

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding
5 Section 31-4.5 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/31-4.5 new)

7 Sec. 31-4.5. Obstructing identification.

8 (a) A person commits the offense of obstructing
9 identification when he or she intentionally or knowingly
10 furnishes a false or fictitious name, residence address, or
11 date of birth to a peace officer who has:

12 (1) lawfully arrested the person;

13 (2) lawfully detained the person; or

14 (3) requested the information from a person that the
15 peace officer has good cause to believe is a witness to a
16 criminal offense.

17 (b) Sentence. Obstructing identification is a Class A
18 misdemeanor.

19 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January
20 1, 2009.