## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## State of Illinois

## 2007 and 2008

### HB3042

Introduced 2/26/2007, by Rep. Tom Cross

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

765 ILCS 77/55

Amends the Residential Real Property Disclosure Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning violations and damages.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

Section 5. The Residential Real Property Disclosure Act is
amended by changing Section 55 as follows:

#### 6 (765 ILCS 77/55)

7 Sec. 55. Violations and damages. If the the seller fails or refuses to provide the disclosure document prior to the 8 9 conveyance of the residential real property, the buyer shall 10 have the right to terminate the contract. A person who knowingly violates or fails to perform any duty prescribed by 11 any provision of this Act or who discloses any information on 12 the Residential Real Property Disclosure Report that he knows 13 14 to be false shall be liable in the amount of actual damages and court costs, and the court may award reasonable attorney fees 15 16 incurred by the prevailing party.

17 (Source: P.A. 90-383, eff. 1-1-98.)