## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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#### SB2876

Introduced 2/15/2008, by Sen. Michael Noland

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

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Amends the Department of Revenue Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that no electronic check may be drawn on nor any electronic withdrawal made from commercial checking accounts maintained by the Director of Revenue by any secure online, Internet, or web-based banking methods or procedures except on the written approval of 2 or more persons designated and authorized by the Director to make such electronic checks or electronic withdrawals. Increases amounts that the Director may keep in such accounts. Amends the State Finance Act to allow the Department of Revenue to maintain a petty cash fund of not exceeding \$2,000 (was, \$1,000). Amends the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act to extend the statute of limitations on certain violations of the Acts from 3 years after the commission of the act to 6 years after the commission of the act. Amends the Coin-Operated Amusement Device and Redemption Machine Tax Act. Makes changes regarding the imposition of the privilege tax and in penalty provisions. Amends the Uniform Penalty and Interest Act. Imposes a penalty for failure to file a transaction reporting return required under specified provisions of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act and the Use Tax Act. Amends the Criminal Code of 1961 to make changes in the definition of "redemption machine". Makes other changes. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

CORRECTIONAL BUDGET AND IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

Section 5. The Department of Revenue Law of the Civil
Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing Section
2505-310 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2505/2505-310) (was 20 ILCS 2505/39b15.2)

8 Sec. 2505-310. Obtaining evidence. The Department has the 9 power to expend sums that the Director deems necessary from 10 contractual services appropriations for the purchase of 11 evidence and for the employment of persons to obtain evidence. 12 The sums shall be advanced to investigators authorized by the 13 Director to expend funds, on vouchers signed by the Director.

14 In addition, the Director is authorized to maintain one or more commercial checking accounts with any State banking 15 16 corporation or corporations organized under or subject to the 17 Illinois Banking Act for the deposit and withdrawal of moneys to be used solely for the purchase of evidence and for the 18 19 employment of persons to obtain evidence. No check may be 20 written on nor any withdrawal made from such an account except 21 on the written signature of 2 persons designated by the 22 Director to write those checks and make those withdrawals. No electronic check may be drawn on nor any electronic withdrawal 23

made from such account by any secure online, Internet, or 1 2 web-based banking methods or procedures except on the written 3 approval of 2 or more persons designated and authorized by the Director to make such electronic checks or electronic 4 5 withdrawals. The balance of moneys on deposit in any such account shall not exceed \$25,000 <del>\$5,000</del> at any time, nor shall 6 7 any one check written on or single withdrawal made from any such account exceed \$25,000  $\frac{55,000}{5}$ . 8

9 (Source: P.A. 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)

Section 10. The State Finance Act is amended by changing
Section 13.3 as follows:

12 (30 ILCS 105/13.3) (from Ch. 127, par. 149.3)

13 Sec. 13.3. Petty cash funds; purchasing cards.

(a) Any State agency may establish and maintain petty cash
funds for the purpose of making change, purchasing items of
small cost, payment of postage due, and for other nominal
expenditures which cannot be administered economically and
efficiently through customary procurement practices.

Petty cash funds may be established and maintained from moneys which are appropriated to the agency for Contractual Services. In the case of an agency which receives a single appropriation for its ordinary and contingent expenses, the agency may establish a petty cash fund from the appropriated funds.

Before the establishment of any petty cash fund, the agency 1 2 shall submit to the State Comptroller a survey of the need for the fund. The survey shall also establish that sufficient 3 internal accounting controls exist. The Comptroller shall 4 5 investigate such need and if he determines that it exists and 6 that adequate accounting controls exist, shall approve the 7 establishment of the fund. The Comptroller shall have the power 8 to revoke any approval previously made under this Section.

9 Petty cash funds established under this Section shall be 10 operated and maintained on the imprest system and no fund shall 11 exceed \$1,000, except that the Department of Revenue may 12 maintain a fund not exceeding \$2,000 for each Department of 13 Revenue facility and the Secretary of State may maintain a fund 14 of not exceeding \$2,000 for each Chicago Motor Vehicle 15 Facility, each Springfield Public Service Facility, and the 16 Motor Vehicle Facilities in Champaign, Decatur, Marion, 17 Naperville, Peoria, Rockford, Granite City, Quincy, and Carbondale, to be used solely for the purpose of making change. 18 Except for purchases made by procurement card as provided in 19 subsection (b) of this Section, single transactions shall be 20 limited to amounts less than \$50, and all transactions 21 22 occurring in the fund shall be reported and accounted for as 23 may be provided in the uniform accounting system developed by the 24 the State Comptroller and rules and regulations 25 implementing that accounting system. All amounts in any such fund of less than \$1,000 but over \$100 shall be kept in a 26

checking account in a bank, or savings and loan association or 1 2 trust company which is insured by the United States government 3 or any agency of the United States government, except that in funds maintained in each Department of Revenue Facility, 4 5 Chicago Motor Vehicle Facilities, each Springfield Public 6 Motor Vehicle Facilities Service Facility, and the in 7 Champaign, Decatur, Marion, Naperville, Peoria, Rockford, 8 Granite City, Quincy, and Carbondale, all amounts in the fund 9 may be retained on the premises of such facilities.

No bank or savings and loan association shall receive public funds as permitted by this Section, unless it has complied with the requirements established pursuant to Section 6 of "An Act relating to certain investments of public funds by public agencies", approved July 23, 1943, as now or hereafter amended.

An internal audit shall be performed of any petty cash fund which receives reimbursements of more than \$5,000 in a fiscal year.

Upon succession in the custodianship of any petty cash fund, both the former and successor custodians shall sign a statement, in triplicate, showing the exact status of the fund at the time of the transfer. The original copy shall be kept on file in the office wherein the fund exists, and each signer shall be entitled to retain one copy.

(b) The Comptroller may provide by rule for the use ofpurchasing cards by State agencies to pay for purchases that

otherwise may be paid out of the agency's petty cash fund. Any rule adopted hereunder shall impose a single transaction limit, which shall not be greater than \$500.

4 The rules of the Comptroller may include but shall not be 5 limited to:

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(1) standards for the issuance of purchasing cards to State agencies based upon the best interests of the State;

8 (2) procedures for recording purchasing card 9 transactions within the State accounting system, which may 10 provide for summary reporting;

(3) procedures for auditing purchasing card
 transactions on a post-payment basis;

(4) standards for awarding contracts with a purchasing
card vendor to acquire purchasing cards for use by State
agencies; and

(5) procedures for the Comptroller to charge against
 State agency appropriations for payment of purchasing card
 expenditures without the use of the voucher and warrant
 system.

20 (c) As used in this Section, "State agency" means any 21 department, officer, authority, public corporation, 22 quasi-public corporation, commission, board, institution, 23 State college or university, or other public agency created by the State, other than units of local government and school 24 25 districts.

26 (Source: P.A. 90-33, eff. 6-27-97; 91-704, eff. 7-1-00.)

