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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 3660 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 3660, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the 3 4 following: 5 "ARTICLE 1. EMERGENCY BUDGET ACT OF FISCAL YEAR 2011 6 Section 1-1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the 7 Emergency Budget Act of Fiscal Year 2011. References in this Article to "this Act" mean this Article. 8 9 Section 1-5. Legislative intent and purpose. The General 10 Assembly hereby finds and declares that the State is confronted 11 with an unprecedented fiscal crisis. It is the purpose of this 12 Act to authorize changes in State programs that are necessary to implement the State fiscal year 2011 budget. This Act is to 13 14 be liberally construed and interpreted in a manner that allows

the State to address the fiscal crisis for the State fiscal

1 year 2011.

Section 1-10. Designation of contingency reserve. The Governor may designate amounts to be set aside as a contingency reserve from the amounts appropriated from the General Revenue Fund, the Common School Fund, the Education Assistance Fund, and any special fund of the State for State fiscal year 2011 for all boards, commissions, agencies, institutions, authorities, colleges, universities, and bodies politic and corporate of the State, but not other constitutional officers or the legislative or judicial branch.

Section 1-15. Contingency reserve restrictions. The amounts placed in contingency reserve shall not be transferred, obligated, encumbered, expended, or otherwise committed during State fiscal year 2011 unless the State, by an Act of the 96th General Assembly, generates incremental revenues sufficient to support such transfers, obligations, encumbrances, expenditures, or other commitments.

Section 1-20. All State programs subject to appropriation. Notwithstanding any other Act to the contrary, any expenditure from State funds authorized or required by any State law are made subject to appropriation during State fiscal year 2011. No moneys shall be obligated or expended unless they are supported by available State fiscal year 2011 appropriations that are not

- otherwise obligated or reserved pursuant to Section 1-10 of
- 2 this Act. The provisions of this Section do not apply to
- 3 non-appropriated funds, non-appropriated accounts, locally
- 4 held funds, or appropriations with continuing authority.
- 5 Section 1-35. Act takes precedence. In case of any conflict
- 6 between the provisions of this Act and any other law, executive
- order, or administrative regulation, the provisions of this Act
- 8 prevail and control.
- 9 Section 1-90. Repealer. This Act is repealed on July 1,
- 10 2011.
- 11 ARTICLE 3. RAILSPLITTER TOBACCO SETTLEMENT AUTHORITY ACT
- 12 Section 3-1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the
- 13 Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement Authority Act. References in
- 14 the Article to "this Act" mean this Article.
- 15 Section 3-2. Definitions. In this Act words or terms shall
- 16 have the following meanings unless the context or usage clearly
- indicates that another meaning is intended.
- 18 (a) "Authority" means the Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement
- 19 Authority created and established pursuant to Section 3-4 of
- 20 this Act.
- 21 (b) "Authorized officer" means any of the members of the

- 1 Authority identified and described in Section 3-4 of this Act.
- 2 (c) "Bond" means any instrument evidencing the obligation
- 3 to pay money authorized or issued by or on behalf of the
- 4 Authority pursuant to the authorization granted by this Act,
- 5 including without limitation, bonds, notes, or certificates.
- (d) "Bondholder" means, in the case of a bond issued in 6
- registered form, the registered owner of the bond and 7
- 8 otherwise, the owner of the bond.
- 9 (e) "Budget Director" means the Director of the Governor's
- 10 Office of Management and Budget.
- (f) "Consent Decree" means the Consent Decree and Final 11
- Judgment of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois, dated 12
- 13 December 8, 1998, as the same has been and may be corrected,
- 14 amended or modified, in the action entitled People of the State
- 15 of Illinois v. Philip Morris Incorporated, et al. (No. 96 L
- 16 13146).
- "Master Settlement Agreement" means the 17
- Settlement Agreement, dated November 23, 1998, among the 18
- 19 attorneys general of 46 states, including the State of
- 20 Illinois, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto
- Rico, Guam, the United States Virgin Islands, American Samoa 21
- 22 and the Territory of the Northern Mariana Islands, on the one
- 23 hand, and certain tobacco manufacturers, on the other hand, and
- 24 the subject of the Consent Decree.
- 25 (h) "Master Settlement Escrow Agent" means the escrow agent
- 26 under the Master Settlement Agreement.

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- 1 (i) "Net proceeds of bonds" means the gross proceeds of the sale of bonds issued under Section 3-6 of this Act, less any 2 3 amounts applied or to be applied to pay transaction and 4 administrative expenses, including underwriting discount, and 5 to fund any reserves deemed necessary or appropriate by the Authority, but does not include any investment earnings 6 7 realized thereon.
 - (j) "Participating manufacturer" means a tobacco product manufacturer that is or becomes a signatory to the Master Settlement Agreement.
 - (k) "Pledged tobacco revenues" means the State's tobacco settlement revenues sold to the Authority pursuant to the sale agreement and pledged by the Authority for the payment of bonds and any related bond facility.
- 15 (1) "Qualifying statute" has the meaning given that term in 16 the Master Settlement Agreement, constituting the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Act. 17
- 18 "Related bond facility" means any interest rate 19 exchange or similar agreement or any bond insurance policy, 20 letter of credit or other credit enhancement facility, liquidity facility, quaranteed investment or reinvestment 21 agreement, or other similar agreement, arrangement 22 23 contract.
- 24 (n) "Residual interest in tobacco settlement revenues" 25 means any tobacco settlement revenues determined as moneys are 26 received, to be not required for the identified period in which

- 1 revenues are received, to pay principal or interest on bonds or
- administrative or transaction expenses of the Authority or to 2
- 3 fund reserves or other requirements relating to bonds issued or
- 4 related bond facilities made under this Act.
- 5 (o) "Sale agreement" means any agreement authorized
- pursuant to this Act in which the State provides for the sale 6
- 7 of all or a portion of the tobacco settlement revenues to the
- 8 Authority.
- (p) "State" means the State of Illinois. 9
- 10 (q) "State Finance Act" means the State Finance Act of the
- State, as amended (30 ILCS 105/1 et seq.). 11
- (r) "Tobacco settlement bond proceeds account" means the 12
- 13 Account by that name within the Tobacco Settlement Recovery
- Fund established under Section 6z-43(a) of the State Finance 14
- 15 Act.
- 16 "Tobacco Settlement Residual Account" means
- 17 Account by that name within the Tobacco Settlement Recovery
- Fund established under Section 6z-43(a) of the State Finance 18
- 19 Act.
- 20 (t) "Tobacco settlement revenues" means all tobacco
- 21 settlement payments received by the State on and after the
- 22 effective date of this Act and required to be made, pursuant to
- 23 the terms of the Master Settlement Agreement, by participating
- 24 manufacturers and the State's rights to receive the tobacco
- settlement payments on and after the effective date of this 25
- 26 Act, exclusive of any payments made with respect to liability

1 to make those payments for calendar years completed before the

2 effective date of this Act.

