

1 AN ACT concerning the executive branch.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Workforce Investment Board Act  
5 is amended by changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 3975/3) (from Ch. 48, par. 2103)

7 Sec. 3. Illinois Workforce Investment Board.

8 (a) The Illinois Workforce Investment Board shall  
9 include:

10 (1) the Governor;

11 (2) 2 members of the House of Representatives  
12 appointed by the Speaker of the House and 2 members of  
13 the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate; and

14 (3) persons appointed by the Governor, with the  
15 advice and consent of the Senate (except in the case of a  
16 person holding an office or employment described in  
17 subparagraph (F) when appointment to the office or  
18 employment requires the advice and consent of the  
19 Senate), from among the following:

20 (A) representatives of business in this State  
21 who (i) are owners of businesses, chief executives  
22 or operating officers of businesses, or other  
23 business executives or employers with optimum  
24 policymaking or hiring authority, including members  
25 of local boards described in Section 117(b)(2)(A)(i)  
26 of the federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998;  
27 (ii) represent businesses with employment  
28 opportunities that reflect the employment  
29 opportunities in the State; and (iii) are appointed  
30 from among individuals nominated by State business  
31 organizations and business trade associations;

1 (B) chief elected officials from cities and  
2 counties;

3 (C) representatives of labor organizations who  
4 have been nominated by State labor federations;

5 (D) representatives of individuals or  
6 organizations that have experience with youth  
7 activities;

8 (E) representatives of individuals or  
9 organizations that have experience and expertise in  
10 the delivery of workforce investment activities,  
11 including chief executive officers of community  
12 colleges and community-based organizations within  
13 the State;

14 (F) the lead State agency officials with  
15 responsibility for the programs and activities that  
16 are described in Section 121(b) of the federal  
17 Workforce Investment Act of 1998 and carried out by  
18 one-stop partners and, in any case in which no lead  
19 State agency official has responsibility for such a  
20 program, service, or activity, a representative in  
21 the State with expertise in such program, service,  
22 or activity; and

23 (G) any other representatives and State agency  
24 officials that the Governor may appoint, including,  
25 but not limited to, one or more representatives of  
26 local public education, post-secondary institutions,  
27 secondary or post-secondary vocational education  
28 institutions, and community-based organizations;  
29 and-

30 (H) representatives of individuals or  
31 organizations that represent or advocate on behalf  
32 of persons with disabilities in the workforce.

33 (b) Members of the Board that represent organizations,  
34 agencies, or other entities must be individuals with optimum

1 policymaking authority within the organization, agency, or  
2 entity. The members of the Board must represent diverse  
3 regions of the State, including urban, rural, and suburban  
4 areas.

5 (c) A majority of the members of the Board must be  
6 representatives described in subparagraph (A) of paragraph  
7 (3) of subsection (a). There must be at least 2 members from  
8 each of the categories described in subparagraphs (D) and (E)  
9 of paragraph (3) of subsection (a). There must be at least 3  
10 members from the category described in subparagraph (C) of  
11 paragraph (3) of subsection (a). There must be at least one  
12 member from the category described in subparagraph (H) of  
13 paragraph (3) of subsection (a). A majority of any committee  
14 the Board may establish for the purpose of general oversight,  
15 control, supervision, or management of the Board's business  
16 must be representatives described in subparagraph (A) of  
17 paragraph (3) of subsection (a); any such committee must also  
18 include at least one representative from each of the  
19 categories described in subparagraphs (C) through (E) and (H)  
20 of paragraph (3) of subsection (a) and may include one or  
21 more representatives from any other categories described in  
22 paragraph (3) of subsection (a).

23 (d) The Governor shall select a chairperson for the  
24 Board from among the representatives described in  
25 subparagraph (A) of paragraph (3) of subsection (a).

26 (d-5) (Blank).

27 (e) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection,  
28 this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly does not  
29 affect the tenure of any member appointed to and serving on  
30 the Illinois Human Resource Investment Council on the  
31 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General  
32 Assembly. Members of the Board nominated for appointment in  
33 2000, 2001, or 2002 shall serve for fixed and staggered  
34 terms, as designated by the Governor, expiring no later than

1 July 1 of the second calendar year succeeding their  
2 respective appointments or until their successors are  
3 appointed and qualified. Members of the Board nominated for  
4 appointment after 2002 shall serve for terms expiring on July  
5 1 of the second calendar year succeeding their respective  
6 appointments, or until their successors are appointed and  
7 qualified. A State official or employee serving on the Board  
8 under subparagraph (F) of paragraph (3) of subsection (a) by  
9 virtue of his or her State office or employment shall serve  
10 during the term of that office or employment. A vacancy is  
11 created in situations including, but not limited to, those in  
12 which an individual serving on the Board ceases to satisfy  
13 all of the requirements for appointment under the provision  
14 under which he or she was appointed. The Governor may at any  
15 time make appointments to fill vacancies for the balance of  
16 an unexpired term. Vacancies shall be filled in the same  
17 manner as the original appointment. Members shall serve  
18 without compensation, but shall be reimbursed for necessary  
19 expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

20 (f) The Board shall meet at least 4 times per calendar  
21 year at times and in places that it deems necessary. The  
22 Board shall be subject to the Open Meetings Act and, to the  
23 extent required by that law, its meetings shall be publicly  
24 announced and open and accessible to the general public. The  
25 Board shall adopt any rules and operating procedures that it  
26 deems necessary to carry out its responsibilities under this  
27 Act and under the federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998.

28 (Source: P.A. 92-588, eff. 7-1-02.)

29 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
30 becoming law.