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Section 15. The Use Tax Act is amended by changing Section
 14 as follows:

(35 ILCS 105/14) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.14)

Sec. 14. When the amount due is under \$300, any person 4 subject to the provisions hereof who fails to file a return, or 5 who violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 6 7 hereof, or who fails to keep books and records as required 8 herein, or who files a fraudulent return, or who wilfully 9 violates any rule or regulation of the Department for the 10 administration and enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any 11 officer or agent of a corporation or manager, member, or agent 12 of a limited liability company subject hereto who signs a fraudulent return filed on behalf of such corporation or 13 14 limited liability company, or any accountant or other agent who 15 knowingly enters false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act, or any person who violates any of the 16 provisions of Sections 3, 5 or 7 hereof, or any purchaser who 17 obtains a registration number or resale number from the 18 Department through misrepresentation, or who represents to a 19 20 seller that such purchaser has a registration number or a 21 resale number from the Department when he knows that he does not, or who uses his registration number or resale number to 22 23 make a seller believe that he is buying tangible personal 24 property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows that this SB2876 - 7 - LRB095 18333 BDD 44417 b

1 is not the case, is guilty of a Class 4 felony.

2 Any person who violates any provision of Section 6 hereof, or who engages in the business of selling tangible personal 3 property at retail after his Certificate of Registration under 4 5 this Act has been revoked in accordance with Section 12 of this Act, is guilty of a Class 4 felony. Each day any such person is 6 7 engaged in business in violation of Section 6, or after his Certificate of Registration under this Act has been revoked, 8 9 constitutes a separate offense.

10 When the amount due is under \$300, any person who accepts 11 money that is due to the Department under this Act from a 12 taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 13 make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 4 14 15 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by 16 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 17 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it will not be paid by the depository, shall be quilty of a 18 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 19 20 Code of 1961, as amended.

21 When the amount due is \$300 or more any person subject to 22 the provisions hereof who fails to file a return or who 23 violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 hereof 24 or who fails to keep books and records as required herein or 25 who files a fraudulent return, or who wilfully violates any 26 rule or regulation of the Department for the administration and

enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any officer or agent 1 2 of a corporation or manager, member, or agent of a limited 3 liability company subject hereto who signs a fraudulent return filed on behalf of such corporation or limited liability 4 5 company, or any accountant or other agent who knowingly enters 6 false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act 7 or any person who violates any of the provisions of Sections 3, 8 5 or 7 hereof or any purchaser who obtains a registration 9 number resale number from the Department or through 10 misrepresentation, or who represents to a seller that such 11 purchaser has a registration number or a resale number from the 12 Department when he knows that he does not or who uses his 13 registration number or resale number to make a seller believe 14 that he is buying tangible personal property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows that this is not the case, is 15 16 quilty of a Class 3 felony.

17 When the amount due is \$300 or more any person who accepts money that is due to the Department under this Act from a 18 19 taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 20 make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such 21 payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 3 22 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by 23 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it 24 25 will not be paid by the depository shall be guilty of a deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 26

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1 Code of 1961, as amended.

2 Any seller who collects or attempts to collect use tax 3 measured by receipts which such seller knows are not subject to use tax, or any seller who knowingly over-collects or attempts 4 5 to over-collect use tax in a transaction which is subject to the tax that is imposed by this Act, shall be quilty of a Class 6 7 4 felony for each such offense. This paragraph does not apply 8 to an amount collected by the seller as use tax on receipts 9 which are subject to tax under this Act as long as such 10 collection is made in compliance with the tax collection 11 brackets prescribed by the Department in its Rules and 12 Regulations.

13 Any taxpayer or agent of a taxpayer who with the intent to 14 defraud purports to make a payment due to the Department by 15 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 16 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it 17 will not be paid by the depository, shall be guilty of a 18 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 19 Code of 1961, as amended.

A prosecution for any act in violation of this Section may be commenced at any time within  $\underline{6} \rightarrow \underline{3}$  years of the commission of that Act.

This Section does not apply if the violation in a particular case also constitutes a criminal violation of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

26 (Source: P.A. 88-480.)

Section 20. The Service Use Tax Act is amended by changing
 Section 15 as follows:

3 (35 ILCS 110/15) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.45)

Sec. 15. When the amount due is under \$300, any person 4 subject to the provisions hereof who fails to file a return, or 5 who violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 6 7 hereof, or who fails to keep books and records as required 8 herein, or who files a fraudulent return, or who wilfully 9 violates any Rule or Regulation of the Department for the 10 administration and enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any 11 officer or agent of a corporation, or manager, member, or agent 12 of a limited liability company, subject hereto who signs a fraudulent return filed on behalf of such corporation or 13 14 limited liability company, or any accountant or other agent who 15 knowingly enters false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act, or any person who violates any of the 16 provisions of Sections 3 and 5 hereof, or any purchaser who 17 18 obtains a registration number or resale number from the Department through misrepresentation, or who represents to a 19 20 seller that such purchaser has a registration number or a 21 resale number from the Department when he knows that he does not, or who uses his registration number or resale number to 22 23 make a seller believe that he is buying tangible personal 24 property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows that this - 11 - LRB095 18333 BDD 44417 b

1 is not the case, is guilty of a Class 4 felony.

2 Any person who violates any provision of Section 6 hereof, or who engages in the business of making sales of service after 3 his Certificate of Registration under this Act has been revoked 4 5 in accordance with Section 12 of this Act, is guilty of a Class 6 4 felony. Each day any such person is engaged in business in 7 violation of Section 6, or after his Certificate of 8 Registration under this Act has been revoked, constitutes a 9 separate offense.

When the amount due is under \$300, any person who accepts 10 11 money that is due to the Department under this Act from a 12 taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 13 make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 4 14 15 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by 16 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 17 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it will not be paid by the depository, shall be quilty of a 18 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 19 20 Code of 1961, as amended.

21 When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person subject to 22 the provisions hereof who fails to file a return, or who 23 violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 hereof, 24 or who fails to keep books and records as required herein or 25 who files a fraudulent return, or who willfully violates any 26 rule or regulation of the Department for the administration and

enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any officer or agent 1 2 of a corporation, or manager, member, or agent of a limited 3 liability company, subject hereto who signs a fraudulent return filed on behalf of such corporation or limited liability 4 5 company, or any accountant or other agent who knowingly enters 6 false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act, or any person who violates any of the provisions of Sections 3 7 and 5 hereof, or any purchaser who obtains a registration 8 9 number resale number from the Department or through 10 misrepresentation, or who represents to a seller that such 11 purchaser has a registration number or a resale number from the 12 Department when he knows that he does not, or who uses his 13 registration number or resale number to make a seller believe 14 that he is buying tangible personal property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows that this is not the case, is 15 16 quilty of a Class 3 felony.

17 When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person who accepts money that is due to the Department under this Act from a 18 19 taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 20 make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such 21 payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 3 22 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by 23 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 24 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it will not be paid by the depository, shall be quilty of a 25 26 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal

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1 Code of 1961, as amended.

