

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 State Finance Act is amended by changing  
5 Section 25 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/25) (from Ch. 127, par. 161)

7 Sec. 25. Fiscal year limitations.

8 (a) All appropriations shall be available for expenditure  
9 for the fiscal year or for a lesser period if the Act making  
10 that appropriation so specifies. A deficiency or emergency  
11 appropriation shall be available for expenditure only through  
12 June 30 of the year when the Act making that appropriation is  
13 enacted unless that Act otherwise provides.

14 (b) Outstanding liabilities as of June 30, payable from  
15 appropriations which have otherwise expired, may be paid out of  
16 the expiring appropriations during the 2-month period ending at  
17 the close of business on August 31. Any service involving  
18 professional or artistic skills or any personal services by an  
19 employee whose compensation is subject to income tax  
20 withholding must be performed as of June 30 of the fiscal year  
21 in order to be considered an "outstanding liability as of June  
22 30" that is thereby eligible for payment out of the expiring  
23 appropriation.

1 (b-1) However, payment of tuition reimbursement claims  
2 under Section 14-7.03 or 18-3 of the School Code may be made by  
3 the State Board of Education from its appropriations for those  
4 respective purposes for any fiscal year, even though the claims  
5 reimbursed by the payment may be claims attributable to a prior  
6 fiscal year, and payments may be made at the direction of the  
7 State Superintendent of Education from the fund from which the  
8 appropriation is made without regard to any fiscal year  
9 limitations, except as required by subsection (j) of this  
10 Section. Beginning on June 30, 2021, payment of tuition  
11 reimbursement claims under Section 14-7.03 or 18-3 of the  
12 School Code as of June 30, payable from appropriations that  
13 have otherwise expired, may be paid out of the expiring  
14 appropriation during the 4-month period ending at the close of  
15 business on October 31.

16 (b-2) All outstanding liabilities as of June 30, 2010,  
17 payable from appropriations that would otherwise expire at the  
18 conclusion of the lapse period for fiscal year 2010, and  
19 interest penalties payable on those liabilities under the State  
20 Prompt Payment Act, may be paid out of the expiring  
21 appropriations until December 31, 2010, without regard to the  
22 fiscal year in which the payment is made, as long as vouchers  
23 for the liabilities are received by the Comptroller no later  
24 than August 31, 2010.

25 (b-2.5) All outstanding liabilities as of June 30, 2011,  
26 payable from appropriations that would otherwise expire at the

1 conclusion of the lapse period for fiscal year 2011, and  
2 interest penalties payable on those liabilities under the State  
3 Prompt Payment Act, may be paid out of the expiring  
4 appropriations until December 31, 2011, without regard to the  
5 fiscal year in which the payment is made, as long as vouchers  
6 for the liabilities are received by the Comptroller no later  
7 than August 31, 2011.

8 (b-2.6) All outstanding liabilities as of June 30, 2012,  
9 payable from appropriations that would otherwise expire at the  
10 conclusion of the lapse period for fiscal year 2012, and  
11 interest penalties payable on those liabilities under the State  
12 Prompt Payment Act, may be paid out of the expiring  
13 appropriations until December 31, 2012, without regard to the  
14 fiscal year in which the payment is made, as long as vouchers  
15 for the liabilities are received by the Comptroller no later  
16 than August 31, 2012.

17 (b-2.7) ~~(b-2.6)~~ For fiscal years 2012 and 2013, interest  
18 penalties payable under the State Prompt Payment Act associated  
19 with a voucher for which payment is issued after June 30 may be  
20 paid out of the next fiscal year's appropriation. The future  
21 year appropriation must be for the same purpose and from the  
22 same fund as the original payment. An interest penalty voucher  
23 submitted against a future year appropriation must be submitted  
24 within 60 days after the issuance of the associated voucher,  
25 and the Comptroller must issue the interest payment within 60  
26 days after acceptance of the interest voucher.

