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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 350/10

from Ch. 17, par. 6910

Amends the Local Government Debt Reform Act. Provides that bonds issued by school districts for the purpose of purchasing, constructing, or improving real property may become due within 30 years, notwithstanding any other law.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY 1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

Section 5. The Local Government Debt Reform Act is amended
by changing Section 10 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 350/10) (from Ch. 17, par. 6910)

7 Sec. 10. General provisions. Bonds authorized by 8 applicable law may be issued in one or more series, bear such 9 date or dates, become due at such time or times within 40 years, except as expressly limited by applicable law, provided 10 that notwithstanding any such express limitation bonds issued 11 12 by school districts for the purpose of purchasing, 13 constructing, or improving real property may become due within 14 30 years, bear interest payable at such intervals and at such rate or rates as authorized under applicable law, which rates 15 16 may be fixed or variable, be in such denominations, be in such 17 form, either coupon, registered or book-entry, carry such conversion, registration, and exchange privileges, be subject 18 19 to defeasance upon such terms, have such rank or priority, be 20 executed in such manner, be payable in such medium of payment 21 at such place or places within or without the State of 22 Illinois, make provision for a corporate trustee within or without the State with respect to such bonds, prescribe the 23

rights, powers and duties thereof to be exercised for the 1 2 benefit of the governmental unit and the protection of the 3 bondholders, provide for the holding in trust, investment and use of moneys, funds and accounts held under an ordinance, 4 5 provide for assignment of and direct payment of the moneys to pay such bonds or to be deposited into such funds or accounts 6 7 directly to such trustee, be subject to such terms of 8 redemption with or without premium, and be sold in such manner 9 at private or public sale and at such price, all as the 10 governing body shall determine. Whenever such bonds are sold at 11 price less than par, they shall be sold at such price and bear 12 interest at such rate or rates such that either the true 13 interest cost (yield) or the net interest rate, as may be 14 selected by the governing body, received upon the sale of such 15 bonds does not exceed the maximum rate otherwise authorized by 16 applicable law. Except for an ordinance required to be 17 published by applicable law in connection with a backdoor referendum, any bond ordinance adopted by a governing body 18 under applicable law shall, in all instances, become effective 19 20 immediately without publication or posting or any further act 21 or requirement.

22 (Source: P.A. 90-306, eff. 8-1-97.)

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