Sunday of~~  
19 ~~March at two o'clock ante meridian in each year and the first~~  
20 ~~Sunday in November at two o'clock ante meridian in each year~~  
21 ~~the standard time in this State shall be one hour in advance of~~  
22 ~~the United States standard central time: Provided, however,~~  
23 ~~that nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to be in~~

1 ~~contravention of any federal law or authorized order of the~~  
2 ~~Interstate Commerce Commission with respect to the time zones~~  
3 ~~of the United States.~~ And in all laws, statutes, orders,  
4 judgments, rules and regulations relating to the time of  
5 performance of any act of any officer or department of this  
6 State, or of any county, township, city or town, municipal  
7 corporation, agency or instrumentality of the State, or school  
8 district or school authority or relating to the time in which  
9 any rights shall accrue or determine, or within which any act  
10 shall or shall not be performed by any person subject to the  
11 jurisdiction of the State, and in all the public schools and in  
12 all institutions of the State, or of any county, township, city  
13 or town, municipal corporation, agency or instrumentality of  
14 the State or school district or school authority, and in all  
15 contracts or choses in action made or to be performed in the  
16 State, it shall be understood and intended that the time shall  
17 be the time prescribed in this Section.

18 ~~If the date on which time is to be advanced one hour, the~~  
19 ~~date on which time is to be retarded one hour, or both, as set~~  
20 ~~forth under Section 260a of the federal Uniform Time Act of~~  
21 ~~1966 (15 U.S.C. 260a), as now or hereafter amended, renumbered,~~  
22 ~~or succeeded, differs from either or both of those dates as set~~  
23 ~~forth under this Section, then the dates set forth under the~~  
24 ~~federal law shall control and shall apply in Illinois,~~  
25 ~~notwithstanding the dates set forth in this Section.~~

26 (Source: P.A. 95-725, eff. 6-30-08.)

1           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
2           2020.