



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

SB1861

Introduced 2/15/2013, by Sen. Mike Jacobs

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 2610/7.3 new  
20 ILCS 415/4c

from Ch. 127, par. 63b104c

Amends the State Police Act and the Personnel Code. Provides that the State Police Merit Board may hire employees as may be necessary and appropriate to carry out its duties and responsibilities. Provides that employees of the Merit Board shall not be subject to the Personnel Code. Provides that the Board shall fix the salaries of its employees. Provides that the Board shall adopt rules establishing a general salary schedule according to a classification of employees, but subject to merit increases, which shall apply to all employees. Provides that the Board may suspend or dismiss employees as necessary. Provides that the Board shall adopt rules establishing grounds for dismissal of employees.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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 State Police Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 7.3 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 2610/7.3 new)

7 Sec. 7.3. Employees.

8 (a) The Board may hire employees as may be necessary and  
9 appropriate to carry out its duties and responsibilities.  
10 Employees of the Merit Board shall not be subject to the  
11 Personnel Code.

12 (b) The Board shall fix the salaries of its employees.

13 (c) The Board shall adopt rules establishing a general  
14 salary schedule according to a classification of employees, but  
15 subject to merit increases, which shall apply to all employees.

16 (d) The Board may suspend or dismiss employees as  
17 necessary.

18 (e) The Board shall adopt rules establishing grounds for  
19 dismissal of employees.

20 Section 10. The Personnel Code is amended by changing  
21 Section 4c as follows:

1 (20 ILCS 415/4c) (from Ch. 127, par. 63b104c)

2 Sec. 4c. General exemptions. The following positions in  
3 State service shall be exempt from jurisdictions A, B, and C,  
4 unless the jurisdictions shall be extended as provided in this  
5 Act:

6 (1) All officers elected by the people.

7 (2) All positions under the Lieutenant Governor,  
8 Secretary of State, State Treasurer, State Comptroller,  
9 State Board of Education, Clerk of the Supreme Court,  
10 Attorney General, and State Board of Elections.

11 (3) Judges, and officers and employees of the courts,  
12 and notaries public.

13 (4) All officers and employees of the Illinois General  
14 Assembly, all employees of legislative commissions, all  
15 officers and employees of the Illinois Legislative  
16 Reference Bureau, the Legislative Research Unit, and the  
17 Legislative Printing Unit.

18 (5) All positions in the Illinois National Guard and  
19 Illinois State Guard, paid from federal funds or positions  
20 in the State Military Service filled by enlistment and paid  
21 from State funds.

22 (6) All employees of the Governor at the executive  
23 mansion and on his immediate personal staff.

24 (7) Directors of Departments, the Adjutant General,  
25 the Assistant Adjutant General, the Director of the  
26 Illinois Emergency Management Agency, members of boards

1 and commissions, and all other positions appointed by the  
2 Governor by and with the consent of the Senate.

3 (8) The presidents, other principal administrative  
4 officers, and teaching, research and extension faculties  
5 of Chicago State University, Eastern Illinois University,  
6 Governors State University, Illinois State University,  
7 Northeastern Illinois University, Northern Illinois  
8 University, Western Illinois University, the Illinois  
9 Community College Board, Southern Illinois University,  
10 Illinois Board of Higher Education, University of  
11 Illinois, State Universities Civil Service System,  
12 University Retirement System of Illinois, and the  
13 administrative officers and scientific and technical staff  
14 of the Illinois State Museum.

15 (9) All other employees except the presidents, other  
16 principal administrative officers, and teaching, research  
17 and extension faculties of the universities under the  
18 jurisdiction of the Board of Regents and the colleges and  
19 universities under the jurisdiction of the Board of  
20 Governors of State Colleges and Universities, Illinois  
21 Community College Board, Southern Illinois University,  
22 Illinois Board of Higher Education, Board of Governors of  
23 State Colleges and Universities, the Board of Regents,  
24 University of Illinois, State Universities Civil Service  
25 System, University Retirement System of Illinois, so long  
26 as these are subject to the provisions of the State

1 Universities Civil Service Act.

2 (10) The State Police so long as they are subject to  
3 the merit provisions of the State Police Act.

4 (10.1) Employees of the State Police Merit Board.

5 (11) (Blank).

6 (12) The technical and engineering staffs of the  
7 Department of Transportation, the Department of Nuclear  
8 Safety, the Pollution Control Board, and the Illinois  
9 Commerce Commission, and the technical and engineering  
10 staff providing architectural and engineering services in  
11 the Department of Central Management Services.

12 (13) All employees of the Illinois State Toll Highway  
13 Authority.

14 (14) The Secretary of the Illinois Workers'  
15 Compensation Commission.

16 (15) All persons who are appointed or employed by the  
17 Director of Insurance under authority of Section 202 of the  
18 Illinois Insurance Code to assist the Director of Insurance  
19 in discharging his responsibilities relating to the  
20 rehabilitation, liquidation, conservation, and dissolution  
21 of companies that are subject to the jurisdiction of the  
22 Illinois Insurance Code.

23 (16) All employees of the St. Louis Metropolitan Area  
24 Airport Authority.

25 (17) All investment officers employed by the Illinois  
26 State Board of Investment.

1           (18) Employees of the Illinois Young Adult  
2 Conservation Corps program, administered by the Illinois  
3 Department of Natural Resources, authorized grantee under  
4 Title VIII of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act  
5 of 1973, 29 USC 993.

6           (19) Seasonal employees of the Department of  
7 Agriculture for the operation of the Illinois State Fair  
8 and the DuQuoin State Fair, no one person receiving more  
9 than 29 days of such employment in any calendar year.

10          (20) All "temporary" employees hired under the  
11 Department of Natural Resources' Illinois Conservation  
12 Service, a youth employment program that hires young people  
13 to work in State parks for a period of one year or less.

14          (21) All hearing officers of the Human Rights  
15 Commission.

16          (22) All employees of the Illinois Mathematics and  
17 Science Academy.

18          (23) All employees of the Kankakee River Valley Area  
19 Airport Authority.

20          (24) The commissioners and employees of the Executive  
21 Ethics Commission.

22          (25) The Executive Inspectors General, including  
23 special Executive Inspectors General, and employees of  
24 each Office of an Executive Inspector General.

25          (26) The commissioners and employees of the  
26 Legislative Ethics Commission.

1           (27) The Legislative Inspector General, including  
2 special Legislative Inspectors General, and employees of  
3 the Office of the Legislative Inspector General.

4           (28) The Auditor General's Inspector General and  
5 employees of the Office of the Auditor General's Inspector  
6 General.

7           (29) All employees of the Illinois Power Agency.

8           (30) Employees having demonstrable, defined advanced  
9 skills in accounting, financial reporting, or technical  
10 expertise who are employed within executive branch  
11 agencies and whose duties are directly related to the  
12 submission to the Office of the Comptroller of financial  
13 information for the publication of the Comprehensive  
14 Annual Financial Report (CAFR).

15 (Source: P.A. 97-618, eff. 10-26-11; 97-1055, eff. 8-23-12.)