

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act is  
5 amended by adding Section 7.8 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 3930/7.8 new)

7 Sec. 7.8. Surveillance cameras.

8 (a) By July 1, 2012, the Authority must (i) create a form  
9 for agencies to list the number of cameras that they own or  
10 have access to and (ii) post that form on the Authority's  
11 official Internet website.

12 (b) By December 31, 2012 and each December 1 thereafter,  
13 each agency that owns or has access to a camera shall provide  
14 to the Authority the following: (i) the completed form  
15 described in subsection (a) and (ii) a copy of any policies  
16 adopted by the agency that address camera use including: (A)  
17 policies that protect the privacy or civil liberties and rights  
18 of the general public, (B) minimal retention policies, (C)  
19 editing policies, (D) policies that address the sharing of data  
20 with other public and private entities, and (E) policies that  
21 restrict public access to data based upon a potential security  
22 compromise.

23 (c) By July 1, 2013 and each July 1 thereafter, the

1 following information must be posted on the Authority's  
2 official Internet website for the prior calendar year: (i) all  
3 documents provided by an agency under subsection (b) and (ii) a  
4 list of agencies that own or have access to cameras and the  
5 number of cameras that each agency owns or has access to.

6 (d) This Section does not require an agency to disclose the  
7 location of any camera.

8 (e) For the purposes of this Section, "access" means  
9 real-time access to images from a camera.

10 For the purposes of this Section, "agency" means the  
11 following: (i) State agencies including all officers, boards,  
12 commissions, agencies, departments, committees, and  
13 authorities created by the Constitution, whether in the  
14 executive or legislative branch; (ii) municipalities and any  
15 other unit of local government; (iii) public institutions of  
16 higher learning as defined in Section 2 of the Higher Education  
17 Cooperation Act; (iv) school districts and public schools of  
18 this State including special charter districts, Department of  
19 Juvenile Justice School Districts, laboratory schools operated  
20 by the governing board of a public university, and alternative  
21 schools operated by a regional superintendent of schools; (v)  
22 boards of election commissioners; (vi) bodies politic and  
23 corporate of the State; (vii) administrative units or corporate  
24 outgrowths of State government created by or pursuant to  
25 statute; and (viii) all administrative units and corporate  
26 outgrowths of the entities described in this definition and as

1 may be created by executive order of the Governor.

2 For the purposes of this Section, "camera" means any video  
3 surveillance camera that is located outdoors or within a public  
4 transit system. The term does not include a camera used  
5 principally to enforce traffic laws or to provide vehicle  
6 detection for traffic control devices or systems.