2 Any serviceman who collects or attempts to collect Service 3 Use Tax measured by receipts or selling prices which such serviceman knows are not subject to Service Use Tax, or any 4 5 serviceman who knowingly over-collects or attempts to over-collect Service Use Tax in a transaction which is subject 6 to the tax that is imposed by this Act, shall be guilty of a 7 8 Class 4 felony for each offense. This paragraph does not apply 9 to an amount collected by the serviceman as Service Use Tax on 10 receipts or selling prices which are subject to tax under this 11 Act as long as such collection is made in compliance with the 12 tax collection brackets prescribed by the Department in its Rules and Regulations. 13

Any taxpayer or agent of a taxpayer who with the intent to defraud purports to make a payment due to the Department by issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it will not be paid by the depository, shall be guilty of a deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal Code of 1961, as amended.

A prosecution for any Act in violation of this Section may be commenced at any time within  $\underline{6} \rightarrow \underline{3}$  years of the commission of that Act.

This Section does not apply if the violation in a particular case also constitutes a criminal violation of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Use Tax Act or the Service

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1 Occupation Tax Act.

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2 (Source: P.A. 90-655, eff. 7-30-98; 91-51, eff. 6-30-99.)

3 Section 25. The Service Occupation Tax Act is amended by4 changing Section 15 as follows:

5 (35 ILCS 115/15) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.115)

Sec. 15. When the amount due is under \$300, any person 6 7 subject to the provisions hereof who fails to file a return, or 8 who violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 9 hereof, or who fails to keep books and records as required 10 herein, or who files a fraudulent return, or who wilfully 11 violates any Rule or Regulation of the Department for the 12 administration and enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any officer or agent of a corporation, or manager, member, or agent 13 14 of a limited liability company, subject hereto who signs a 15 fraudulent return filed on behalf of such corporation or limited liability company, or any accountant or other agent who 16 knowingly enters false information on the return of any 17 taxpayer under this Act, or any person who violates any of the 18 provisions of Sections 3, 5 or 7 hereof, or any purchaser who 19 20 obtains a registration number or resale number from the 21 Department through misrepresentation, or who represents to a seller that such purchaser has a registration number or a 22 23 resale number from the Department when he knows that he does 24 not, or who uses his registration number or resale number to make a seller believe that he is buying tangible personal property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows that this is not the case, is guilty of a Class 4 felony.

Any person who violates any provision of Section 6 hereof, 4 5 or who engages in the business of making sales of service after his Certificate of Registration under this Act has been revoked 6 in accordance with Section 12 of this Act, is guilty of a Class 7 8 4 felony. Each day any such person is engaged in business in 9 violation of Section 6, or after his Certificate of 10 Registration under this Act has been revoked, constitutes a 11 separate offense.

12 When the amount due is under \$300, any person who accepts 13 money that is due to the Department under this Act from a 14 taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 15 make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such 16 payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 4 17 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 18 19 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it will not be paid by the depository, shall be guilty of a 20 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 21 22 Code of 1961, as amended.

23 When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person subject to 24 the provisions hereof who fails to file a return, or who 25 violates any other provision of Section 9 or Section 10 hereof, 26 or who fails to keep books and records as required herein, or

who files a fraudulent return, or who wilfully violates any 1 2 rule or regulation of the Department for the administration and 3 enforcement of the provisions hereof, or any officer or agent of a corporation, or manager, member, or agent of a limited 4 5 liability company, subject hereto who signs a fraudulent return 6 filed on behalf of such corporation or limited liability 7 company, or any accountant or other agent who knowingly enters 8 false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act, 9 or any person who violates any of the provisions of Sections 3, 10 5 or 7 hereof, or any purchaser who obtains a registration 11 number or resale number from the Department through 12 misrepresentation, or who represents to a seller that such 13 purchaser has a registration number or a resale number from the 14 Department when he knows that he does not, or who uses his 15 registration number or resale number to make a seller believe 16 that he is buying tangible personal property for resale when 17 such purchaser in fact knows that this is not the case, is quilty of a Class 3 felony. 18

When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person who accepts 19 20 money that is due to the Department under this Act from a taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to 21 22 make the payment to the Department but who fails to remit such 23 payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 3 24 felony. Any such person who purports to make such payment by 25 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 26 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it

will not be paid by the depository shall be guilty of a
 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal
 Code of 1961, as amended.

Any serviceman who collects or attempts to collect Service 4 Occupation Tax, measured by receipts which such serviceman 5 knows are not subject to Service Occupation Tax, or 6 anv 7 serviceman who collects or attempts to collect an amount 8 designated) which purports to reimburse (however such 9 serviceman for Service Occupation Tax liability measured by 10 receipts or selling prices which such serviceman knows are not 11 subject to Service Occupation Tax, or any serviceman who 12 knowingly over-collects or attempts to over-collect Service 13 Occupation Tax or an amount purporting to be reimbursement for 14 Service Occupation Tax liability in a transaction which is 15 subject to the tax that is imposed by this Act, shall be quilty 16 of a Class 4 felony for each such offense. This paragraph does 17 not apply to an amount collected by the serviceman as reimbursement for the serviceman's Service Occupation Tax 18 19 liability on receipts or selling prices which are subject to 20 tax under this Act, as long as such collection is made in compliance with the tax collection brackets prescribed by the 21 22 Department in its Rules and Regulations.

A prosecution for any act in violation of this Section may be commenced at any time within  $\underline{6} \rightarrow \underline{3}$  years of the commission of that act.

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This Section does not apply if the violation in a

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3 (Source: P.A. 91-51, eff. 6-30-99.)

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Section 30. The Retailers' Occupation Tax Act is amended bychanging Section 13 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 120/13) (from Ch. 120, par. 452)

7 Sec. 13. When the amount due is under \$300, any person 8 engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property 9 at retail in this State who fails to file a return, or who 10 files a fraudulent return, or any officer, employee or agent of a corporation, member, employee or agent of a partnership, or 11 12 manager, member, agent, or employee of a limited liability 13 company engaged in the business of selling tangible personal 14 property at retail in this State who, as such officer, 15 employee, agent, manager, or member is under a duty to file a return, or any officer, agent or employee of a corporation, 16 17 member, agent, or employee of a partnership, or manager, 18 member, agent, or employee of a limited liability company engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property 19 20 at retail in this State who files or causes to be filed or 21 signs or causes to be signed a fraudulent return filed on 22 behalf of such corporation or limited liability company, or any 23 accountant or other agent who knowingly enters false 24 information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act, is

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1 guilty of a Class 4 felony.

2 Any person who or any officer or director of anv 3 corporation, partner or member of any partnership, or manager or member of a limited liability company that: (a) violates 4 5 Section 2a of this Act or (b) fails to keep books and records, or fails to produce books and records as required by Section 7 6 7 (c) willfully violates a rule or regulation of the or 8 Department for the administration and enforcement of this Act 9 is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. Any person, manager or 10 member of a limited liability company, or officer or director 11 of any corporation who engages in the business of selling 12 tangible personal property at retail after the certificate of 13 registration of that person, corporation, limited liability company, or partnership has been revoked is guilty of a Class A 14 15 misdemeanor. Each day such person, corporation, or partnership 16 is engaged in business without a certificate of registration or 17 after the certificate of registration of that person, corporation, or partnership has been revoked constitutes a 18 19 separate offense.