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Section 3-3. Transfer and sale of State's right to tobacco settlement revenues. During fiscal years 2010 and 2011, the State may sell, convey, or otherwise transfer to the Authority the tobacco settlement revenues in exchange for the net proceeds of bonds and a right to the residual interest in tobacco settlement revenues. Unless otherwise directed by statute, the net proceeds of bonds shall be deposited in the Tobacco Settlement Bond Proceeds Account, and the residual interest in tobacco settlement revenues received by the State from time to time shall be deposited in the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account, in each case to be applied for the purposes and in the manner described in this Act and in Section 6z-43 of the State Finance Act.

Any sale, conveyance, or other transfer authorized by this Section shall be evidenced by an instrument or agreement in writing signed on behalf of the State by the Governor. A certified copy of the instrument or agreement shall be filed with the Governor, Comptroller, Treasurer, Budget Director, Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, President and Minority Leader of the Senate, and the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability promptly upon execution and delivery thereof. The instrument or agreement may include an irrevocable direction to the Master Settlement

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Escrow Agent to pay all or a specified portion of the tobacco settlement revenues directly to or upon the order of the Authority, or to any escrow agent or any trustee under an indenture or other agreement securing any bonds issued or related bond facilities made under this Act. Upon execution and delivery of the sale agreement as provided in this Act, the sale, conveyance, or other transfer of the right to receive the Tobacco Settlement Revenues, shall, for all purposes, be a true sale and absolute conveyance of all right, title, and interest therein and not as a pledge or other security interest for any borrowing, valid, binding, and enforceable in accordance with the terms thereof and such instrument or agreements and any related instrument, agreement, or other arrangement, including any pledge, grant of security interest, or other encumbrance made by Authority to secure any Bonds issued by the Authority, shall not be subject to disavowal, disaffirmance, cancellation, or avoidance by reason of insolvency of any party, lack of consideration, or any other fact, occurrence, or rule of law. On and after the effective date of the sale of any portion (including all) of the tobacco settlement revenues, the State shall have no right, title or interest in or to the portion of the tobacco settlement revenues sold, and the portion of the tobacco settlement revenues so sold shall be the property of the Authority, and shall be received, held and disbursed by the Authority in a trust fund outside the State treasury. Any portions of the tobacco settlement revenues sold

individual.

- 1 and held in trust shall be invested in accordance with the
- 2 Public Funds Investment Act.
- 3 The State may not transfer any right to those amounts
- 4 received by the State which were deposited into the Disputed
- 5 Payments Account or withheld in accordance with Section
- 6 XI(f)(2) of the Master Settlement Agreement prior to the
- 7 closing of any Bonds issued pursuant to this Act.
- 8 The procedures and requirements set forth in this Section
- 9 shall be the sole procedures and requirements applicable to the
- 10 sale of the tobacco settlement revenues.
- Section 3-4. Establishment and Powers of Authority. The 11 12 Authority is hereby established as a special purpose 13 corporation which shall be body corporate and politic of, but 14 having a legal existence independent and separate from, the 15 State and, accordingly, the assets, liabilities, and funds of the Authority shall be neither consolidated nor commingled with 16 17 those of the State treasury. The Authority and its corporate 18 existence shall continue until 6 months after all 19 liabilities have been met or otherwise discharged. Upon the 2.0 termination of the existence of the Authority, all of its 21 rights and property shall pass to and be vested in the State. 22 The Authority shall be established for the express limited 23 public purposes set forth in this Act, and no part of the net 24 earnings of the Authority shall inure to any private

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The Authority shall be governed by a 3-member board consisting of the Budget Director and two other members appointed by the Governor. The powers of the Authority shall be subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations contained within this Act, and any applicable covenants or agreements of the Authority in any indenture or other agreement relating to any then outstanding bonds or related bond facilities. The Authority may enter into contracts regarding any matter connected with any corporate purpose within the objects and purposes of this Act. The members of the Authority and the Chief Financial Officer of the Authority shall receive no salary or other compensation, either direct or indirect, for serving as members of the Authority, other than reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of such person's duties. The Authority may elect one of its members as chairman, who shall sign instruments or agreements authorized by this Act on behalf of the Authority. The Authority may also appoint a Chief Financial Officer of the Authority who may or may not be a member of the Authority in order to provide financial analysis and advice regarding any transaction of the Authority. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Authority shall not be authorized to make any covenant, pledge, promise or agreement purporting to bind the State with respect to Tobacco Settlement Revenues, except as otherwise specifically authorized by this Act.

The Authority may not file a voluntary petition under or be

- 1 or become a debtor or bankrupt under the federal bankruptcy
- code or any other federal or State bankruptcy, insolvency, or 2
- moratorium law or statute as may, from time to time, be in 3
- 4 effect and neither any public officer nor any organization,
- 5 entity, or other person shall authorize the Authority to be or
- become a debtor or bankrupt under the federal bankruptcy code 6
- or any other federal or State bankruptcy, insolvency, or 7
- moratorium law or statute, as may, from time to time be in 8
- 9 effect.
- 10 The Authority may not quarantee the debts of another.
- Section 3-5. Certain powers of the Authority. The Authority 11
- 12 shall have the power to:
- 13 (1) sue and be sued;
- 14 (2) have a seal and alter the same at pleasure;
- 15 (3) make and alter by-laws for its organization and
- 16 internal management and make rules and regulations governing
- 17 the use of its property and facilities;
- 18 (4) appoint by and with the consent of the Attorney
- 19 General, assistant attorneys for such Authority; those
- 20 assistant attorneys shall be under the control, direction, and
- 21 supervision of the Attorney General and shall serve at his or
- 22 her pleasure;
- 23 (5) retain special counsel, subject to the approval of the
- 24 Attorney General, as needed from time to time, and fix their
- 25 compensation, provided however, such special counsel shall be

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- 1 subject to the control, direction and supervision of the 2 Attorney General and shall serve at his or her pleasure;
 - (6) make and execute contracts and all other instruments necessary or convenient for the exercise of its powers and functions under this Section and to commence any action to protect or enforce any right conferred upon it by any law, contract, or other agreement, provided that any underwriter, advisor, bond counsel, or other professional financial providing services to the Authority may be selected pursuant to solicitations issued and completed by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget for those services;
 - (7) appoint officers and agents, prescribe their duties and qualifications, fix their compensation and engage the services of private consultants and counsel on a contract basis for rendering professional and technical assistance and advice, provided that this shall not be construed to limit the authority of the Attorney General provided in Section 4 of the Attorney General Act;
 - (8) pay its operating expenses and its financing costs, including its reasonable costs of issuance and sale and those of the Attorney General, if any, in a total amount not greater than 1% of the principal amount of the proceeds of the bond sale;
 - (9) borrow money in its name and issue negotiable bonds and provide for the rights of the holders thereof as otherwise provided in this Act;