1 (b-3) Medical payments may be made by the Department of  
2 Veterans' Affairs from its appropriations for those purposes  
3 for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that the  
4 medical services being compensated for by such payment may have  
5 been rendered in a prior fiscal year, except as required by  
6 subsection (j) of this Section. Beginning on June 30, 2021,  
7 medical payments payable from appropriations that have  
8 otherwise expired may be paid out of the expiring appropriation  
9 during the 4-month period ending at the close of business on  
10 October 31.

11 (b-4) Medical payments and child care payments may be made  
12 by the Department of Human Services (as successor to the  
13 Department of Public Aid) from appropriations for those  
14 purposes for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that  
15 the medical or child care services being compensated for by  
16 such payment may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year; and  
17 payments may be made at the direction of the Department of  
18 Healthcare and Family Services (or successor agency) from the  
19 Health Insurance Reserve Fund without regard to any fiscal year  
20 limitations, except as required by subsection (j) of this  
21 Section. Beginning on June 30, 2021, medical and child care  
22 payments made by the Department of Human Services, and payments  
23 made at the discretion of the Department of Healthcare and  
24 Family Services (or successor agency) from the Health Insurance  
25 Reserve Fund and payable from appropriations that have  
26 otherwise expired may be paid out of the expiring appropriation

1 during the 4-month period ending at the close of business on  
2 October 31.

3 (b-5) Medical payments may be made by the Department of  
4 Human Services from its appropriations relating to substance  
5 abuse treatment services for any fiscal year, without regard to  
6 the fact that the medical services being compensated for by  
7 such payment may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year,  
8 provided the payments are made on a fee-for-service basis  
9 consistent with requirements established for Medicaid  
10 reimbursement by the Department of Healthcare and Family  
11 Services, except as required by subsection (j) of this Section.  
12 Beginning on June 30, 2021, medical payments made by the  
13 Department of Human Services relating to substance abuse  
14 treatment services payable from appropriations that have  
15 otherwise expired may be paid out of the expiring appropriation  
16 during the 4-month period ending at the close of business on  
17 October 31.

18 (b-6) Additionally, payments may be made by the Department  
19 of Human Services from its appropriations, or any other State  
20 agency from its appropriations with the approval of the  
21 Department of Human Services, from the Immigration Reform and  
22 Control Fund for purposes authorized pursuant to the  
23 Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, without regard to  
24 any fiscal year limitations, except as required by subsection  
25 (j) of this Section. Beginning on June 30, 2021, payments made  
26 by the Department of Human Services from the Immigration Reform

1 and Control Fund for purposes authorized pursuant to the  
2 Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 payable from  
3 appropriations that have otherwise expired may be paid out of  
4 the expiring appropriation during the 4-month period ending at  
5 the close of business on October 31.

6 (b-7) Payments may be made in accordance with a plan  
7 authorized by paragraph (11) or (12) of Section 405-105 of the  
8 Department of Central Management Services Law from  
9 appropriations for those payments without regard to fiscal year  
10 limitations.

11 (b-8) Reimbursements to eligible airport sponsors for the  
12 construction or upgrading of Automated Weather Observation  
13 Systems may be made by the Department of Transportation from  
14 appropriations for those purposes for any fiscal year, without  
15 regard to the fact that the qualification or obligation may  
16 have occurred in a prior fiscal year, provided that at the time  
17 the expenditure was made the project had been approved by the  
18 Department of Transportation prior to June 1, 2012 and, as a  
19 result of recent changes in federal funding formulas, can no  
20 longer receive federal reimbursement.

21 (c) Further, payments may be made by the Department of  
22 Public Health and the Department of Human Services (acting as  
23 successor to the Department of Public Health under the  
24 Department of Human Services Act) from their respective  
25 appropriations for grants for medical care to or on behalf of  
26 premature and high-mortality risk infants and their mothers and

1 for grants for supplemental food supplies provided under the  
2 United States Department of Agriculture Women, Infants and  
3 Children Nutrition Program, for any fiscal year without regard  
4 to the fact that the services being compensated for by such  
5 payment may have been rendered in a prior fiscal year, except  
6 as required by subsection (j) of this Section. Beginning on  
7 June 30, 2021, payments made by the Department of Public Health  
8 and the Department of Human Services from their respective  
9 appropriations for grants for medical care to or on behalf of  
10 premature and high-mortality risk infants and their mothers and  
11 for grants for supplemental food supplies provided under the  
12 United States Department of Agriculture Women, Infants and  
13 Children Nutrition Program payable from appropriations that  
14 have otherwise expired may be paid out of the expiring  
15 appropriations during the 4-month period ending at the close of  
16 business on October 31.