Any purchaser who obtains a registration number or resale number from the Department through misrepresentation, or who represents to a seller that such purchaser has a registration number or a resale number from the Department when he knows that he does not, or who uses his registration number or resale number to make a seller believe that he is buying tangible personal property for resale when such purchaser in fact knows

1 that this is not the case is guilty of a Class 4 felony.

2 Any distributor, supplier or other reseller of motor fuel registered pursuant to Section 2a or 2c of this Act who fails 3 to collect the prepaid tax on invoiced gallons of motor fuel 4 5 sold or who fails to deliver a statement of tax paid to the purchaser or to the Department as required by Sections 2d and 6 7 2e of this Act, respectively, shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor if the amount due is under \$300, and a Class 4 8 9 felony if the amount due is \$300 or more.

When the amount due is under \$300, any person who accepts money that is due to the Department under this Act from a taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to make the payment to the Department, but who fails to remit such payment to the Department when due is guilty of a Class 4 felony.

16 Any seller who collects or attempts to collect an amount 17 (however designated) which purports to reimburse such seller for retailers' occupation tax liability measured by receipts 18 which such seller knows are not subject to retailers' 19 20 occupation tax, or any seller who knowingly over-collects or 21 attempts to over-collect an amount purporting to reimburse such 22 seller for retailers' occupation tax liability in a transaction 23 which is subject to the tax that is imposed by this Act, shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony for each such offense. This 24 paragraph does not apply to an amount collected by the seller 25 as reimbursement for the seller's retailers' occupation tax 26

1 liability on receipts which are subject to tax under this Act 2 as long as such collection is made in compliance with the tax 3 collection brackets prescribed by the Department in its Rules 4 and Regulations.

5 When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person engaged in 6 the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in 7 this State who fails to file a return, or who files a fraudulent return, or any officer, employee or agent of a 8 9 corporation, member, employee or agent of a partnership, or 10 manager, member, agent, or employee of a limited liability 11 company engaged in the business of selling tangible personal 12 property at retail in this State who, as such officer, 13 employee, agent, manager, or member is under a duty to file a 14 return and who fails to file such return or any officer, agent, 15 or employee of a corporation, member, agent or employee of a 16 partnership, or manager, member, agent, or employee of a 17 limited liability company engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in this State who files or 18 19 causes to be filed or signs or causes to be signed a fraudulent 20 return filed on behalf of such corporation or limited liability company, or any accountant or other agent who knowingly enters 21 22 false information on the return of any taxpayer under this Act 23 is guilty of a Class 3 felony.

When the amount due is \$300 or more, any person engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in this State who accepts money that is due to the Department

under this Act from a taxpayer for the purpose of acting as the taxpayer's agent to make payment to the Department but fails to remit such payment to the Department when due, is guilty of a Class 3 felony.

5 Any person whose principal place of business is in this 6 State and who is charged with a violation under this Section 7 shall be tried in the county where his principal place of 8 business is located unless he asserts a right to be tried in 9 another venue.

10 Any taxpayer or agent of a taxpayer who with the intent to 11 defraud purports to make a payment due to the Department by 12 issuing or delivering a check or other order upon a real or 13 fictitious depository for the payment of money, knowing that it 14 will not be paid by the depository, shall be guilty of a 15 deceptive practice in violation of Section 17-1 of the Criminal 16 Code of 1961, as amended.

17 A prosecution for any act in violation of this Section may 18 be commenced at any time within  $\underline{6}$  years of the commission of 19 that act.

20 (Source: P.A. 87-879; 88-480.)

21 Section 35. The Coin-Operated Amusement Device and 22 Redemption Machine Tax Act is amended by changing Sections 1, 23 8, 14, and 15 as follows:

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(35 ILCS 510/1) (from Ch. 120, par. 481b.1)

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Sec. 1. There is imposed, on the privilege of operating 1 2 every coin-in-the-slot-operated amusement device, including a 3 device operated or operable by insertion of coins, bills, other money, tokens, tickets, chips, debit cards, or similar objects, 4 5 in this State which returns to the player thereof no money or property or right to receive money or property, and on the 6 7 privilege of operating in this State a redemption machine as defined in Section 28-2 of the Criminal Code of 1961, an annual 8 9 privilege tax of \$30 for each device for a period beginning on 10 or after August 1 of any year and prior to August 1 of the 11 succeeding year.

12 (Source: P.A. 93-32, eff. 7-1-03.)

13 (35 ILCS 510/8) (from Ch. 120, par. 481b.8)

14 Sec. 8. Any person operating or displaying any device 15 described in this Act in such manner that it could be played by 16 the public without the tax imposed by this Act having first 17 been paid shall be guilty of a Class <u>A</u>  $\in$  misdemeanor. The use 18 or operation for other than amusement purposes of any device 19 taxed as in this Act provided shall be a Class <u>A</u>  $\in$  misdemeanor. 20 (Source: P.A. 83-1428.)

21 (35 ILCS 510/14) (from Ch. 120, par. 481b.14)

22 Sec. 14. After seizing any coin-in-the-slot-operated 23 amusement device, as provided in Section 13 of this Act, the 24 Department shall hold a hearing in the county where such

1 amusement device was seized and shall determine whether such 2 amusement device was being displayed in a manner which violates 3 any provision of this Act.

The Department shall give not less than 7 days' notice of the time and place of such hearing to the owner of such amusement device if he is known, and also to the person in whose possession the amusement device so taken was found, if such person is known and if such person in possession is not the owner of said amusement device.

In case neither the owner nor the person in possession of such amusement device is known, the Department shall cause publication of the time and place of such hearing to be made at least once in each week for 3 weeks successively in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where such hearing is to be held.

16 If, as the result of such hearing, the Department shall 17 determine that the amusement device seized was, at the time of seizure, being displayed in a manner which violates this Act, 18 the Department shall enter an order declaring such amusement 19 20 device confiscated and forfeited to the State, and to be sold 21 by the Department in the manner provided for hereinafter in 22 this Section. The Department shall give notice of such order to 23 the owner of such amusement device if he is known, and also to 24 the person in whose possession the amusement device so taken 25 was found, if such person is known and if such person in 26 possession is not the owner of such amusement device. In case

neither the owner nor the person in possession of 1 such 2 amusement device is known, the Department shall cause 3 publication of such order to be made at least once in each week for 3 weeks successively in a newspaper of general circulation 4 5 in the county where such hearing was held.

6 The person from whom such amusement device has been seized 7 (or the owner of such device if that is a different person) may 8 redeem and reclaim such device by paying, to the Department, 9 within 30 days after the Department's order of confiscation and forfeiture becomes final, an amount equal to twice the annual 10 11 tax applicable to such amusement device, plus a penalty of 12 \$2,500 for each device, which shall be deposited into the Tax 13 Compliance and Administration Fund 10%.