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- 1 (10) procure insurance against any loss in connection with its activities, properties, and assets in such amount and from 2 3 such insurers as it deems desirable;
 - (11) invest any funds or other moneys under its custody and control in investment securities or under any related bond facility;
 - (12) as security for the payment of the principal of and interest on any Bonds issued by it pursuant to this Act and any agreement made in connection therewith and for its obligations under any Related Bond Facility, pledge all or any part of the tobacco settlement revenues:
- (13) do any and all things necessary or convenient to carry 12 out its purposes and exercise the powers expressly given and 13 14 granted in this Section.
- 15 Section 3-6. Bonds of the Authority.
- 16 (a) The Authority shall have power and is hereby authorized 17 to issue bonds, in an amount no greater than \$1,750,000,000, to provide sufficient funds for the purchase of all or a portion 18 19 of the tobacco settlement revenues pursuant to Section 3-3 of 20 this Act and the payment or provision for financing costs.
 - The issuance of bonds shall be authorized by a resolution of the Authority, adopted by a majority of the members of the Authority without further authorization or approval. The issue of the bonds of the Authority shall be special revenue obligations payable from and secured by a pledge of the pledged

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tobacco revenues, those proceeds of such Bonds deposited in a reserve fund for the benefit of Bondholders, and earnings on funds of the Authority, upon such terms and conditions as specified by the Authority in the resolution under which the Bonds are issued or in a related trust indenture.

The Authority shall have the power and is hereby authorized from time to time to issue bonds, whenever it deems refunding expedient, to refund any outstanding bonds by the issuance of new bonds, provided that the refunding debt matures within the term of the bonds to be refunded. The refunding bonds may be exchanged for the bonds to be refunded or sold and the proceeds applied to the purchase, redemption, or payment of such bonds.

(b) The bonds of each issue shall be dated, shall bear interest (which may be includable in or excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes) at such fixed or variable rates, payable at or prior to maturity, and shall mature at such time or times, not more than 19 years after the date of issuance, as may be determined by the Authority and may be made redeemable before maturity, at the option of the Authority, at such price or prices and under such terms and conditions as may be fixed by the Authority. The principal and interest of such bonds may be made payable in any lawful medium. The resolution or the certificate of the officer of the Authority approving the issuance of the bonds shall determine the form of the bonds and the manner of execution of the bonds and shall fix the denomination or denominations of

the bonds and the place or places of payment of principal and interest thereof, which may be at any bank or trust company within or outside the State. If any officer whose signature or a facsimile thereof appears on any bonds shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such bonds, such signature or facsimile shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes the same as if he had remained in office until such delivery.

- (c) The Authority may sell such bonds pursuant to notice of sale and public bid or by negotiated sale in accordance with the corresponding procedures applicable to like sales of general obligation bonds under Section 11 of the General Obligation Bond Act. The proceeds of such bonds shall be disbursed for the purposes for which such bonds were issued under such restrictions as the sale agreement and the resolution authorizing the issuance of such bonds or the related trust indenture may provide. Such bonds shall be issued upon approval of the Authority and without any other approvals, filings, proceedings or the happening of any other conditions or things other than the approvals, findings, proceedings, conditions, and things that are specified and required by this Act.
- (d) Any pledge made by the Authority shall be valid and binding at the time the pledge is made. The assets, property, revenues, reserves, or earnings so pledged shall immediately be subject to the lien of such pledge without any physical

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delivery thereof or further act and the lien of any such pledge shall be valid and binding as against all parties having claims of any kind in tort, contract, or otherwise against the Authority, irrespective of whether such parties have notice thereof. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, neither the resolution nor any indenture or other instrument by which a pledge is created or by which the Authority's interest in pledged assets, property, revenues, reserves, or earnings thereon is assigned need be filed, perfected or recorded in any public records in order to protect the pledge thereof or perfect the lien thereof as against third parties, except that a copy thereof shall be filed in the records of the Authority.

- (e) Whether or not the bonds of the Authority are of such form and character as to be negotiable instruments under the terms of the Uniform Commercial Code, the bonds are hereby made negotiable instruments for all purposes, subject only to the provisions of the bonds for registration.
- (f) At the sole discretion of the Authority, any bonds issued by the Authority and any related bond facility made under the provisions of this Act shall be secured by a resolution or trust indenture by and between the Authority and the indenture trustee, which may be any trust company or bank having the powers of a trust company, whether located within or outside the State. Such trust indenture or resolution providing for the issuance of such bonds shall, without limitation, (i)

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provide for the creation and maintenance of such reserves as the Authority shall determine to be proper; (ii) include covenants setting forth the duties of the Authority in relation to the bonds, the income of the Authority, the related sale agreement and the related tobacco settlement revenues; (iii) contain provisions relating to the prompt transfer of the residual interest upon receipt of the tobacco settlement revenues; (iv) contain provisions respecting the custody, safeguarding, and application of all moneys and securities; (v) contain such provisions for protecting and enforcing against the Authority or the State the rights and remedies (pursuant thereto and to the sale agreement) of the owners of the bonds and any provider of a related bond facility as may be reasonable and proper and not in violation of law; and (vi) contain such other provisions as the Authority may deem reasonable and proper for priorities and subordination among the owners of the bonds and providers of related bond facilities. Any reference in this Act to a resolution of the Authority shall include any trust indenture authorized thereby.

(g) The net proceeds of bonds and any earnings thereon shall never be pledged to, nor made available for, payment of the bonds or any interest or redemption price thereon or any other debt or obligation of the Authority. The net proceeds of bonds shall be deposited by the State in the Tobacco Settlement Bond Proceeds Account, and shall be used by the State (either

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directly or by reimbursement) for the payment of outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund or to supplement the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account to pay for appropriated obligations of the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund for State fiscal year 2011 through 2013. Any residual interest in tobacco settlement revenues shall be deposited in the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account, and shall be used by the State (either directly or by reimbursement) in accordance with Section 6z-43 of the State Finance Act for appropriated obligations of the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund. With respect to any bonds of the Authority, the interest on which is intended to be excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes, the Authority and the authorized officers may provide restrictions on the use of net proceeds of bonds and other amounts in the sale agreement or otherwise in a tax regulatory agreement only as necessary to assure such tax-exempt status.