17 (d) The Department of Public Health and the Department of  
18 Human Services (acting as successor to the Department of Public  
19 Health under the Department of Human Services Act) shall each  
20 annually submit to the State Comptroller, Senate President,  
21 Senate Minority Leader, Speaker of the House, House Minority  
22 Leader, and the respective Chairmen and Minority Spokesmen of  
23 the Appropriations Committees of the Senate and the House, on  
24 or before December 31, a report of fiscal year funds used to  
25 pay for services provided in any prior fiscal year. This report  
26 shall document by program or service category those

1 expenditures from the most recently completed fiscal year used  
2 to pay for services provided in prior fiscal years.

3 (e) The Department of Healthcare and Family Services, the  
4 Department of Human Services (acting as successor to the  
5 Department of Public Aid), and the Department of Human Services  
6 making fee-for-service payments relating to substance abuse  
7 treatment services provided during a previous fiscal year shall  
8 each annually submit to the State Comptroller, Senate  
9 President, Senate Minority Leader, Speaker of the House, House  
10 Minority Leader, the respective Chairmen and Minority  
11 Spokesmen of the Appropriations Committees of the Senate and  
12 the House, on or before November 30, a report that shall  
13 document by program or service category those expenditures from  
14 the most recently completed fiscal year used to pay for (i)  
15 services provided in prior fiscal years and (ii) services for  
16 which claims were received in prior fiscal years.

17 (f) The Department of Human Services (as successor to the  
18 Department of Public Aid) shall annually submit to the State  
19 Comptroller, Senate President, Senate Minority Leader, Speaker  
20 of the House, House Minority Leader, and the respective  
21 Chairmen and Minority Spokesmen of the Appropriations  
22 Committees of the Senate and the House, on or before December  
23 31, a report of fiscal year funds used to pay for services  
24 (other than medical care) provided in any prior fiscal year.  
25 This report shall document by program or service category those  
26 expenditures from the most recently completed fiscal year used



1 to pay for services provided in prior fiscal years.

2 (g) In addition, each annual report required to be  
3 submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services  
4 under subsection (e) shall include the following information  
5 with respect to the State's Medicaid program:

6 (1) Explanations of the exact causes of the variance  
7 between the previous year's estimated and actual  
8 liabilities.

9 (2) Factors affecting the Department of Healthcare and  
10 Family Services' liabilities, including but not limited to  
11 numbers of aid recipients, levels of medical service  
12 utilization by aid recipients, and inflation in the cost of  
13 medical services.

14 (3) The results of the Department's efforts to combat  
15 fraud and abuse.

16 (h) As provided in Section 4 of the General Assembly  
17 Compensation Act, any utility bill for service provided to a  
18 General Assembly member's district office for a period  
19 including portions of 2 consecutive fiscal years may be paid  
20 from funds appropriated for such expenditure in either fiscal  
21 year.

22 (i) An agency which administers a fund classified by the  
23 Comptroller as an internal service fund may issue rules for:

24 (1) billing user agencies in advance for payments or  
25 authorized inter-fund transfers based on estimated charges  
26 for goods or services;

1           (2) issuing credits, refunding through inter-fund  
2 transfers, or reducing future inter-fund transfers during  
3 the subsequent fiscal year for all user agency payments or  
4 authorized inter-fund transfers received during the prior  
5 fiscal year which were in excess of the final amounts owed  
6 by the user agency for that period; and

7           (3) issuing catch-up billings to user agencies during  
8 the subsequent fiscal year for amounts remaining due when  
9 payments or authorized inter-fund transfers received from  
10 the user agency during the prior fiscal year were less than  
11 the total amount owed for that period.

