

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 HB4603

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

730 ILCS 5/3-12-5

from Ch. 38, par. 1003-12-5

Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides that committed persons who are not assigned work in a correctional employment program shall receive no pay or other compensation during the period in which they are not assigned work in a Department institution or facility. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

- Section 5. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended by changing Section 3-12-5 as follows:
- 6 (730 ILCS 5/3-12-5) (from Ch. 38, par. 1003-12-5)
- 7 Sec. 3-12-5. Compensation.
- (a) Persons performing a work assignment under subsection 8 9 (a) of Section 3-12-2 may receive wages under rules and regulations of the Department. In determining rates 10 compensation, the Department shall consider the effort, skill 11 and economic value of the work performed. Compensation may be 12 13 given to persons who participate in other programs of the 14 Department. Of the compensation earned pursuant to this Section, a portion, as determined by the Department, shall be 15 16 used to offset the cost of the committed 17 incarceration. If the committed person files a lawsuit determined frivolous under Article XXII of the Code of Civil 18 19 Procedure, 50% of the compensation shall be used to offset the 20 filing fees and costs of the lawsuit as provided in that 21 Article until all fees and costs are paid in full. All other 22 wages shall be deposited in the individual's account under rules and regulations of the Department. The Department shall 23

- 1 notify the Attorney General of any compensation applied towards
- 2 a satisfaction, in whole or in part, of the person's
- 3 incarceration costs.
- 4 (b) Committed persons who are not assigned work under
- 5 subsection (a) of Section 3-12-2 shall receive no pay or other
- 6 compensation during the period in which they are not assigned
- 7 work in a Department institution or facility.
- 8 (Source: P.A. 94-1017, eff. 7-7-06.)
- 9 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 10 becoming law.