



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2011 and 2012

HB6215

by Rep. Brandon W. Phelps - Mike Bost - John E. Bradley

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 705/4.3 new

Amends the Illinois Grant Funds Recovery Act. Provides that all discretionary grant programs for the purposes of renewable energy, green initiatives, or environmental safety administered by the Environmental Protection Agency or the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity are terminated, and the Comptroller shall order transferred, and the Treasurer shall transfer, into the General Revenue Fund all amounts that are designated for the making of grants under those programs and that are held in a special fund.. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Grant Funds Recovery Act is amended
5 by adding Section 4.3 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 705/4.3 new)

7 Sec. 4.3. Termination of discretionary grant programs.
8 Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, on and after the
9 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th General
10 Assembly, all discretionary grant programs for the purposes of
11 renewable energy, green initiatives, or environmental safety
12 administered by the Environmental Protection Agency or the
13 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity are
14 terminated, and the Comptroller shall order transferred, and
15 the Treasurer shall transfer, into the General Revenue Fund all
16 amounts that are designated for the making of grants under
17 those programs and that are held in a special fund.

18 For the purposes of this Section, a "discretionary grant
19 program" means a program that gives the agency that administers
20 the program discretion over to whom the grant funds are
21 dispensed. The term "the purposes of renewable energy, green
22 initiatives, or environmental safety" includes, but is not
23 limited to, the following purposes: clean lakes enforcement,

1 electric efficiency, electric vehicle industry development,
2 food scrap composting, green fleets, green industry business
3 development, green infrastructure, green manufacturing, green
4 roofs, pollution control, recycling, and thermal efficiency
5 for public facilities.

6 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
7 becoming law.