14 When any amusement device shall have been declared 15 forfeited to the State by the Department, as provided in this 16 Section, and when all proceedings for the judicial review of 17 the Department's decision have terminated, the Department shall (if such amusement device is not redeemed and reclaimed 18 19 within the time and in the manner provided for in this 20 Section), to the extent that its decision is sustained on review, sell such amusement device for the best price 21 22 obtainable and shall forthwith pay over the proceeds of such 23 sale to the State Treasurer; provided, however, that if the 24 value of the property to be sold at any one time shall be 25 \$500.00 or more, such property shall be sold only to the highest and best bidder on such terms and conditions and on 26

open competitive bidding after public advertisement, in such manner and for such terms as the Department, by rule, may prescribe.

If no complaint for review, as provided in Section 10 of 4 5 this Act, has been filed within the time required by the Administrative Review Law, and if such amusement device is not 6 7 redeemed and reclaimed within the time and in the manner provided for in this Section, the Department shall proceed to 8 9 sell said property for the best price obtainable and shall 10 forthwith pay over the proceeds of such sale to the State 11 Treasurer; provided, however, that if the value of the property 12 to be sold at any one time shall be \$500.00 or more, such property shall be sold only to the highest and best bidder on 13 14 such terms and conditions and on open competitive bidding after 15 public advertisement, in such manner and for such terms as the 16 Department, by rule, may prescribe.

17 (Source: P.A. 82-783.)

18 (35 ILCS 510/15) (from Ch. 120, par. 481b.15)

19 Sec. 15. Whenever any peace officer of the State or any 20 duly authorized officer or employee of the Department shall 21 have reason to believe that any violation of this Act has 22 occurred and that the person so violating the Act has in his, 23 her or its possession any amusement device which is being 24 displayed in a manner which violates this Act, he may file or 25 cause to be filed his complaint in writing, verified by 1 affidavit, with any court within whose jurisdiction the 2 premises to be searched are situated, stating the facts upon 3 which such belief is founded, the premises to be searched, and 4 the property to be seized, and procure a search warrant and 5 execute the same.

6 Upon the execution of such search warrant, the peace 7 officer, or officer or employee of the Department, executing such search warrant shall make due return thereof to the court 8 9 issuing the same, together with an inventory of the property taken thereunder. The court shall thereupon issue process 10 11 against the owner of such property if he is known; otherwise, 12 such process shall be issued against the person in whose 13 possession the property so taken is found, if such person is 14 known.

In case of inability to serve such process upon the owner or the person in possession of the property at the time of its seizure, as hereinbefore provided, notice of the proceedings before the court shall be given as required by the statutes of the State governing cases of attachment.

20 Upon the return of the process duly served or upon the 21 posting or publishing of notice made, as hereinabove provided, 22 the court or jury, if a jury shall be demanded, shall proceed 23 to determine whether or not such property so seized was 24 displayed in violation of this Act. In case of a finding that 25 the amusement device seized was, at the time of seizure, being 26 displayed in violation of this Act, judgment shall be entered

1 confiscating and forfeiting the property to the State and 2 ordering its delivery to the Department, and in addition 3 thereto, the court shall have power to tax and assess the costs 4 of the proceedings.

5 The person from whom such amusement device has been seized (or the owner of such device if that is a different person) may 6 7 redeem and reclaim such device by paying, to the Department, 8 within 30 days after the order of confiscation and forfeiture becomes final, an amount equal to twice the annual tax 9 10 applicable to such amusement device, plus a penalty of <u>\$2,500</u> 11 for each device, which shall be deposited into the Tax 12 Compliance and Administration Fund 10%.

13 any amusement device shall have been When declared forfeited to the State by any court, and when such confiscated 14 15 and forfeited amusement device shall have been delivered to the 16 Department, and if such device is not redeemed and reclaimed 17 within the time and in the manner provided for in this Section, the Department shall sell such amusement device for the best 18 price obtainable and shall forthwith pay over the proceeds of 19 20 such sale to the State Treasurer; provided, however, that if 21 the value of the property to be sold at any one time shall be 22 \$500.00 or more, such property shall be sold only to the 23 highest and best bidder on such terms and conditions and on open competitive bidding after public advertisement, in such 24 25 manner and for such terms as the Department, by rule, may 26 prescribe.

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1 (Source: Laws 1965, p. 3716.)

Section 40. The Uniform Penalty and Interest Act is amended
by changing Section 3-3 as follows:

4 (35 ILCS 735/3-3) (from Ch. 120, par. 2603-3)

Sec. 3-3. Penalty for failure to file or pay.

6 (a) This subsection (a) is applicable before January 1, 7 1996. A penalty of 5% of the tax required to be shown due on a 8 return shall be imposed for failure to file the tax return on 9 or before the due date prescribed for filing determined with 10 regard for any extension of time for filing (penalty for late 11 filing or nonfiling). If any unprocessable return is corrected 12 and filed within 21 days after notice by the Department, the 13 late filing or nonfiling penalty shall not apply. If a penalty for late filing or nonfiling is imposed in addition to a 14 15 penalty for late payment, the total penalty due shall be the sum of the late filing penalty and the applicable late payment 16 penalty. Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act 17 18 of 1995, in the case of any type of tax return required to be 19 filed more frequently than annually, when the failure to file 20 the tax return on or before the date prescribed for filing 21 (including any extensions) is shown to be nonfraudulent and has not occurred in the 2 years immediately preceding the failure 22 23 to file on the prescribed due date, the penalty imposed by Section 3-3(a) shall be abated. 24

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(a-5) This subsection (a-5) is applicable to returns due on 1 2 and after January 1, 1996 and on or before December 31, 2000. A penalty equal to 2% of the tax required to be shown due on a 3 return, up to a maximum amount of \$250, determined without 4 5 regard to any part of the tax that is paid on time or by any 6 credit that was properly allowable on the date the return was 7 required to be filed, shall be imposed for failure to file the 8 tax return on or before the due date prescribed for filing 9 determined with regard for any extension of time for filing. 10 However, if any return is not filed within 30 days after notice 11 of nonfiling mailed by the Department to the last known address 12 of the taxpayer contained in Department records, an additional penalty amount shall be imposed equal to the greater of \$250 or 13 14 2% of the tax shown on the return. However, the additional 15 penalty amount may not exceed \$5,000 and is determined without 16 regard to any part of the tax that is paid on time or by any 17 credit that was properly allowable on the date the return was required to be filed (penalty for late filing or nonfiling). If 18 any unprocessable return is corrected and filed within 30 days 19 20 after notice by the Department, the late filing or nonfiling penalty shall not apply. If a penalty for late filing or 21 22 nonfiling is imposed in addition to a penalty for late payment, 23 the total penalty due shall be the sum of the late filing penalty and the applicable late payment penalty. In the case of 24 25 any type of tax return required to be filed more frequently than annually, when the failure to file the tax return on or 26

before the date prescribed for filing (including any extensions) is shown to be nonfraudulent and has not occurred in the 2 years immediately preceding the failure to file on the prescribed due date, the penalty imposed by Section 3-3(a-5) shall be abated.

