

HB1569



98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1569

by Rep. Pam Roth

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

615 ILCS 110/5
615 ILCS 110/10

Amends the Kankakee River Dam Transfer Act. Changes the presiding agency from the Department of Transportation to the Department of Natural Resources. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Kankakee River Dam Transfer Act is amended
5 by changing Sections 5 and 10 as follows:

6 (615 ILCS 110/5)

7 Sec. 5. Authorization to acquire. The Department of Natural
8 Resources ~~Transportation~~, on behalf of the State of Illinois,
9 is authorized to acquire by donation from the City of
10 Wilmington in Will County, Illinois and other owners the
11 existing Kankakee River dam and its abutments, millrace,
12 millrace structures, and all other improvements constructed in
13 connection with the dam; the sites on which the dam, abutments,
14 millrace, millrace structures, and other improvements are
15 constructed; and all water, flowage easements, and other
16 privileges at law or in equity that the present owners or their
17 predecessors acquired in and to the property.

18 (Source: P.A. 87-1219.)

19 (615 ILCS 110/10)

20 Sec. 10. Powers of Department of Natural Resources
21 ~~Transportation~~. After the real estate and structures described
22 in Section 5 have been acquired, the Department of Natural

1 Resources ~~Transportation~~ may reconstruct, repair, restore,
2 rehabilitate, demolish, lease for a period not to exceed 20
3 years, sell, transfer or convey, exchange, develop or otherwise
4 utilize these lands with their appurtenances acquired under
5 this Act in the best interest of the State of Illinois.

6 (Source: P.A. 87-1219.)

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