12 User agencies are authorized to reimburse internal service  
13 funds for catch-up billings by vouchers drawn against their  
14 respective appropriations for the fiscal year in which the  
15 catch-up billing was issued or by increasing an authorized  
16 inter-fund transfer during the current fiscal year. For the  
17 purposes of this Act, "inter-fund transfers" means transfers  
18 without the use of the voucher-warrant process, as authorized  
19 by Section 9.01 of the State Comptroller Act.

20           (i-1) Beginning on July 1, 2021, all outstanding  
21 liabilities, not payable during the 4-month lapse period as  
22 described in subsections (b-1), (b-3), (b-4), (b-5), (b-6), and  
23 (c) of this Section, that are made from appropriations for that  
24 purpose for any fiscal year, without regard to the fact that  
25 the services being compensated for by those payments may have  
26 been rendered in a prior fiscal year, are limited to only those

1 claims that have been incurred but for which a proper bill or  
2 invoice as defined by the State Prompt Payment Act has not been  
3 received by September 30th following the end of the fiscal year  
4 in which the service was rendered.

5 (j) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the  
6 aggregate amount of payments to be made without regard for  
7 fiscal year limitations as contained in subsections (b-1),  
8 (b-3), (b-4), (b-5), (b-6), and (c) of this Section, and  
9 determined by using Generally Accepted Accounting Principles,  
10 shall not exceed the following amounts:

11 (1) \$6,000,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
12 to fiscal year 2012;

13 (2) \$5,300,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
14 to fiscal year 2013;

15 (3) \$4,600,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
16 to fiscal year 2014;

17 (4) \$4,000,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
18 to fiscal year 2015;

19 (5) \$3,300,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
20 to fiscal year 2016;

21 (6) \$2,600,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
22 to fiscal year 2017;

23 (7) \$2,000,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
24 to fiscal year 2018;

25 (8) \$1,300,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
26 to fiscal year 2019;

1           (9) \$600,000,000 for outstanding liabilities related  
2           to fiscal year 2020; and

3           (10) \$0 for outstanding liabilities related to fiscal  
4           year 2021 and fiscal years thereafter.

5           (k) Department of Healthcare and Family Services Medical  
6           Assistance Payments.

7           (1) Definition of Medical Assistance.

8                     For purposes of this subsection, the term "Medical  
9           Assistance" shall include, but not necessarily be  
10           limited to, medical programs and services authorized  
11           under Titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act,  
12           the Illinois Public Aid Code, the Children's Health  
13           Insurance Program Act, the Covering ALL KIDS Health  
14           Insurance Act, the Long Term Acute Care Hospital  
15           Quality Improvement Transfer Program Act, and medical  
16           care to or on behalf of persons suffering from chronic  
17           renal disease, persons suffering from hemophilia, and  
18           victims of sexual assault.

19           (2) Limitations on Medical Assistance payments that  
20           may be paid from future fiscal year appropriations.

21                     (A) The maximum amounts of annual unpaid Medical  
22           Assistance bills received and recorded by the  
23           Department of Healthcare and Family Services on or  
24           before June 30th of a particular fiscal year  
25           attributable in aggregate to the General Revenue Fund,  
26           Healthcare Provider Relief Fund, Tobacco Settlement

1 Recovery Fund, Long-Term Care Provider Fund, and the  
2 Drug Rebate Fund that may be paid in total by the  
3 Department from future fiscal year Medical Assistance  
4 appropriations to those funds are: \$700,000,000 for  
5 fiscal year 2013 and \$100,000,000 for fiscal year 2014  
6 and each fiscal year thereafter.

7 (B) Bills for Medical Assistance services rendered  
8 in a particular fiscal year, but received and recorded  
9 by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services  
10 after June 30th of that fiscal year, may be paid from  
11 either appropriations for that fiscal year or future  
12 fiscal year appropriations for Medical Assistance.  
13 Such payments shall not be subject to the requirements  
14 of subparagraph (A).