(h) The Authority may enter into, amend, or terminate, as it determines to be necessary or appropriate, any related bond facility (i) to facilitate the issuance, sale, resale, purchase, repurchase, or payment of bonds, interest rate savings or market diversification, or the making or performance contracts, including without limitation insurance, letters of credit and liquidity facilities, or (ii) to attempt to manage or hedge risk or achieve a desirable effective interest rate or cash flow. Such facility shall be

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made upon the terms and conditions established by the 1 2 Authority, including without limitation provisions as to security, default, termination, payment, remedy, jurisdiction 3 4 and consent to service of process.

(i) The Authority may enter into, amend, or terminate, as it deems to be necessary or appropriate, any related bond facility to place the obligations or investments of the Authority, as represented by the bonds or the investment of reserves securing the bonds or related bond facilities or other tobacco settlement revenues or its other assets, in whole or in part, on the interest rate, cash flow, or other basis approved by the Authority, which facility may include without limitation contracts commonly known as interest rate swap agreements, forward purchase contracts, or quaranteed investment contracts and futures or contracts providing for payments based on levels of, or changes in, interest rates. These contracts or arrangements may be entered into by the Authority in connection with, or incidental to, entering into, or maintaining any (i) agreement which secures bonds of the Authority or (ii) investment or contract providing for investment of reserves or similar facility quaranteeing an investment rate for a period of years not to exceed the underlying term of the bonds. The determination by the Authority that a related bond facility or amendment or termination thereof is necessary appropriate as aforesaid shall be conclusive. Any related bond facility may contain such provisions as to security, default,

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- 1 termination, payment, remedy, jurisdiction, and consent to service of process and other terms and conditions as determined 2 by the Authority, after giving due consideration to the 3 4 creditworthiness of the counterparty or other obligated party, 5 including any rating by any nationally recognized rating agency, and any other criteria as may be appropriate. 6
 - (j) Bonds or any related bond facility may contain a recital that they are issued or executed, respectively, pursuant to this Act, which recital shall be conclusive evidence of their validity, respectively, and the regularity of the proceedings relating thereto.

Section 3-7. State not liable on bonds or related bond facilities. No bond or related bond facility shall constitute an indebtedness or an obligation of the State of Illinois or any subdivision thereof, within the purview of constitutional or statutory limitation or provision or a charge against the general credit or taxing powers, if any, of any of them but shall be payable solely from pledged tobacco revenues. No owner of any bond or provider of any related bond facility shall have the right to compel the exercise of the taxing power of the State to pay any principal installment of, redemption premium, if any, or interest on the bonds or to make any payment due under any related bond facility.

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(a) The State pledges and agrees with the Authority, and the owners of the bonds of the Authority in which the Authority has included such pledge and agreement, that the State shall (i) irrevocably direct the escrow agent under the Master Settlement Agreement to transfer all pledged tobacco revenues directly to the Authority or its assignee, (ii) enforce its right to collect all moneys due from the participating manufacturers under the Master Settlement Agreement and, in addition, shall diligently enforce the qualifying statute as contemplated in Section IX(d)(2)(B) of the Master Settlement Agreement against all nonparticipating manufacturers selling tobacco products in the State and that are not in compliance with the qualifying statute, in each case in the manner and to the extent deemed necessary in the judgment of and consistent with the discretion of the Attorney General of the State, provided, however, that the sale agreement shall provide (a) remedies available to the Authority and bondholders for any breach of the pledges and agreements of the State set forth in this clause shall be limited to injunctive relief, and (b) that the State shall be deemed to have diligently enforced the qualifying statute so long as there has been no judicial determination by a court of competent jurisdiction in this State, in an action commenced by a participating tobacco manufacturer under the Master Settlement Agreement, that the State has failed to diligently enforce the qualifying statute for the purposes of Section IX(d)(2)(B) of

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the Master Settlement Agreement, (iii) in any materially adverse way, neither amend the Master Settlement Agreement nor the Consent Decree or take any other action that would (a) impair the Authority's right to receive pledged tobacco revenues, or (b) limit or alter the rights hereby vested in the Authority to fulfill the terms of its agreements with the bondholders, or (c) impair the rights and remedies of such bondholders or the security for such bonds until such bonds, together with the interest thereon and all costs and expenses in connection with any action or proceedings by or on behalf of such bondholders, are fully paid and discharged (provided, that nothing herein shall be construed to preclude the State's regulation of smoking, smoking cessation activities and laws, and taxation and regulation of the sale of cigarettes or the like or to restrict the right of the State to amend, modify, repeal, or otherwise alter statutes imposing or relating to the taxes), and (iv) not amend, supersede or repeal the Master Settlement Agreement or the qualifying statute in any way that would materially adversely affect the amount of any payment to, or the rights to such payments of, the Authority or such bondholders. This pledge and agreement may be included in the sale agreement and the Authority may include this pledge and any contract with the bondholders of agreement in the Authority.

(b) The provisions of this Act, the bonds issued pursuant

to this Act, and the pledges and agreements by the State and

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1 the Authority to the bondholders shall be not be interpreted or construed to limit or impair the authority or discretion of the 2 Attorney General to administer and enforce provisions of the 3 4 Master Settlement Agreement or to direct, control, and settle 5 any litigation or arbitration proceeding arising from or relating to the Master Settlement Agreement. 6

Section 3-9. Enforcement of contract. The provisions of this Act and of any resolution or proceeding authorizing the issuance of bonds or a related bond facility shall constitute a contract with the holders of the bonds or the related bond facility, and the provisions thereof shall be enforceable either by mandamus or other proceeding in any Illinois court of competent jurisdiction to enforce and compel the performance of all duties required by this Act and by any resolution authorizing the issuance of bonds a related bond facility adopted in response hereto.

Section 3-10. Bonds as legal investments. The State and all counties, cities, villages, incorporated towns and other municipal corporations, political subdivisions and public bodies, and public officers of any thereof, all banks, bankers, trust companies, savings banks and institutions, building and loan associations, savings and loan associations, investment companies, and other persons carrying on a banking business, all insurance companies, insurance associations, and other

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persons carrying on an insurance business, and all executors, administrators, quardians, trustees, and other fiduciaries may legally invest any sinking funds, moneys, or other funds belonging to them or within their control in any bonds issued pursuant to this Act, it being the purpose of this Section to authorize the investment in such bonds of all sinking, insurance, retirement, compensation, pension, and trust funds, whether owned or controlled by private or public persons or officers; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Section may be construed as relieving any person, firm, or corporation from any duty of exercising reasonable care in selecting securities for purchase or investment.