6 (a-10) This subsection (a-10) is applicable to returns due 7 on and after January 1, 2001. A penalty equal to 2% of the tax 8 required to be shown due on a return, up to a maximum amount of 9 \$250, reduced by any tax that is paid on time or by any credit 10 that was properly allowable on the date the return was required 11 to be filed, shall be imposed for failure to file the tax 12 return on or before the due date prescribed for filing 13 determined with regard for any extension of time for filing. However, if any return is not filed within 30 days after notice 14 15 of nonfiling mailed by the Department to the last known address 16 of the taxpayer contained in Department records, an additional 17 penalty amount shall be imposed equal to the greater of \$250 or 2% of the tax shown on the return. However, the additional 18 19 penalty amount may not exceed \$5,000 and is determined without 20 regard to any part of the tax that is paid on time or by any credit that was properly allowable on the date the return was 21 22 required to be filed (penalty for late filing or nonfiling). If 23 any unprocessable return is corrected and filed within 30 days after notice by the Department, the late filing or nonfiling 24 penalty shall not apply. If a penalty for late filing or 25 26 nonfiling is imposed in addition to a penalty for late payment,

the total penalty due shall be the sum of the late filing 1 2 penalty and the applicable late payment penalty. In the case of 3 any type of tax return required to be filed more frequently than annually, when the failure to file the tax return on or 4 5 before the date prescribed for filing (including any extensions) is shown to be nonfraudulent and has not occurred 6 7 in the 2 years immediately preceding the failure to file on the 8 prescribed due date, the penalty imposed by Section 3-3(a-10) 9 shall be abated.

10 (a-15) In addition to any other penalties imposed by law 11 for the failure to file a return, a penalty of \$100 shall be imposed for failure to file a transaction reporting return 12 13 required by Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act and 14 Section 9 of the Use Tax Act on or before the date a return is required to be filed. This penalty shall be imposed regardless 15 16 of whether the return when properly prepared and filed would 17 result in the imposition of a tax.

(b) This subsection is applicable before January 1, 1998. A penalty of 15% of the tax shown on the return or the tax required to be shown due on the return shall be imposed for failure to pay:

(1) the tax shown due on the return on or before the due date prescribed for payment of that tax, an amount of underpayment of estimated tax, or an amount that is reported in an amended return other than an amended return timely filed as required by subsection (b) of Section 506 1 2 of the Illinois Income Tax Act (penalty for late payment or nonpayment of admitted liability); or

3 (2) the full amount of any tax required to be shown due on a return and which is not shown (penalty for late 4 payment or nonpayment of additional liability), within 30 5 6 days after a notice of arithmetic error, notice and demand, 7 or a final assessment is issued by the Department. In the 8 case of a final assessment arising following a protest and 9 hearing, the 30-day period shall not begin until all 10 proceedings in court for review of the final assessment 11 have terminated or the period for obtaining a review has 12 expired without proceedings for a review having been instituted. In the case of a notice of tax liability that 13 14 becomes a final assessment without a protest and hearing, 15 the penalty provided in this paragraph (2) shall be imposed 16 at the expiration of the period provided for the filing of 17 a protest.

18 (b-5) This subsection is applicable to returns due on and 19 after January 1, 1998 and on or before December 31, 2000. A 20 penalty of 20% of the tax shown on the return or the tax 21 required to be shown due on the return shall be imposed for 22 failure to pay:

(1) the tax shown due on the return on or before the
due date prescribed for payment of that tax, an amount of
underpayment of estimated tax, or an amount that is
reported in an amended return other than an amended return

timely filed as required by subsection (b) of Section 506 of the Illinois Income Tax Act (penalty for late payment or nonpayment of admitted liability); or

(2) the full amount of any tax required to be shown due 4 5 on a return and which is not shown (penalty for late 6 payment or nonpayment of additional liability), within 30 days after a notice of arithmetic error, notice and demand, 7 8 or a final assessment is issued by the Department. In the 9 case of a final assessment arising following a protest and 10 hearing, the 30-day period shall not begin until all 11 proceedings in court for review of the final assessment 12 have terminated or the period for obtaining a review has expired without proceedings for a review having been 13 14 instituted. In the case of a notice of tax liability that 15 becomes a final assessment without a protest and hearing, 16 the penalty provided in this paragraph (2) shall be imposed 17 at the expiration of the period provided for the filing of 18 a protest.

(b-10) This subsection (b-10) is applicable to returns due
on and after January 1, 2001 and on or before December 31,
2003. A penalty shall be imposed for failure to pay:

(1) the tax shown due on a return on or before the due
date prescribed for payment of that tax, an amount of
underpayment of estimated tax, or an amount that is
reported in an amended return other than an amended return
timely filed as required by subsection (b) of Section 506

of the Illinois Income Tax Act (penalty for late payment or 1 2 nonpayment of admitted liability). The amount of penalty 3 imposed under this subsection (b-10)(1) shall be 2% of any amount that is paid no later than 30 days after the due 4 5 date, 5% of any amount that is paid later than 30 days after the due date and not later than 90 days after the due 6 7 date, 10% of any amount that is paid later than 90 days 8 after the due date and not later than 180 days after the 9 due date, and 15% of any amount that is paid later than 180 10 days after the due date. If notice and demand is made for 11 the payment of any amount of tax due and if the amount due 12 is paid within 30 days after the date of the notice and 13 demand, then the penalty for late payment or nonpayment of 14 admitted liability under this subsection (b-10)(1) on the 15 amount so paid shall not accrue for the period after the 16 date of the notice and demand.

17 (2) the full amount of any tax required to be shown due on a return and that is not shown (penalty for late payment 18 19 or nonpayment of additional liability), within 30 days 20 after a notice of arithmetic error, notice and demand, or a 21 final assessment is issued by the Department. In the case 22 of a final assessment arising following a protest and 23 hearing, the 30-day period shall not begin until all 24 proceedings in court for review of the final assessment 25 have terminated or the period for obtaining a review has 26 expired without proceedings for a review having been instituted. The amount of penalty imposed under this subsection (b-10)(2) shall be 20% of any amount that is not paid within the 30-day period. In the case of a notice of tax liability that becomes a final assessment without a protest and hearing, the penalty provided in this subsection (b-10)(2) shall be imposed at the expiration of the period provided for the filing of a protest.

8 (b-15) This subsection (b-15) is applicable to returns due 9 on and after January 1, 2004 and on or before December 31, 10 2004. A penalty shall be imposed for failure to pay the tax 11 shown due or required to be shown due on a return on or before 12 the due date prescribed for payment of that tax, an amount of underpayment of estimated tax, or an amount that is reported in 13 14 an amended return other than an amended return timely filed as required by subsection (b) of Section 506 of the Illinois 15 16 Income Tax Act (penalty for late payment or nonpayment of 17 admitted liability). The amount of penalty imposed under this subsection (b-15)(1) shall be 2% of any amount that is paid no 18 19 later than 30 days after the due date, 10% of any amount that 20 is paid later than 30 days after the due date and not later than 90 days after the due date, 15% of any amount that is paid 21 22 later than 90 days after the due date and not later than 180 23 days after the due date, and 20% of any amount that is paid later than 180 days after the due date. If notice and demand is 24 25 made for the payment of any amount of tax due and if the amount 26 due is paid within 30 days after the date of this notice and 1 demand, then the penalty for late payment or nonpayment of 2 admitted liability under this subsection (b-15)(1) on the 3 amount so paid shall not accrue for the period after the date 4 of the notice and demand.

