

SB3407



101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2019 and 2020

SB3407

Introduced 2/14/2020, by Sen. Melinda Bush

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

605 ILCS 10/3

from Ch. 121, par. 100-3

Amends the Toll Highway Act. Increases the number of directors of the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority appointed by the Governor from 9 to 11. Provides that, of the 11 directors of the Authority appointed by the Governor, at least one shall be from Cook County, at least one shall be from Lake County, at least one shall be from DuPage County, at least one shall be from Will County, at least one shall be from Winnebago, Boone, or McHenry County, and at least one shall be from Kane, DeKalb, Ogle, or Lee County. Provides that no more than 6 (rather than 5) directors shall be from the same political party. Provides that, within 30 days of the effective date of the amendatory Act, the Governor shall appoint one director from Lake County and one director from Winnebago, Boone, or McHenry County. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Toll Highway Act is amended by changing
5 Section 3 as follows:

6 (605 ILCS 10/3) (from Ch. 121, par. 100-3)

7 Sec. 3. There is hereby created an Authority to be known as
8 The Illinois State Toll Highway Authority, which is hereby
9 constituted an instrumentality and an administrative agency of
10 the State of Illinois. The said Authority shall consist of 13
11 ~~11~~ directors; the Governor and the Secretary of the Department
12 of Transportation, ex officio, and 11 ~~9~~ directors appointed by
13 the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate, ~~from~~
14 ~~the State at large~~, which said directors and their successors
15 are hereby authorized to carry out the provisions of this Act,
16 and to exercise the powers herein conferred. Of the 11 ~~9~~
17 directors appointed by the Governor, at least one director
18 shall be from Cook County, at least one director shall be from
19 Lake County, at least one director shall be from DuPage County,
20 at least one director shall be from Will County, at least one
21 director shall be from Winnebago, Boone, or McHenry County, at
22 least one director shall be from Kane, DeKalb, Ogle, or Lee
23 County, and no more than 6 ~~5~~ shall be members of the same

1 political party. Within 30 days after the effective date of
2 this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly, the Governor
3 shall appoint one director from Lake County and one director
4 from Winnebago, Boone, or McHenry County.

5 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the
6 term of office of each director of the Authority serving on the
7 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 100th General
8 Assembly, other than the Governor and the Secretary of the
9 Department of Transportation, is abolished and a vacancy in
10 each office is created on the effective date of this amendatory
11 Act of the 100th General Assembly. The Governor shall appoint
12 directors to the Authority for the vacancies created under this
13 amendatory Act of the 100th General Assembly by February 28,
14 2019. Directors whose terms are abolished under this amendatory
15 Act of the 100th General Assembly shall be eligible for
16 reappointment.

17 Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term in the
18 same manner as original appointments. All appointments shall be
19 in writing and filed with the Secretary of State as a public
20 record. It is the intention of this section that the Governor's
21 appointments shall be made with due consideration to the
22 location of proposed toll highway routes so that maximum
23 geographic representation from the areas served by said toll
24 highway routes may be accomplished insofar as practicable. The
25 said Authority shall have the power to contract and be
26 contracted with, to acquire, hold and convey personal and real

1 property or any interest therein including rights of way,
2 franchises and easements; to have and use a common seal, and to
3 alter the same at will; to make and establish resolutions,
4 by-laws, rules, rates and regulations, and to alter or repeal
5 the same as the Authority shall deem necessary and expedient
6 for the construction, operation, relocation, regulation and
7 maintenance of a system of toll highways within and through the
8 State of Illinois.

9 Appointment of the additional directors provided for by
10 this amendatory Act of 1980 shall be made within 30 days after
11 the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1980.

12 (Source: P.A. 100-1180, eff. 2-28-19.)

13 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
14 becoming law.