Section 3-12. Exemption from taxation. It is determined that the creation of the Authority and the carrying out of its corporate purposes are in all respects for the benefit of the people of the State and are public purposes. Accordingly, the property of the Authority, its income and its operations shall be exempt from taxation. The Authority shall not be required to pay any fees, taxes or assessments of any kind, whether state or local, including, but not limited to, fees, taxes, ad valorem taxes on real property, sales taxes or other taxes, upon or with respect to any property owned by it or under its jurisdiction, control or supervision, or upon the uses thereof, or upon or with respect to its activities or operations in furtherance of the powers conferred upon it by 1 this Act.

2 Section 3-13. Illinois State Auditing Act. The Auditor 3 General shall conduct financial audits and program audits of

the Authority, in accordance with the Illinois State Auditing

5 Act.

Section 3-15. Supplemental nature of Act; construction and purpose. The powers conferred by this Act shall be in addition to and supplemental to the powers conferred by any other law, general or special, and may be exercised notwithstanding the provisions of any other such law. Insofar as the provisions of this Act are inconsistent with the provisions of any other law, general or special, the provisions of this Act shall be controlling.

Section 3-16. Severability. If any provision of this Act is held invalid, such provision shall be deemed to be excised and the invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Act. If the application of any provision of this Act to any person or circumstance is held invalid, it shall not affect the application of such provision to such persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid.

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Section 5-5. The Illinois Administrative Procedure Act is amended by changing Section 5-45 as follows:

3 (5 ILCS 100/5-45) (from Ch. 127, par. 1005-45)

Sec. 5-45. Emergency rulemaking.

- (a) "Emergency" means the existence of any situation that any agency finds reasonably constitutes a threat to the public interest, safety, or welfare.
- (b) If any agency finds that an emergency exists that requires adoption of a rule upon fewer days than is required by Section 5-40 and states in writing its reasons for that finding, the agency may adopt an emergency rule without prior notice or hearing upon filing a notice of emergency rulemaking with the Secretary of State under Section 5-70. The notice shall include the text of the emergency rule and shall be published in the Illinois Register. Consent orders or other court orders adopting settlements negotiated by an agency may be adopted under this Section. Subject to applicable constitutional or statutory provisions, an emergency rule becomes effective immediately upon filing under Section 5-65 or at a stated date less than 10 days thereafter. The agency's finding and a statement of the specific reasons for the finding shall be filed with the rule. The agency shall take reasonable and appropriate measures to make emergency rules known to the persons who may be affected by them.

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(c) An emergency rule may be effective for a period of not longer than 150 days, but the agency's authority to adopt an identical rule under Section 5-40 is not precluded. emergency rule may be adopted more than once in any 24 month period, except that this limitation on the number of emergency rules that may be adopted in a 24 month period does not apply to (i) emergency rules that make additions to and deletions from the Drug Manual under Section 5-5.16 of the Illinois Public Aid Code or the generic drug formulary under Section 3.14 of the Illinois Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, (ii) emergency rules adopted by the Pollution Control Board before July 1, 1997 to implement portions of the Livestock Management Facilities Act, (iii) emergency rules adopted by the Illinois Department of Public Health under subsections (a) through (i) of Section 2 of the Department of Public Health Act when necessary to protect the public's health, or (iv) emergency rules adopted pursuant to subsection (n) of this Section, or (v) emergency rules adopted pursuant to subsection (o) of this Section. Two or more emergency rules having substantially the same purpose and effect shall be deemed to be a single rule for purposes of this Section.

(d) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 1999 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of Public Act 90-587 or 90-588 or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 1999 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency

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- 1 charged with administering that provision or initiative, 2 except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 3 4 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (d). The 5 adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (d) 6 shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, 7 safety, and welfare.
 - (e) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 2000 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 2000 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (e). The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (e) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.
 - (f) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 2001 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 2001 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on the

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- 1 adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 2 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (f). The adoption of emergency rules authorized by 3
- 4 this subsection (f) shall be deemed to be necessary for the
- 5 public interest, safety, and welfare.
 - (q) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 2002 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 2002 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (g). The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (q) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.
 - (h) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 2003 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 2003 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this

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- 1 subsection (h). The adoption of emergency rules authorized by 2 this subsection (h) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare. 3
 - (i) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the State's fiscal year 2004 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 93rd General Assembly or any other budget initiative for fiscal year 2004 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (i). The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (i) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.
 - (j) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 2005 budget as provided under the Fiscal Year 2005 Budget Implementation (Human Services) Act, emergency rules implement any provision of the Fiscal Year 2005 Budget Implementation (Human Services) Act may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision, except that the 24-month limitation on the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this subsection (j). The Department of Public Aid

- may also adopt rules under this subsection (j) necessary to administer the Illinois Public Aid Code and the Children's Health Insurance Program Act. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (j) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.
- (k) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely 6 implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 7 8 2006 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this 9 amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly or any other budget 10 initiative for fiscal year 2006 may be adopted in accordance 11 with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative, except that the 24-month limitation on 12 13 the adoption of emergency rules and the provisions of Sections 14 5-115 and 5-125 do not apply to rules adopted under this 15 subsection (k). The Department of Healthcare and Family 16 Services may also adopt rules under this subsection (k) necessary to administer the Illinois Public Aid Code, 17 18 Senior Citizens and Disabled Persons Property Tax Relief and 19 Pharmaceutical Assistance Act, the Senior Citizens and 20 Disabled Persons Prescription Drug Discount Program Act (now 21 the Illinois Prescription Drug Discount Program Act), and the 22 Children's Health Insurance Program Act. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (k) shall be 23 24 deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and 25 welfare.
 - (1) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely

implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 2007 budget, the Department of Healthcare and Family Services may adopt emergency rules during fiscal year 2007, including rules effective July 1, 2007, in accordance with this subsection to the extent necessary to administer the Department's responsibilities with respect to amendments to the State plans and Illinois waivers approved by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services necessitated by the requirements of Title XIX and Title XXI of the federal Social Security Act. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (1) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.

- (m) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 2008 budget, the Department of Healthcare and Family Services may adopt emergency rules during fiscal year 2008, including rules effective July 1, 2008, in accordance with this subsection to the extent necessary to administer the Department's responsibilities with respect to amendments to the State plans and Illinois waivers approved by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services necessitated by the requirements of Title XIX and Title XXI of the federal Social Security Act. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (m) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare.
- (n) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely

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implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 2010 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly or any other budget initiative authorized by the 96th General Assembly for fiscal year 2010 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the with administering that agency charged provision initiative. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (n) shall be deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare. The rulemaking authority granted in this subsection (n) shall apply only to rules promulgated during Fiscal Year 2010.

