

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB3751

Introduced 2/22/2021, by Rep. Mark Batinick

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 420/4A-102 from Ch. 127, par. 604A-102 5 ILCS 420/4A-103 from Ch. 127, par. 604A-103

Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Provides for the listing of additional interests on the statement of economic interests for members of the General Assembly and candidates for nomination or election to the General Assembly. Makes conforming changes.

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1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Governmental Ethics Act is amended by changing Sections 4A-102 and 4A-103 as follows:
- 6 (5 ILCS 420/4A-102) (from Ch. 127, par. 604A-102)

Sec. 4A-102. The statement of economic interests required by this Article shall include the economic interests of the person making the statement as provided in this Section. The interest (if constructively controlled by the person making the statement) of a spouse or any other party, shall be considered to be the same as the interest of the person making the statement. Campaign receipts shall not be included in this statement.

- (a) The following interests shall be listed by all persons required to file:
 - (1) The name, address and type of practice of any professional organization or individual professional practice in which the person making the statement was an officer, director, associate, partner or proprietor, or served in any advisory capacity, from which income in excess of \$1200 was derived during the preceding calendar year;

(2) The nature of professional services (other
than services rendered to the unit or units of
government in relation to which the person is required
to file) and the nature of the entity to which they
were rendered if fees exceeding \$5,000 were received
during the preceding calendar year from the entity for
professional services rendered by the person making
the statement.

- (3) The identity (including the address or legal description of real estate) of any capital asset from which a capital gain of \$5,000 or more was realized in the preceding calendar year.
- (4) The name of any unit of government which has employed the person making the statement during the preceding calendar year other than the unit or units of government in relation to which the person is required to file.
- (5) The name of any entity from which a gift or gifts, or honorarium or honoraria, valued singly or in the aggregate in excess of \$500, was received during the preceding calendar year.
- (b) The following interests shall also be listed by persons listed in items (a) through (f), item (l), item (n), and item (p) of Section 4A-101:
 - (1) The name and instrument of ownership in any entity doing business in the State of Illinois, in

which an ownership interest held by the person at the date of filing is in excess of \$5,000 fair market value or from which dividends of in excess of \$1,200 were derived during the preceding calendar year. (In the case of real estate, location thereof shall be listed by street address, or if none, then by legal description). No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed;

- (2) Except for professional service entities, the name of any entity and any position held therein from which income of in excess of \$1,200 was derived during the preceding calendar year, if the entity does business in the State of Illinois. No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
- (3) The identity of any compensated lobbyist with whom the person making the statement maintains a close economic association, including the name of the lobbyist and specifying the legislative matter or matters which are the object of the lobbying activity, and describing the general type of economic activity of the client or principal on whose behalf that person is lobbying.
- (c) The following interests shall also be listed by persons listed in items (a) through (c) and item (e) of Section 4A-101.5:

- (1) The name and instrument of ownership in any entity doing business with a unit of local government in relation to which the person is required to file if the ownership interest of the person filing is greater than \$5,000 fair market value as of the date of filing or if dividends in excess of \$1,200 were received from the entity during the preceding calendar year. (In the case of real estate, location thereof shall be listed by street address, or if none, then by legal description). No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
- (2) Except for professional service entities, the name of any entity and any position held therein from which income in excess of \$1,200 was derived during the preceding calendar year if the entity does business with a unit of local government in relation to which the person is required to file. No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed.
- (3) The name of any entity and the nature of the governmental action requested by any entity which has applied to a unit of local government in relation to which the person must file for any license, franchise or permit for annexation, zoning or rezoning of real estate during the preceding calendar year if the ownership interest of the person filing is in excess

1	of \$5,000 fair market value at the time of filing or if
2	income or dividends in excess of \$1,200 were received
3	by the person filing from the entity during the
4	preceding calendar year.
5	(d) The following interests shall also be listed by
6	members of the General Assembly and candidates for
7	nomination or election to the General Assembly, including
8	immediate family members of such persons:
9	(1) The names of all businesses with which he or
10	she is associated.
11	(2) All sources of income, with a description of
12	all income in excess of \$1,000.
13	(3) The names of securities in excess of \$5,000
14	owned by the person making the statement or a
15	relative.
16	(4) The existence of any known blind trusts.
17	(5) Real property owned by the person making the
18	statement or relative, and its location (exempting
19	primary place of residence).
20	(6) Names of creditors owed debts in excess of
21	\$10,000.
22	(7) Contracts between the person making the
23	statement or a relative and the State of Illinois.
24	(8) Any business association between the person
25	making the statement or relative and a registered
26	lobbyist.