5 (b-20) This subsection (b-20) is applicable to returns due 6 on and after January 1, 2005.

7 (1) A penalty shall be imposed for failure to pay, 8 prior to the due date for payment, any amount of tax the 9 payment of which is required to be made prior to the filing 10 of a return or without a return (penalty for late payment 11 or nonpayment of estimated or accelerated tax). The amount 12 of penalty imposed under this paragraph (1) shall be 2% of any amount that is paid no later than 30 days after the due 13 14 date and 10% of any amount that is paid later than 30 days 15 after the due date.

16 (2) A penalty shall be imposed for failure to pay the 17 tax shown due or required to be shown due on a return on or before the due date prescribed for payment of that tax or 18 19 an amount that is reported in an amended return other than 20 an amended return timely filed as required by subsection 21 (b) of Section 506 of the Illinois Income Tax Act (penalty 22 for late payment or nonpayment of tax). The amount of 23 penalty imposed under this paragraph (2) shall be 2% of any 24 amount that is paid no later than 30 days after the due 25 date, 10% of any amount that is paid later than 30 days 26 after the due date and prior to the date the Department has

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1 initiated an audit or investigation of the taxpayer, and 2 of any amount that is paid after the date 20% the 3 Department has initiated an audit or investigation of the taxpayer; provided that the penalty shall be reduced to 15% 4 if the entire amount due is paid not later than 30 days 5 6 after the Department has provided the taxpayer with an 7 amended return (following completion of an occupation, 8 use, or excise tax audit) or a form for waiver of 9 restrictions on assessment (following completion of an 10 income tax audit); provided further that the reduction to 11 15% shall be rescinded if the taxpayer makes any claim for 12 refund or credit of the tax, penalties, or interest determined to be due upon audit, except in the case of a 13 14 claim filed pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 506 of 15 the Illinois Income Tax Act or to claim a carryover of a 16 or credit, the availability of which was loss not 17 determined in the audit. For purposes of this paragraph (2), any overpayment reported on an original return that 18 19 has been allowed as a refund or credit to the taxpayer 20 shall be deemed to have not been paid on or before the due 21 date for payment and any amount paid under protest pursuant 22 to the provisions of the State Officers and Employees Money 23 Disposition Act shall be deemed to have been paid after the 24 Department has initiated an audit and more than 30 days 25 after the Department has provided the taxpayer with an 26 amended return (following completion of an occupation,

1 use, or excise tax audit) or a form for waiver of 2 restrictions on assessment (following completion of an 3 income tax audit).

(3) The penalty imposed under this subsection (b-20)4 5 shall be deemed assessed at the time the tax upon which the penalty is computed is assessed, except that, if the 6 7 reduction of the penalty imposed under paragraph (2) of this subsection (b-20) to 15% is rescinded because a claim 8 9 for refund or credit has been filed, the increase in 10 penalty shall be deemed assessed at the time the claim for 11 refund or credit is filed.

12 (c) For purposes of the late payment penalties, the basis 13 of the penalty shall be the tax shown or required to be shown 14 on a return, whichever is applicable, reduced by any part of 15 the tax which is paid on time and by any credit which was 16 properly allowable on the date the return was required to be 17 filed.

18 (d) A penalty shall be applied to the tax required to be 19 shown even if that amount is less than the tax shown on the 20 return.

(e) This subsection (e) is applicable to returns due before January 1, 2001. If both a subsection (b)(1) or (b-5)(1) penalty and a subsection (b)(2) or (b-5)(2) penalty are assessed against the same return, the subsection (b)(2) or (b-5)(2) penalty shall be assessed against only the additional tax found to be due.

1 (e-5) This subsection (e-5) is applicable to returns due on 2 and after January 1, 2001. If both a subsection (b-10)(1) 3 penalty and a subsection (b-10)(2) penalty are assessed against 4 the same return, the subsection (b-10)(2) penalty shall be 5 assessed against only the additional tax found to be due.

6 (f) If the taxpayer has failed to file the return, the 7 Department shall determine the correct tax according to its 8 best judgment and information, which amount shall be prima 9 facie evidence of the correctness of the tax due.

10 (g) The time within which to file a return or pay an amount 11 of tax due without imposition of a penalty does not extend the 12 time within which to file a protest to a notice of tax 13 liability or a notice of deficiency.

(h) No return shall be determined to be unprocessable because of the omission of any information requested on the return pursuant to Section 2505-575 of the Department of Revenue Law (20 ILCS 2505/2505-575).

(i) If a taxpayer has a tax liability that is eligible for amnesty under the Tax Delinquency Amnesty Act and the taxpayer fails to satisfy the tax liability during the amnesty period provided for in that Act, then the penalty imposed by the Department under this Section shall be imposed in an amount that is 200% of the amount that would otherwise be imposed under this Section.

25 (Source: P.A. 92-742, eff. 7-25-02; 93-26, eff. 6-20-03; 93-32,
26 eff. 6-20-03; 93-1068, eff. 1-15-05.)

Section 45. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by
 changing Section 28-2 as follows:

3 (720 ILCS 5/28-2) (from Ch. 38, par. 28-2)

4 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 95-676)

5 Sec. 28-2. Definitions.

6 (a) A "gambling device" is any clock, tape machine, slot 7 machine or other machines or device for the reception of money 8 or other thing of value on chance or skill or upon the action 9 of which money or other thing of value is staked, hazarded, 10 bet, won or lost; or any mechanism, furniture, fixture, 11 equipment or other device designed primarily for use in a 12 gambling place. A "gambling device" does not include:

(1) A coin-in-the-slot operated mechanical device played for amusement which rewards the player with the right to replay such mechanical device, which device is so constructed or devised as to make such result of the operation thereof depend in part upon the skill of the player and which returns to the player thereof no money, property or right to receive money or property.

(2) Vending machines by which full and adequate return
is made for the money invested and in which there is no
element of chance or hazard.

(3) A crane game. For the purposes of this paragraph
(3), a "crane game" is an amusement device involving skill,

1 if it rewards the player exclusively with merchandise 2 contained within the amusement device proper and limited to 3 toys, novelties and prizes other than currency, each having 4 a wholesale value which is not more than 7 times the cost 5 charged to play the amusement device once or \$5, whichever 6 is less.

7 (4) A redemption machine. For the purposes of this 8 а "redemption machine" is paragraph (4), (1)а 9 single-player or multi-player amusement device involving a 10 game, the object of which is throwing, rolling, bowling, 11 shooting, placing, or propelling a ball or other object 12 into, upon, or against a hole or other target or (2) a device of any kind or character used by the public that is 13 designed and manufactured for bonafide amusement or 14 15 entertainment purposes, the operation of which requires 16 the payment of or the insertion of coins, bills, other 17 money, tokens, tickets, chips, debit cards, or similar objects, provided that all of the following conditions are 18 19 met:

(A) <u>The device awards the player only with the</u>
right to replay the device or with awards, tokens, or
tickets redeemable for noncash merchandise. For the
purpose of this item (A), "merchandise" does not
include cash or alcoholic beverages. The outcome of the
game is predominantly determined by the skill of the
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(B) The award of the prize is based solely upon the player's achieving the object of the game or otherwise upon the player's score.

