



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB2612

Introduced 2/19/2021, by Rep. Tim Butler

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 430/5-40

Amends the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act. Provides that no executive branch constitutional officer, candidate for an executive branch constitutional office, member of the General Assembly, candidate for the General Assembly, political caucus of the General Assembly, or political committee on behalf of any of the foregoing may hold a political fundraising function in the State of Illinois (currently, Sangamon County) on any day the legislature is in session. Removes provisions allowing fundraising at specified times. Makes conforming changes.

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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 State Officials and Employees Ethics Act is
5 amended by changing Section 5-40 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 430/5-40)

7 Sec. 5-40. Fundraising during legislative session ~~in~~
8 ~~Sangamon County.~~ Any ~~Except as provided in this Section, any~~
9 executive branch constitutional officer, any candidate for an
10 executive branch constitutional office, any member of the
11 General Assembly, any candidate for the General Assembly, any
12 political caucus of the General Assembly, or any political
13 committee on behalf of any of the foregoing may not hold a
14 political fundraising function in the State of Illinois
15 ~~Sangamon County~~ on any day the legislature is in session ~~(i)~~
16 ~~during the period beginning February 1 and ending on the later~~
17 ~~of the actual adjournment dates of either house of the spring~~
18 ~~session and (ii) during fall veto session.~~ For purposes of
19 this Section, the legislature is not considered to be in
20 session on a day that is solely a perfunctory session day or on
21 a day when only a committee is meeting.

22 ~~During the period beginning June 1 and ending on the first~~
23 ~~day of fall veto session each year, this Section does not apply~~

1 ~~to (i) a member of the General Assembly whose legislative or~~
2 ~~representative district is entirely within Sangamon County or~~
3 ~~(ii) a candidate for the General Assembly from that~~
4 ~~legislative or representative district.~~

5 (Source: P.A. 96-555, eff. 8-18-09.)