

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB3176

by Rep. Kay Hatcher

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

705 ILCS 305/10.5 new 705 ILCS 310/10.6 new

Amends the Jury Act and the Jury Commission Act. Provides that a prospective juror who is 65 years of age or older shall, upon request, be excused from jury service.

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1 AN ACT concerning courts.

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

4 Section 5. The Jury Act is amended by adding Section 10.5 5 as follows:

6 (705 ILCS 305/10.5 new)
7 Sec. 10.5. Excusing prospective jurors; persons 65 years of
8 age or older. A prospective juror who is 65 years of age or
9 older shall, upon request, be excused from jury service.

Section 10. The Jury Commission Act is amended by adding Section 10.6 as follows:

12 (705 ILCS 310/10.6 new) 13 <u>Sec. 10.6. Excusing prospective jurors; persons 65 years of</u> 14 <u>age or older. A prospective juror who is 65 years of age or</u> 15 <u>older shall, upon request, be excused from jury service.</u>