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# State of Illinois

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#### HB0147

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# SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/12-3.05

was 720 ILCS 5/12-4

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Makes it a Class 1 felony aggravated battery for a person at least 18 years of age to cause bodily harm or disability or disfigurement to an enrolled school student under 18 years of age, if the offense was committed within a school safe passage route. Defines "safe passage route".

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AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by changing
Section 12-3.05 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/12-3.05) (was 720 ILCS 5/12-4)

7 Sec. 12-3.05. Aggravated battery.

8 (a) Offense based on injury. A person commits aggravated 9 battery when, in committing a battery, other than by the 10 discharge of a firearm, he or she knowingly does any of the 11 following:

12 (1) Causes great bodily harm or permanent disability or13 disfigurement.

14 (2) Causes severe and permanent disability, great
15 bodily harm, or disfigurement by means of a caustic or
16 flammable substance, a poisonous gas, a deadly biological
17 or chemical contaminant or agent, a radioactive substance,
18 or a bomb or explosive compound.

(3) Causes great bodily harm or permanent disability or
disfigurement to an individual whom the person knows to be
a peace officer, community policing volunteer, fireman,
private security officer, correctional institution
employee, or Department of Human Services employee

1 supervising or controlling sexually dangerous persons or 2 sexually violent persons:

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(i) performing his or her official duties;

4 (ii) battered to prevent performance of his or her 5 official duties; or

6 (iii) battered in retaliation for performing his 7 or her official duties.

8 (4) Causes great bodily harm or permanent disability or
9 disfigurement to an individual 60 years of age or older.

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(5) Strangles another individual.

(b) Offense based on injury to a child or intellectually disabled person. A person who is at least 18 years of age commits aggravated battery when, in committing a battery, he or she knowingly and without legal justification by any means:

(1) causes great bodily harm or permanent disability or
disfigurement to any child under the age of 13 years, or to
any severely or profoundly intellectually disabled person;
or

(2) causes bodily harm or disability or disfigurement
to any child under the age of 13 years or to any severely
or profoundly intellectually disabled person.

(c) Offense based on location of conduct. A person commits
aggravated battery when, in committing a battery:

24 (1) other than by the discharge of a firearm, he or she
25 is or the person battered is on or about a public way,
26 public property, a public place of accommodation or

1 amusement, a sports venue, or a domestic violence shelter;
2 <u>or</u>.

3 (2) the person is at least 18 years of age and causes 4 bodily harm or disability or disfigurement to an enrolled 5 school student under 18 years of age, when he or she or the 6 student battered is traveling to or from a school on a 7 school safe passage route.

8 (d) Offense based on status of victim. A person commits 9 aggravated battery when, in committing a battery, other than by 10 discharge of a firearm, he or she knows the individual battered 11 to be any of the following:

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(1) A person 60 years of age or older.

13 (2) A person who is pregnant or physically handicapped.

14 (3) A teacher or school employee upon school grounds or
15 grounds adjacent to a school or in any part of a building
16 used for school purposes.

(4) A peace officer, community policing volunteer,
fireman, private security officer, correctional
institution employee, or Department of Human Services
employee supervising or controlling sexually dangerous
persons or sexually violent persons:

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(i) performing his or her official duties;

(ii) battered to prevent performance of his or herofficial duties; or

(iii) battered in retaliation for performing hisor her official duties.

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1 (5) A judge, emergency management worker, emergency 2 medical technician, or utility worker: (i) performing his or her official duties; 3 (ii) battered to prevent performance of his or her 4 5 official duties: or (iii) battered in retaliation for performing his 6 7 or her official duties. (6) An officer or employee of the State of Illinois, a 8 9 unit of local government, or a school district, while 10 performing his or her official duties. 11 (7) A transit employee performing his or her official 12 duties, or a transit passenger. 13 (8) A taxi driver on duty. (9) A merchant who detains the person for an alleged 14 15 commission of retail theft under Section 16-26 of this Code 16 and the person without legal justification by any means 17 causes bodily harm to the merchant. (10) A person authorized to serve process under Section 18 19 2-202 of the Code of Civil Procedure or a special process server appointed by the circuit court while that individual 20 21 is in the performance of his or her duties as a process 22 server. 23 (11) A nurse while in the performance of his or her 24 duties as a nurse.

(e) Offense based on use of a firearm. A person commitsaggravated battery when, in committing a battery, he or she

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1 knowingly does any of the following:

2 (1) Discharges a firearm, other than a machine gun or a 3 firearm equipped with a silencer, and causes any injury to 4 another person.

5 (2) Discharges a firearm, other than a machine gun or a 6 firearm equipped with a silencer, and causes any injury to 7 a person he or she knows to be a peace officer, community 8 policing volunteer, person summoned by a police officer, 9 fireman. private security officer. correctional 10 institution employee, or emergency management worker:

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(i) performing his or her official duties;

12 (ii) battered to prevent performance of his or her13 official duties; or

14 (iii) battered in retaliation for performing his15 or her official duties.

16 (3) Discharges a firearm, other than a machine gun or a 17 firearm equipped with a silencer, and causes any injury to 18 a person he or she knows to be an emergency medical 19 technician employed by a municipality or other 20 governmental unit:

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(i) performing his or her official duties;

(ii) battered to prevent performance of his or herofficial duties; or

24 (iii) battered in retaliation for performing his25 or her official duties.

