October 7, 2008

To the Honorable Members of the Illinois Senate 95th General Assembly

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 9(e) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return Senate Bill 2718, entitled "AN ACT concerning criminal law.", with the following specific recommendation for change:

on page 2, below line 26, by inserting the following:

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

With this change, Senate Bill 2718 will have my approval. I respectfully request your concurrence.

Sincerely,

ROD R. BLAGOJEVICH Governor