

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 SB3013

Introduced 1/5/2022, by Sen. Sally J. Turner

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 440/3.12

from Ch. 121, par. 503.12

Amends the Highway Advertising Control Act of 1971. Provides that with respect to signs owned or leased by an individual, an area zoned for residential, business, commercial, or industrial activities that is adjacent to and within 660 feet of an Interstate highway and that is in Township 18 North, Range 4 West in the Thirty-Fourth Section of the Third Principal Meridian, shall be deemed a "business area". Provides that the zoning must have been a part of comprehensive zoning and not have been created primarily to permit outdoor advertising structures. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

- Section 5. The Highway Advertising Control Act of 1971 is amended by changing Section 3.12 as follows:
- 6 (225 ILCS 440/3.12) (from Ch. 121, par. 503.12)
- Sec. 3.12. Business area. "Business area" means any part of an area adjacent to and within 660 feet of the right-of-way 8 9 zoned for business, commercial or industrial activities under the authority of any law of this State; or not 10 so zoned, but which constitutes an unzoned commercial or 11 industrial area as defined in Section 3.11. However, as to 12 signs along Interstate highways, the term "business area" 13 14 includes only areas which are within incorporated limits of any city, village, or incorporated town, as such limits 15 existed on September 21, 1959, and which are zoned for 16 17 industrial or commercial use, or both, or to portions of Interstate highways which traverse other areas where the land 18 19 use, as of September 21, 1959, was established by State law as 20 industrial or commercial, or both.
- 21 With respect to signs owned or leased by the State or a 22 political subdivision, an area zoned for business, commercial, 23 or industrial activities that is adjacent to and within 660

- feet of an Interstate highway and that is in Township 41 North, 1 2 Range 10 East of the Third Principal Meridian, shall be deemed a "business area" for purposes of this Act. This zoning must 3 have been a part of comprehensive zoning and not have been 4 created primarily to permit outdoor advertising structures as 5 6 described in 23 CFR 750. With respect to signs owned or leased by an individual, an area zoned for residential, business, 7 commercial, or industrial activities that is adjacent to and 8 9 within 660 feet of an Interstate highway and that is in 10 Township 18 North, Range 4 West in the Thirty-Fourth Section 11 of the Third Principal Meridian, shall be deemed a "business area" for the purposes of this Act. This zoning must have been 12 a part of comprehensive zoning and not have been created 13 14 primarily to permit outdoor advertising structures as 15 described in 23 CFR 750. 16 (Source: P.A. 98-56, eff. 7-5-13.)
- 17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.