(o) In order to provide for the expeditious and timely implementation of the provisions of the State's fiscal year 2011 budget, emergency rules to implement any provision of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly or any other budget initiative authorized by the 96th General Assembly for fiscal year 2011 may be adopted in accordance with this Section by the agency charged with administering that provision or initiative. The adoption of emergency rules authorized by this subsection (o) is deemed to be necessary for the public interest, safety, and welfare. The rulemaking authority granted in this subsection (o) applies only to rules promulgated on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly through June 30, 2011.

(Source: P.A. 95-12, eff. 7-2-07; 95-331, eff. 8-21-07; 96-45,

26 eff. 7-15-09.

Section 5-10. The General Assembly Compensation Act is 1 2 amended by adding Section 1.6 as follows:

3 (25 ILCS 115/1.6 new)

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Sec. 1.6. FY11 furlough days. During the first 6 months of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, every member of the 96th General Assembly is mandatorily required to forfeit 6 days of compensation. The State Comptroller shall deduct the equivalent of 1/365th of the annual salary of each member of the 96th General Assembly from the compensation of that member in each of the first 6 months of the fiscal year. During the second 6 months of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, every member of the 97th General Assembly is mandatorily required to forfeit 6 days of compensation. The State Comptroller shall deduct the equivalent of 1/365th of the annual salary of each member of the 97th General Assembly from the compensation of that member in each of the second 6 months of the fiscal year. For purposes of this Section, annual compensation includes compensation paid to each member by the State for one year of service pursuant to Section 1, except any payments made for mileage and allowances for travel and meals. The forfeiture required by this Section is not considered a change in salary and shall not impact pension or other benefits provided to members of the General Assembly.

1 Section 5-15. The State Finance Act is amended by changing Sections 6z-43 and 25 and by adding Sections 5h and 14.2 as 2 follows: 3

(30 ILCS 105/5h new)

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5 Sec. 5h. Cash flow borrowing and general funds liquidity.

(a) In order to meet cash flow deficits and to maintain liquidity in the General Revenue Fund and the Common School Fund, this Section shall constitute the irrevocable and continuing authority for and direction to the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller to make transfers to the General Revenue Fund or the Common School Fund, as directed by the Governor, out of special funds of the State, to the extent allowed by federal law. No transfer may be made from a fund under this Section that would have the effect of reducing the available balance in the fund to an amount less than the amount remaining unexpended and unreserved from the total appropriation from that fund estimated to be expended for that fiscal year. No such transfer may reduce the cumulative balance of all of the special funds of the State to an amount less than the total debt service payable during the 12 months immediately following the date of the transfer on any bonded indebtedness of the State and any certificates issued under the Short Term Borrowing Act. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, no such transfer may be made from any special fund that is exclusively collected by or appropriated to any other

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1 constitutional officer without the written approval of that 2 constitutional officer.

(b) If moneys have been transferred to the General Revenue Fund or the Common School Fund pursuant to subsection (a) of this Section, this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall constitute the irrevocable and continuing authority for and direction to the State Treasurer and State Comptroller to reimburse the funds of origin from the General Revenue Fund or the Common School Fund, as appropriate, by transferring to the funds of origin, at such times and in such amounts as directed by the Governor when necessary to support appropriated expenditures from the funds, an amount equal to that transferred from them plus any interest that would have accrued thereon had the transfer not occurred, except that any moneys transferred pursuant to subsection (a) of this Section shall be repaid to the fund of origin within 18 months after the date on which they were borrowed.

(c) On the first day of each quarterly period in each fiscal year, the Governor's Office of Management and Budget shall provide to the President and the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker and the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability a report on all transfers made pursuant to this Section in the prior quarterly period. The report must be provided in both written and electronic format. The report must include all of the following:

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	(1)	The	date	each	transfer	was	made.
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- (2) The amount of each transfer.
- 3 (3) In the case of a transfer from the General Revenue 4 Fund or the Common School Fund to a fund of origin pursuant 5 to subsection (b) of this Section, the amount of interest being paid to the fund of origin. 6
 - (4) The end of day balance of both the fund of origin and the General Revenue Fund or the Common School Fund, whichever the case may be, on the date the transfer was made.
- (30 ILCS 105/6z-43)11
- 12 Sec. 6z-43. Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund.
- 13 (a) There is created in the State Treasury a special fund 14 to be known as the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund, which 15 shall contain 3 accounts: (i) the General Account, (ii) the Tobacco Settlement Bond Proceeds Account and (iii) the Tobacco 16 Settlement Residual Account. There shall be deposited into the 17 18 several accounts of the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund into 19 which shall be deposited all monies paid to the State pursuant 20 to (1) the Master Settlement Agreement entered in the case of 21 People of the State of Illinois v. Philip Morris, et al. (Circuit Court of Cook County, No. 96-L13146) and (2) any 22 23 settlement with or judgment against any tobacco product manufacturer other than one participating in the Master 24 25 Settlement Agreement in satisfaction of any released claim as

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defined in the Master Settlement Agreement, as well as any other monies as provided by law. Moneys All earnings on Fund investments shall be deposited into the Tobacco Settlement Bond Proceeds Account and the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account as provided by the terms of the Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement Authority Act, provided that an annual amount not less than \$2,500,000, subject to appropriation, shall be deposited into the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account for use by the Attorney General for enforcement of the Master Settlement Agreement. All other moneys available to be deposited into the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund shall be deposited into the General Account. An investment made from moneys credited to a specific account constitutes part of that account and such account shall be credited with all income from the investment of such moneys. Fund. Upon the creation of the Fund, the State Comptroller shall order the State Treasurer to transfer into the Fund any monies paid to the State as described in item (1) or (2) of this Section before the creation of the Fund plus any interest earned on the investment of those monies. The Treasurer may invest the moneys in the several accounts the Fund in the same manner, in the same types of investments, and subject to the same limitations provided in the Illinois Pension Code for the investment of pension funds other than those established under Article 3 or 4 of the Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent necessary to preserve the tax-exempt status of any Bonds issued pursuant to the Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement

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1 Authority Act, the interest on which is intended to be excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal 2 income tax purposes, moneys on deposit in the Tobacco 3 4 Settlement Bond Proceeds Account and the Tobacco Settlement 5 Residual Account may be invested in obligations the interest upon which is tax-exempt under the provisions of Section 103 of 6 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now or hereafter amended, 7

or any successor code or provision.