15 (C) Medical Assistance bills received by the  
16 Department of Healthcare and Family Services in a  
17 particular fiscal year, but subject to payment amount  
18 adjustments in a future fiscal year may be paid from a  
19 future fiscal year's appropriation for Medical  
20 Assistance. Such payments shall not be subject to the  
21 requirements of subparagraph (A).

22 (D) Medical Assistance payments made by the  
23 Department of Healthcare and Family Services from  
24 funds other than those specifically referenced in  
25 subparagraph (A) may be made from appropriations for  
26 those purposes for any fiscal year without regard to

1           the fact that the Medical Assistance services being  
2           compensated for by such payment may have been rendered  
3           in a prior fiscal year. Such payments shall not be  
4           subject to the requirements of subparagraph (A).

5           (3) Extended lapse period for Department of Healthcare  
6           and Family Services Medical Assistance payments.  
7           Notwithstanding any other State law to the contrary,  
8           outstanding Department of Healthcare and Family Services  
9           Medical Assistance liabilities, as of June 30th, payable  
10          from appropriations which have otherwise expired, may be  
11          paid out of the expiring appropriations during the 6-month  
12          period ending at the close of business on December 31st.

13          (1) The changes to this Section made by Public Act 97-691  
14          ~~this amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly~~ shall be  
15          effective for payment of Medical Assistance bills incurred in  
16          fiscal year 2013 and future fiscal years. The changes to this  
17          Section made by Public Act 97-691 ~~this amendatory Act of the~~  
18          ~~97th General Assembly~~ shall not be applied to Medical  
19          Assistance bills incurred in fiscal year 2012 or prior fiscal  
20          years.

21          (m) ~~(k)~~ The Comptroller must issue payments against  
22          outstanding liabilities that were received prior to the lapse  
23          period deadlines set forth in this Section as soon thereafter  
24          as practical, but no payment may be issued after the 4 months  
25          following the lapse period deadline without the signed  
26          authorization of the Comptroller and the Governor.

1 (Source: P.A. 96-928, eff. 6-15-10; 96-958, eff. 7-1-10;  
2 96-1501, eff. 1-25-11; 97-75, eff. 6-30-11; 97-333, eff.  
3 8-12-11; 97-691, eff. 7-1-12; 97-732, eff. 6-30-12; 97-932,  
4 eff. 8-10-12; revised 8-23-12.)

5 Section 10. The Illinois Aeronautics Act is amended by  
6 changing Section 34a as follows:

7 (620 ILCS 5/34a) (from Ch. 15 1/2, par. 22.34a)

8 Sec. 34a. Financial assistance under Section 34 may also  
9 include reimbursement to eligible airport sponsors for the  
10 construction or upgrading of Automated Weather Observation  
11 Systems (AWOS) financed in whole or in part by State monies.  
12 Costs of constructing or upgrading Automated Weather  
13 Observation Systems prior to the effective date of this  
14 amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly are eligible for  
15 State reimbursements provided that all required State  
16 procedures were followed at the time the project was approved  
17 by the Department. Financial assistance under Section 34 may  
18 also include reimbursements to eligible airport sponsors for  
19 land acquisition costs directly related to projects financed  
20 either in whole or in part by federal and State monies, and for  
21 engineering costs directly related to projects financed in  
22 whole or in part by State monies; provided, (1) such  
23 engineering or land acquisition costs were approved by the  
24 Department prior to the payment of these costs by the airport

1 sponsor, (2) no State or federal monies have previously been  
2 expended for such purposes on such projects, and (3) no State  
3 monies shall be expended as reimbursement on any project for  
4 engineering or land acquisition unless construction costs for  
5 that project are funded by the State. Approval of engineering  
6 or land acquisition costs by the Department prior to the  
7 payment of such costs by an airport sponsor shall qualify those  
8 costs for State reimbursement but shall not constitute an  
9 obligation of State funds. Costs of land acquisition by airport  
10 sponsors prior to the effective date of this amendatory act of  
11 1982 are qualified for State reimbursement provided all federal  
12 and State procedures were followed at the time of acquisition.  
13 (Source: P.A. 82-978.)

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
15 becoming law.