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SB1200

Introduced 2/9/2007, by Sen. Matt Murphy

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

70 ILCS 805/5e

from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 6308e

Amends the Downstate Forest Preserve District Act. Provides that property in which a forest preserve district is the grantee of a conservation easement or a conservation right shall not be subject to condemnation proceedings, with certain exceptions. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning forest preserve districts.

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

4 Section 5. The Downstate Forest Preserve District Act is 5 amended by changing Section 5e as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 805/5e) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 6308e)

Sec. 5e. Property owned by a forest preserve district <u>and</u> <u>property in which a forest preserve district is the grantee of</u> <u>a conservation easement or the grantee of a conservation right</u> <u>as defined in Section 1(a) of the Real Property Conservation</u> <u>Rights Act</u> shall not be subject to eminent domain or condemnation proceedings, except as otherwise provided in Section 15 of the O'Hare Modernization Act.

14 (Source: P.A. 93-450, eff. 8-6-03.)

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