- (b) Moneys on deposit in the Tobacco Settlement Bond Proceeds Account and the Tobacco Settlement Residual Account may be expended, subject to appropriation, for the purposes authorized in Section 6(g) of the Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement Authority Act.
- (c) (b) As soon as may be practical after June 30, 2001, upon notification from and at the direction of the Governor, the State Comptroller shall direct and the State Treasurer shall transfer the unencumbered balance in the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund as of June 30, 2001, as determined by the Governor, into the Budget Stabilization Fund. The Treasurer may invest the moneys in the Budget Stabilization Fund in the same manner, in the same types of investments, and subject to the same limitations provided in the Illinois Pension Code for the investment of pension funds other than those established under Article 3 or 4 of the Code.
- In addition to any other deposits authorized after any delivery of any bonds as authorized by Section 7.5 of

- the General Obligation Bond Act for deposits to the General Revenue Fund and the Budget Stabilization Fund (referred to as "tobacco securitization general obligation bonds"), the Governor shall certify, on or before June 30, 2003 and June 30 of each year thereafter, to the State Comptroller and State Treasurer the total amount of principal of, interest on, and premium, if any, due on those bonds in the next fiscal year beginning with amounts due in fiscal year 2004. As soon as practical after the annual payment of tobacco settlement moneys to the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund as described in item (1) of subsection (a), the State Treasurer and State Comptroller shall transfer from the Tobacco Settlement Recovery Fund to the General Obligation Bond Retirement and Interest Fund the amount certified by the Governor, plus any cumulative deficiency in those transfers for prior years.
 - (d) All federal financial participation moneys received pursuant to expenditures from the Fund shall be deposited into the <u>General Account</u> Fund.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 95-331, eff. 8-21-07.)
- 20 (30 ILCS 105/14.2 new)
- 21 <u>Sec. 14.2. Fiscal year 2011 State officer compensation</u> 22 forfeiture.
- 23 (a) During the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2010, each
 24 State officer listed in subsection (b) is required to forfeit
 25 one day of compensation each month. The State Comptroller shall

1	deduct the equivalent of 1/261st of the annual compensation of							
2	each of those State officers that is paid from the General							
3	Revenue Fund from the compensation of that State officer in							
4	each month of the fiscal year. For purposes of this Section,							
5	annual compensation includes compensation paid to each of those							
6	State officers by the State for one year of service, except any							
7	payments made for mileage and allowances for travel and meals.							
8	The forfeiture required by this Section is not considered a							
9	change in salary and shall not impact pension or other benefits							
10	provided to those State officers.							
11	(b) "State officers" for the purposes of subsection (a) are							
12	the following:							
13	Governor							
14	Lieutenant Governor							
15	Secretary of State							
16	Attorney General							
17	<u>Comptroller</u>							
18	State Treasurer							
19	Department on Aging: Director							
20	Department of Agriculture: Director and Assistant							
21	<u>Director</u>							
22	Department of Central Management Services: Director							
23	and Assistant Directors							
24	Department of Children and Family Services: Director							
25	Department of Corrections: Director and Assistant							
26	Director							

1	Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:
2	Director and Assistant Director
3	Environmental Protection Agency: Director
4	Department of Financial and Professional Regulation:
5	Secretary and Directors
6	Department of Human Services: Secretary and Assistant
7	<u>Secretaries</u>
8	Department of Juvenile Justice: Director
9	Department of Labor: Director, Assistant Director,
10	Chief Factory Inspector, and Superintendent of Safety
11	Inspection and Education
12	Department of State Police: Director and Assistant
13	Director
14	Department of Military Affairs: Adjutant General and
15	Chief Assistants to the Adjutant General
16	Department of Natural Resources: Director, Assistant
17	Director, Mine Officers, and Miners' Examining Officers
18	Illinois Labor Relations Board: Chairman, State Labor
19	Relations Board members, and Local Labor Relations Board
20	<u>members</u>
21	Department of Healthcare and Family Services: Director
22	and Assistant Director
23	Department of Public Health: Director and Assistant
24	Director
25	Department of Revenue: Director and Assistant Director
26	Property Tax Appeal Board: Chairman and members

1	Department of Veterans' Affairs: Director and
2	Assistant Director
3	Civil Service Commission: Chairman and members
4	Commerce Commission: Chairman and members
5	State Board of Elections: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and
6	<u>members</u>
7	Illinois Emergency Management Agency: Director and
8	Assistant Director
9	Department of Human Rights: Director
10	Human Rights Commission: Chairman and members
11	Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission: Chairman
12	and members
13	Liquor Control Commission: Chairman, members, and
14	Secretary
15	Executive Ethics Commission: members
16	Illinois Power Agency: Director
17	Pollution Control Board: Chairman and members
18	Prisoner Review Board: Chairman and members
19	Secretary of State Merit Commission: Chairman and
20	<u>members</u>
21	Educational Labor Relations Board: Chairman and
22	<u>members</u>
23	Department of Transportation: Secretary and Assistant
24	<u>Secretary</u>
25	Office of Small Business Utility Advocate: small
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- 13 (30 ILCS 105/25) (from Ch. 127, par. 161)
- 14 Sec. 25. Fiscal year limitations.

- (a) All appropriations shall be available for expenditure for the fiscal year or for a lesser period if the Act making that appropriation so specifies. A deficiency or emergency appropriation shall be available for expenditure only through June 30 of the year when the Act making that appropriation is enacted unless that Act otherwise provides.
- (b) Outstanding liabilities as of June 30, payable from appropriations which have otherwise expired, may be paid out of the expiring appropriations during the 2-month period ending at the close of business on August 31. Any service involving professional or artistic skills or any personal services by an

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1 compensation is subject to employee whose income tax 2 withholding must be performed as of June 30 of the fiscal year 3 in order to be considered an "outstanding liability as of June 4 30" that is thereby eligible for payment out of the expiring 5 appropriation.

However, payment of tuition reimbursement claims under Section 14-7.03 or 18-3 of the School Code may be made by the State Board of Education from its appropriations for those respective purposes for any fiscal year, even though the claims reimbursed by the payment may be claims attributable to a prior fiscal year, and payments may be made at the direction of the State Superintendent of Education from the fund from which the appropriation is made without regard to any fiscal year limitations.

All outstanding liabilities as of June 30, 2010, payable from appropriations that would otherwise expire at the conclusion of the lapse period for fiscal year 2010, and interest penalties payable on those liabilities under the State Prompt Payment Act, may be paid out of the expiring appropriations until December 31, 2010, without regard to the fiscal year in which the payment is made, as long as vouchers for the liabilities are received by the Comptroller no later than August 31, 2010.

Medical payments may be made by the Department of Veterans' Affairs from its appropriations for those purposes for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that the medical

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1 services being compensated for by such payment may have been 2 rendered in a prior fiscal year.

