

# SB2262



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

SB2262

Introduced 2/15/2013, by Sen. Darin M. LaHood

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 420/3A-45 new

Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Provides that, upon request of an authority making an appointment to a board or commission created by State law or upon request of the Chairman or Minority Spokesperson of the Senate Executive Appointments Committee, the Attorney General shall issue an advisory opinion concerning whether the person being appointed meets the qualifications of the office to which the appointing authority intends to make its appointment.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Governmental Ethics Act is amended  
5 by adding Section 3A-45 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 420/3A-45 new)

7 Sec. 3A-45. Advisory opinion regarding qualification for  
8 appointment. Upon request of an authority making an appointment  
9 to a board or commission created by State law or upon request  
10 of the Chairman or Minority Spokesperson of the Senate  
11 Executive Appointments Committee, the Attorney General shall  
12 issue an advisory opinion concerning whether the person being  
13 appointed meets the qualifications of the office to which the  
14 appointing authority intends to make its appointment.