

HB3098



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/19/2021, by Rep. Sonya M. Harper

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 880/5

Amends the Illinois Conservation Foundation Act. Provides term length and appointment length. Provides that if a member fails to attend 2 or more meetings in one year without being excused, then the Chair of the Board of Directors may ask the appointing officer to consider removing the member and making a new appointment.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning state government.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Conservation Foundation Act is
5 amended by changing Section 5 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 880/5)

7 Sec. 5. Creation of Foundation. The General Assembly
8 authorizes the Department of Natural Resources, in accordance
9 with Section 10 of the State Agency Entity Creation Act, to
10 create the Illinois Conservation Foundation. Under this
11 authority, the Department of Natural Resources shall create
12 the Illinois Conservation Foundation as a not-for-profit
13 foundation. The Department shall file articles of
14 incorporation as required under the General Not For Profit
15 Corporation Act of 1986 to create the Foundation. The
16 Foundation's Board of Directors shall be appointed as follows:
17 2 by the President of the Illinois Senate; 2 by the Minority
18 Leader of the Illinois Senate; 2 by the Speaker of the Illinois
19 House of Representatives; 2 by the Minority Leader of the
20 Illinois House of Representatives; and 4 by the Governor. Each
21 appointing individual shall have: one two-year term and one
22 three-year term appointment. The Governor shall have 4
23 four-year term appointments. If a member fails to attend 2 or

1 more meetings in one year without being excused, then the
2 Chair of the Board of Directors may ask the appointing officer
3 to consider removing the member and making a new appointment.
4 If the appointing officer considers reappointing the same
5 individual, that reappointing officer shall consider the
6 member's attendance and commitment to the Foundation's
7 purpose. Vacancies shall be filled by the official who made
8 the recommendation for the vacated appointment. The Director
9 of Natural Resources shall chair the Board of Directors of the
10 Foundation. No member of the Board of Directors may receive
11 compensation for his or her services to the Foundation.
12 (Source: P.A. 88-591, eff. 8-20-94; 89-445, eff. 2-7-96.)