Medical payments may be made by the Department Healthcare and Family Services and medical payments and child care payments may be made by the Department of Human Services Department of Public Aid) successor to the appropriations for those purposes for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that the medical or child care services being compensated for by such payment may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year; and payments may be made at the direction of the Department of Central Management Services from the Health Insurance Reserve Fund and the Local Government Health Insurance Reserve Fund without regard to any fiscal year limitations.

Medical payments may be made by the Department of Human Services from its appropriations relating to substance abuse treatment services for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that the medical services being compensated for by such payment may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year, provided the payments are made on a fee-for-service basis consistent with requirements established for Medicaid reimbursement by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Additionally, payments may be made by the Department of Human Services from its appropriations, or any other State agency from its appropriations with the approval of the Department of Human Services, from the Immigration Reform and

- 1 Control Fund for purposes authorized pursuant to the
- 2 Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, without regard to
- 3 any fiscal year limitations.
- 4 Further, with respect to costs incurred in fiscal years
- 5 2002 and 2003 only, payments may be made by the State Treasurer
- from its appropriations from the Capital Litigation Trust Fund
- 7 without regard to any fiscal year limitations.
- 8 Lease payments may be made by the Department of Central
- 9 Management Services under the sale and leaseback provisions of
- 10 Section 7.4 of the State Property Control Act with respect to
- 11 the James R. Thompson Center and the Elgin Mental Health Center
- 12 and surrounding land from appropriations for that purpose
- without regard to any fiscal year limitations.
- Lease payments may be made under the sale and leaseback
- 15 provisions of Section 7.5 of the State Property Control Act
- 16 with respect to the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority
- 17 headquarters building and surrounding land without regard to
- any fiscal year limitations.
- 19 (c) Further, payments may be made by the Department of
- 20 Public Health and the Department of Human Services (acting as
- 21 successor to the Department of Public Health under the
- 22 Department of Human Services Act) from their respective
- 23 appropriations for grants for medical care to or on behalf of
- 24 persons suffering from chronic renal disease, persons
- 25 suffering from hemophilia, rape victims, and premature and
- 26 high-mortality risk infants and their mothers and for grants

- 1 for supplemental food supplies provided under the United States
- 2 Department of Agriculture Women, Infants and Children
- 3 Nutrition Program, for any fiscal year without regard to the
- 4 fact that the services being compensated for by such payment
- 5 may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year.
- 6 (d) The Department of Public Health and the Department of
- 7 Human Services (acting as successor to the Department of Public
- 8 Health under the Department of Human Services Act) shall each
- 9 annually submit to the State Comptroller, Senate President,
- 10 Senate Minority Leader, Speaker of the House, House Minority
- 11 Leader, and the respective Chairmen and Minority Spokesmen of
- 12 the Appropriations Committees of the Senate and the House, on
- or before December 31, a report of fiscal year funds used to
- pay for services provided in any prior fiscal year. This report
- 15 shall document by program or service category those
- 16 expenditures from the most recently completed fiscal year used
- to pay for services provided in prior fiscal years.
- 18 (e) The Department of Healthcare and Family Services, the
- 19 Department of Human Services (acting as successor to the
- Department of Public Aid), and the Department of Human Services
- 21 making fee-for-service payments relating to substance abuse
- treatment services provided during a previous fiscal year shall
- 23 each annually submit to the State Comptroller, Senate
- 24 President, Senate Minority Leader, Speaker of the House, House
- 25 Minority Leader, the respective Chairmen and Minority
- 26 Spokesmen of the Appropriations Committees of the Senate and

- 1 the House, on or before November 30, a report that shall
- document by program or service category those expenditures from 2
- 3 the most recently completed fiscal year used to pay for (i)
- 4 services provided in prior fiscal years and (ii) services for
- 5 which claims were received in prior fiscal years.
- 6 (f) The Department of Human Services (as successor to the
- Department of Public Aid) shall annually submit to the State 7
- Comptroller, Senate President, Senate Minority Leader, Speaker 8
- of the House, House Minority Leader, and the respective 9
- 10 and Minority Spokesmen of the Chairmen Appropriations
- 11 Committees of the Senate and the House, on or before December
- 31, a report of fiscal year funds used to pay for services 12
- (other than medical care) provided in any prior fiscal year. 13
- 14 This report shall document by program or service category those
- 15 expenditures from the most recently completed fiscal year used
- 16 to pay for services provided in prior fiscal years.
- 17 In addition, each annual report required to be
- 18 submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services
- 19 under subsection (e) shall include the following information
- 20 with respect to the State's Medicaid program:
- 21 (1) Explanations of the exact causes of the variance
- 22 between the previous year's estimated and actual
- 23 liabilities.
- 24 (2) Factors affecting the Department of Healthcare and
- 25 Family Services' liabilities, including but not limited to
- numbers of aid recipients, levels of medical service 26

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- 1 utilization by aid recipients, and inflation in the cost of medical services. 2
 - (3) The results of the Department's efforts to combat fraud and abuse.
 - (h) As provided in Section 4 of the General Assembly Compensation Act, any utility bill for service provided to a General Assembly member's district office for a period including portions of 2 consecutive fiscal years may be paid from funds appropriated for such expenditure in either fiscal year.
 - (i) An agency which administers a fund classified by the Comptroller as an internal service fund may issue rules for:
 - (1) billing user agencies in advance for payments or authorized inter-fund transfers based on estimated charges for goods or services;
 - (2) issuing credits, refunding through inter-fund transfers, or reducing future inter-fund transfers during the subsequent fiscal year for all user agency payments or authorized inter-fund transfers received during the prior fiscal year which were in excess of the final amounts owed by the user agency for that period; and
 - (3) issuing catch-up billings to user agencies during the subsequent fiscal year for amounts remaining due when payments or authorized inter-fund transfers received from the user agency during the prior fiscal year were less than the total amount owed for that period.

- 1 User agencies are authorized to reimburse internal service
- 2 funds for catch-up billings by vouchers drawn against their
- 3 respective appropriations for the fiscal year in which the
- 4 catch-up billing was issued or by increasing an authorized
- 5 inter-fund transfer during the current fiscal year. For the
- 6 purposes of this Act, "inter-fund transfers" means transfers
- without the use of the voucher-warrant process, as authorized 7
- 8 by Section 9.01 of the State Comptroller Act.
- 9 (Source: P.A. 95-331, eff. 8-21-07.)
- ARTICLE 97. SEVERABILITY 10
- 11 Section 97-1. Severability. The provisions of this Act are
- severable under Section 1.31 of the Statute on Statutes. 12
- 13 ARTICLE 99. EFFECTIVE DATE
- Section 99-1. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 14
- 15 becoming law.".