1	For the purposes of this Section, the unit of local
2	government in relation to which a person required to file
3	under item (e) of Section 4A-101.5 shall be the unit of local
4	government that contributes to the pension fund of which such
5	person is a member of the board.
6	(Source: P.A. 101-221, eff. 8-9-19.)
7	(5 ILCS 420/4A-103) (from Ch. 127, par. 604A-103)
8	Sec. 4A-103. The statement of economic interests required
9	by this Article to be filed with the Secretary of State shall
10	be filled in by typewriting or hand printing, shall be
11	verified, dated, and signed by the person making the statement
12	and shall contain substantially the following:
13	STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTEREST
14	(TYPE OR HAND PRINT)
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16	(name)
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18	(each office or position of employment for which this
19	statement is filed)
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21	(full mailing address)
22	GENERAL DIRECTIONS:
23	The interest (if constructively controlled by the person
24	making the statement) of a spouse or any other party, shall be

considered to be the same as the interest of the person making

1 the statement. 2 Campaign receipts shall not be included in this statement. 3 If additional space is needed, please attach supplemental listing. 4 1. List the name and instrument of ownership in any entity 6 doing business in the State of Illinois, in which the 7 ownership interest held by the person at the date of filing is 8 in excess of \$5,000 fair market value or from which dividends 9 in excess of \$1,200 were derived during the preceding calendar 10 year. (In the case of real estate, location thereof shall be 11 listed by street address, or if none, then by legal 12 description.) No time or demand deposit in a financial institution, nor any debt instrument need be listed. 13 14 Business Entity Instrument of Ownership 15 16 17 18 2. List the name, address and type of practice of any 19 20 professional organization in which the person making the statement was an officer, director, associate, partner or 21 22 proprietor or served in any advisory capacity, from which income in excess of \$1,200 was derived during the preceding 23 24 calendar year. 25 Name Address Type of Practice 26

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3	3. List the nature of professional services rendered
4	(other than to the State of Illinois) to each entity from which
5	income exceeding \$5,000 was received for professional services
6	rendered during the preceding calendar year by the person
7	making the statement.
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10	4. List the identity (including the address or legal
11	description of real estate) of any capital asset from which a
12	capital gain of \$5,000 or more was realized during the
13	preceding calendar year.
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16	5. List the identity of any compensated lobbyist with whom
17	the person making the statement maintains a close economic
18	association, including the name of the lobbyist and specifying
19	the legislative matter or matters which are the object of the
20	lobbying activity, and describing the general type of economic
21	activity of the client or principal on whose behalf that
22	person is lobbying.
23	Lobbyist Legislative Matter Client or Principal
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26	6. List the name of any entity doing business in the State

1	of Illinois from which income in excess of \$1,200 was derived
2	during the preceding calendar year other than for professional
3	services and the title or description of any position held in
4	that entity. (In the case of real estate, location thereof
5	shall be listed by street address, or if none, then by legal
6	description). No time or demand deposit in a financial
7	institution nor any debt instrument need be listed.
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12	7. List the name of any unit of government which employed
13	the person making the statement during the preceding calendar
14	year other than the unit or units of government in relation to
15	which the person is required to file.
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18	8. List the name of any entity from which a gift or gifts,
19	or honorarium or honoraria, valued singly or in the aggregate
20	in excess of \$500, was received during the preceding calendar
21	year.
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23	9. List the names of all businesses with which he or she is
24	associated.
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2	<pre>income in excess of \$1,000.</pre>
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12	13. List the real property owned by the person making the
13	statement or relative, and its location (exempting primary
14	place of residence).
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22	statement or a relative and the State of Illinois.
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25	16. List any business association between the person

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3	VERIFICATION:
4	"I declare that this statement of economic interests
5	(including any accompanying schedules and statements) has been
6	examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a
7	true, correct and complete statement of my economic interests
8	as required by the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. I
9	understand that the penalty for willfully filing a false or
10	incomplete statement shall be a fine not to exceed \$1,000 or
11	imprisonment in a penal institution other than the
12	penitentiary not to exceed one year, or both fine and
13	imprisonment."
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(date of filing) (signature of person making the statement)

(Source: P.A. 95-173, eff. 1-1-08.)