(C) Only merchandise prizes are awarded.

(B) (D) The average wholesale value of prizes awarded in lieu of tickets or tokens for single play of the device does not exceed the lesser of \$5 or 7 times the cost charged for a single play of the device.

9 (C) (E) The redemption value of each ticket, token, 10 or other representation tickets, tokens, and other 11 representations of value, which may be accumulated by 12 players to redeem prizes of greater value, does not 13 exceed the amount charged for a single play of the 14 device. However, if multiple tickets, tokens, and 15 other representations of value are awarded for a single 16 play of the device, the total value of all tickets, 17 tokens, and other representations of value awarded may not exceed the amount charged for a single play of the 18 19 device.

20 <u>This paragraph (4) does not apply to any game or device</u> 21 <u>classified by the United States government as requiring a</u> 22 <u>federal gaming tax stamp under applicable provisions of the</u> 23 <u>Internal Revenue Code.</u>

(a-5) "Internet" means an interactive computer service or
 system or an information service, system, or access software
 provider that provides or enables computer access by multiple

users to a computer server, and includes, but is not limited to, an information service, system, or access software provider that provides access to a network system commonly known as the Internet, or any comparable system or service and also includes, but is not limited to, a World Wide Web page, newsgroup, message board, mailing list, or chat area on any interactive computer service or system or other online service.

8 (a-6) "Access" and "computer" have the meanings ascribed to
9 them in Section 16D-2 of this Code.

10 (b) A "lottery" is any scheme or procedure whereby one or 11 more prizes are distributed by chance among persons who have 12 paid or promised consideration for a chance to win such prizes, 13 whether such scheme or procedure is called a lottery, raffle, 14 gift, sale or some other name.

15 (c) A "policy game" is any scheme or procedure whereby a 16 person promises or guarantees by any instrument, bill, 17 certificate, writing, token or other device that any particular 18 number, character, ticket or certificate shall in the event of 19 any contingency in the nature of a lottery entitle the 20 purchaser or holder to receive money, property or evidence of 21 debt.

22 (Source: P.A. 91-257, eff. 1-1-00.)

23 (Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 95-676)

24 Sec. 28-2. Definitions.

25 (a) A "gambling device" is any clock, tape machine, slot

machine or other machines or device for the reception of money or other thing of value on chance or skill or upon the action of which money or other thing of value is staked, hazarded, bet, won or lost; or any mechanism, furniture, fixture, equipment or other device designed primarily for use in a gambling place. A "gambling device" does not include:

7 (1) A coin-in-the-slot operated mechanical device 8 played for amusement which rewards the player with the 9 right to replay such mechanical device, which device is so 10 constructed or devised as to make such result of the 11 operation thereof depend in part upon the skill of the 12 player and which returns to the player thereof no money, 13 property or right to receive money or property.

14 (2) Vending machines by which full and adequate return
15 is made for the money invested and in which there is no
16 element of chance or hazard.

(3) A crane game. For the purposes of this paragraph (3), a "crane game" is an amusement device involving skill, if it rewards the player exclusively with merchandise contained within the amusement device proper and limited to toys, novelties and prizes other than currency, each having a wholesale value which is not more than \$25.

(4) A redemption machine. For the purposes of this
paragraph (4), a "redemption machine" is (1) a
single-player or multi-player amusement device involving a
game, the object of which is throwing, rolling, bowling,

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shooting, placing, or propelling a ball or other object 1 2 into, upon, or against a hole or other target or (2) a 3 device of any kind or character used by the public that is designed and manufactured for bonafide amusement or 4 5 entertainment purposes, the operation of which requires the payment of or the insertion of coins, bills, other 6 money, tokens, tickets, chips, debit cards, or similar 7 8 objects, provided that all of the following conditions are 9 met:

10 (A) <u>The device awards the player only with the</u> 11 <u>right to replay the device or with awards, tokens, or</u> 12 <u>tickets redeemable for noncash merchandise. For the</u> 13 <u>purpose of this item (A), "merchandise" does not</u> 14 <u>include cash or alcoholic beverages.</u> <del>The outcome of the</del> 15 <del>game is predominantly determined by the skill of the</del> 16 <del>player.</del>

17 (B) The award of the prize is based solely upon the
 18 player's achieving the object of the game or otherwise
 19 upon the player's score.

## (C) Only merchandise prizes are awarded.

21 <u>(B)</u> <del>(D)</del> The wholesale value of prizes awarded in 22 lieu of tickets or tokens for single play of the device 23 does not exceed \$25.

24 (C) (E) The redemption value of each ticket, token,
 25 or other representation tickets, tokens, and other
 26 representations of value, which may be accumulated by

players to redeem prizes of greater value, does not 1 2 exceed the amount charged for a single play of the 3 device. However, if multiple tickets, tokens, and other representations of value are awarded for a single 4 5 play of the device, the total value of all tickets, tokens, and other representations of value awarded may 6 7 not exceed the amount charged for a single play of the 8 device.

9 <u>This paragraph (4) does not apply to any game or device</u> 10 <u>classified by the United States government as requiring a</u> 11 <u>federal gaming tax stamp under applicable provisions of the</u> 12 <u>Internal Revenue Code.</u>

13 (a-5) "Internet" means an interactive computer service or 14 system or an information service, system, or access software 15 provider that provides or enables computer access by multiple 16 users to a computer server, and includes, but is not limited 17 to, an information service, system, or access software provider that provides access to a network system commonly known as the 18 19 Internet, or any comparable system or service and also includes, but is not limited to, a World Wide Web page, 20 newsgroup, message board, mailing list, or chat area on any 21 22 interactive computer service or system or other online service.

23 (a-6) "Access" and "computer" have the meanings ascribed to24 them in Section 16D-2 of this Code.

(b) A "lottery" is any scheme or procedure whereby one or more prizes are distributed by chance among persons who have paid or promised consideration for a chance to win such prizes,
 whether such scheme or procedure is called a lottery, raffle,
 gift, sale or some other name.

4 (c) A "policy game" is any scheme or procedure whereby a 5 person promises or guarantees by any instrument, bill, 6 certificate, writing, token or other device that any particular 7 number, character, ticket or certificate shall in the event of 8 any contingency in the nature of a lottery entitle the 9 purchaser or holder to receive money, property or evidence of 10 debt.

11 (Source: P.A. 95-676, eff. 6-1-08.)

Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act makes changes in a statute that is represented in this Act by text that is not yet or no longer in effect (for example, a Section represented by multiple versions), the use of that text does not accelerate or delay the taking effect of (i) the changes made by this Act or (ii) provisions derived from any other Public Act.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
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