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1	AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 5191
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend House Bill 5191 by replacing
3	everything after the enacting clause with the following:
4	"Section 5. The Illinois Administrative Procedure Act is
5	amended by changing Sections 5-30 and 5-130 as follows:
6	(5 ILCS 100/5-30) (from Ch. 127, par. 1005-30)
7	Sec. 5-30. Regulatory flexibility. When an agency proposes
8	a new rule or an amendment to an existing rule that may have an
9	impact on small businesses, not for profit corporations, or
10	small municipalities, the agency shall do each of the
11	following:
12	(a) The agency shall consider each of the following methods
13	for reducing the impact of the rulemaking on small businesses,
14	not for profit corporations, or small municipalities. The
15	agency shall reduce the impact by utilizing one or more of the
16	following methods if it finds that the methods are legal and

feasible in meeting the statutory objectives that are the basis
 of the proposed rulemaking.

3 (1) Establish less stringent compliance or reporting
4 requirements in the rule for small businesses, not for
5 profit corporations, or small municipalities.

6 (2) Establish less stringent schedules or deadlines in 7 the rule for compliance or reporting requirements for small 8 businesses, not for profit corporations, or small 9 municipalities.

(3) Consolidate or simplify the rule's compliance or
 reporting requirements for small businesses, not for
 profit corporations, or small municipalities.

(4) Establish performance standards to replace design
or operational standards in the rule for small businesses,
not for profit corporations, or small municipalities.

16 (5) Exempt small businesses, not for profit 17 corporations, or small municipalities from any or all 18 requirements of the rule.

(b) Before or during the notice period required under 19 20 subsection (b) of Section 5-40, the agency shall provide an opportunity for small businesses, not for profit corporations, 21 small municipalities to participate in the rulemaking 22 or 23 process. The agency shall utilize one or more of the following 24 These techniques are in addition to techniques. other 25 rulemaking requirements imposed by this Act or by any other 26 Act.

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1 (1) The inclusion in any advance notice of possible 2 rulemaking of a statement that the rule may have an impact 3 on small businesses, not for profit corporations, or small 4 municipalities.

5 (2) The publication of a notice of rulemaking in 6 publications likely to be obtained by small businesses, not 7 for profit corporations, or small municipalities.

8 (3) The direct notification of interested small 9 businesses, not for profit corporations, or small 10 municipalities.

(4) The conduct of public hearings concerning the
 impact of the rule on small businesses, not for profit
 corporations, or small municipalities.

14 (5) The use of special hearing or comment procedures to 15 reduce the cost or complexity of participation in the 16 rulemaking by small businesses, not for profit 17 corporations, or small municipalities.

(c) <u>Prior to the filing for publication in the Illinois</u>
 <u>Register of any proposed rule or amendment that may have an</u>
 <u>adverse impact on small businesses, each agency must prepare an</u>
 <u>economic impact analysis. The economic impact analysis shall</u>
 <u>include the following:</u>

23 (1) an identification of the types and estimate of the 24 number of the small businesses subject to the proposed rule 25 or amendment;

(2) the projected reporting, recordkeeping, and other

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1administrative costs required for compliance with the2proposed rule or amendment, including the type of3professional skills necessary for preparation of the4report or record;

5 <u>(3) a statement of the probable positive or negative</u> 6 economic effect on impacted small businesses; and

7 <u>(4) a description of any less intrusive or less costly</u> 8 <u>alternative methods of achieving the purpose of the</u> 9 <u>proposed rule or amendment. The alternatives must be</u> 10 <u>consistent with the stated objectives of the applicable</u> 11 <u>statutes and the proposed rulemaking.</u>

Before the notice period required under subsection (b) of 12 13 Section 5-40, the Secretary of State shall provide to the 14 Business Assistance Office of the Department of Commerce and 15 Economic Opportunity a copy of any proposed rules or amendments accepted for publication. The Business Assistance Office shall 16 prepare an impact analysis of the rule or amendment describing 17 its the rule's effect on small businesses whenever the Office 18 believes, in its discretion, that an analysis is warranted or 19 20 whenever requested to do so by 25 interested persons, an 21 association representing at least 100 interested persons, the 22 Governor, a unit of local government, or the Joint Committee on 23 Administrative Rules. The impact analysis shall be completed 24 before or within the notice period as described in subsection 25 (b) of Section 5-40. Upon completion of any the analysis in accordance with this subsection (c), the preparing agency or 26

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1	the Business Assistance Office shall submit <u>the</u> this analysis
2	to the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules, <u>to</u> any
3	interested person who requested the analysis, and, if the
4	agency prepared the analysis, to the Business Assistance Office
5	agency proposing the rule. The impact analysis shall contain
6	the following:
7	This subsection does not apply to rules and standards
8	described in paragraphs (1) through (5) of subsection (c) of
9	Section 1-5.
10	(1) A summary of the projected reporting,
11	recordkeeping, and other compliance requirements of the
12	proposed rule.
13	(2) A description of the types and an estimate of the
14	number of small businesses to which the proposed rule will
15	apply.
16	(3) An estimate of the economic impact that the
17	regulation will have on the various types of small
18	businesses affected by the rulemaking.
19	(4) A description or listing of alternatives to the
20	proposed rule that would minimize the economic impact of
21	the rule. The alternatives must be consistent with the
22	stated objectives of the applicable statutes and
23	regulations.
24	(Source: P.A. 94-793, eff. 5-19-06.)".