## 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## State of Illinois 2005 and 2006

HB0534

Introduced 01/27/05, by Rep. Susana A Mendoza

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 220/3 from Ch. 127, par. 743

Amends the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act. Provides that it is not intended that an intergovernmental agency become a suable entity and that the Act shall not be construed to affect already existing rights or liabilities.

AN ACT concerning government.

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

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    Section 5. The Intergovernmental Cooperation Act is
amended by changing Section 3 as follows:
    (5 ILCS 220/3) (from Ch. 127, par. 743)
    Sec. 3. Intergovernmental cooperation. Any power or
powers, privileges, functions, or authority exercised or which
may be exercised by a public agency of this state may be
exercised, combined, transferred, and enjoyed jointly with any
other public agency of this State and jointly with any public
agency of any other state or of the United States to the extent
that laws of such other state or of the United States do not
prohibit joint exercise or enjoyment and except where
specifically and expressly prohibited by law. This includes,
but is not limited to, (i) arrangements between the Illinois
Student Assistance Commission and agencies in other states
which issue professional licenses and (ii) agreements between
the Illinois Department of Public Aid and public agencies for
the establishment and enforcement of child support orders and
for the exchange of information that may be necessary for the
enforcement of those child support orders. It is not intended
that intergovernmental agencies created under this Section
become suable entities. Nothing in this Act shall be construed
to affect the rights or liabilities that existed before the
creation of an intergovernmental agency.
(Source: P.A. 90-18, eff. 7-1-97; 91-298, eff. 7-29-99.)
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