(4) Discharges a firearm and causes any injury to a

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person he or she knows to be a teacher, a student in a school, or a school employee, and the teacher, student, or employee is upon school grounds or grounds adjacent to a school or in any part of a building used for school purposes.

(5) Discharges a machine gun or a firearm equipped with a silencer, and causes any injury to another person.

8 (6) Discharges a machine gun or a firearm equipped with 9 a silencer, and causes any injury to a person he or she 10 knows to be a peace officer, community policing volunteer, 11 person summoned by a police officer, fireman, private 12 security officer, correctional institution employee or 13 emergency management worker:

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(i) performing his or her official duties;

(ii) battered to prevent performance of his or herofficial duties; or

17 (iii) battered in retaliation for performing his18 or her official duties.

19 (7) Discharges a machine gun or a firearm equipped with 20 a silencer, and causes any injury to a person he or she 21 knows to be an emergency medical technician employed by a 22 municipality or other governmental unit:

(i) performing his or her official duties;

(ii) battered to prevent performance of his or her
 official duties; or

(iii) battered in retaliation for performing his

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or her official duties.

(8) Discharges a machine gun or a firearm equipped with
a silencer, and causes any injury to a person he or she
knows to be a teacher, or a student in a school, or a
school employee, and the teacher, student, or employee is
upon school grounds or grounds adjacent to a school or in
any part of a building used for school purposes.

8 (f) Offense based on use of a weapon or device. A person 9 commits aggravated battery when, in committing a battery, he or 10 she does any of the following:

(1) Uses a deadly weapon other than by discharge of a firearm, or uses an air rifle as defined in Section 24.8-0.1 of this Code.

14 (2) Wears a hood, robe, or mask to conceal his or her15 identity.

16 (3) Knowingly and without lawful justification shines 17 or flashes a laser gunsight or other laser device attached 18 to a firearm, or used in concert with a firearm, so that 19 the laser beam strikes upon or against the person of 20 another.

(4) Knowingly video or audio records the offense withthe intent to disseminate the recording.

(g) Offense based on certain conduct. A person commits
aggravated battery when, other than by discharge of a firearm,
he or she does any of the following:

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(1) Violates Section 401 of the Illinois Controlled

1 Substances Act by unlawfully delivering a controlled 2 substance to another and any user experiences great bodily 3 harm or permanent disability as a result of the injection, 4 inhalation, or ingestion of any amount of the controlled 5 substance.

6 (2) Knowingly administers to an individual or causes 7 him or her to take, without his or her consent or by threat 8 or deception, and for other than medical purposes, any 9 intoxicating, poisonous, stupefying, narcotic, anesthetic, 10 or controlled substance, or gives to another person any 11 food containing any substance or object intended to cause 12 physical injury if eaten.

13 (3) Knowingly causes or attempts to cause а 14 correctional institution employee or Department of Human 15 Services employee to come into contact with blood, seminal 16 fluid, urine, or feces by throwing, tossing, or expelling 17 the fluid or material, and the person is an inmate of a penal institution or is a sexually dangerous person or 18 19 sexually violent person in the custody of the Department of 20 Human Services.

(h) Sentence. Unless otherwise provided, aggravatedbattery is a Class 3 felony.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (a)(4),
(d)(4), or (g)(3) is a Class 2 felony.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (a)(3), (c)(2), or (g)(1) is a Class 1 felony. Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (a)(1) is a Class 1 felony when the aggravated battery was intentional and involved the infliction of torture, as defined in paragraph (14) of subsection (b) of Section 9-1 of this Code, as the infliction of or subjection to extreme physical pain, motivated by an intent to increase or prolong the pain, suffering, or agony of the victim.

8 Aggravated battery under subdivision (a)(5) is a Class 1
9 felony if:

10 (A) the person used or attempted to use a dangerous
11 instrument while committing the offense; or

(B) the person caused great bodily harm or permanent
disability or disfigurement to the other person while
committing the offense; or

15 (C) the person has been previously convicted of a 16 violation of subdivision (a)(5) under the laws of this 17 State or laws similar to subdivision (a)(5) of any other 18 state.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (e)(1) is aClass X felony.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (a)(2) is a Class X felony for which a person shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of a minimum of 6 years and a maximum of 45 years.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (e)(5) is a Class X felony for which a person shall be sentenced to a term 1 of imprisonment of a minimum of 12 years and a maximum of 45
2 years.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (e)(2), (e)(3), or (e)(4) is a Class X felony for which a person shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of a minimum of 15 years and a maximum of 60 years.

7 Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (e)(6), 8 (e)(7), or (e)(8) is a Class X felony for which a person shall 9 be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of a minimum of 20 years 10 and a maximum of 60 years.

Aggravated battery as defined in subdivision (b)(1) is a Class X felony, except that:

(1) if the person committed the offense while armed with a firearm, 15 years shall be added to the term of imprisonment imposed by the court;

16 (2) if, during the commission of the offense, the
17 person personally discharged a firearm, 20 years shall be
18 added to the term of imprisonment imposed by the court;

(3) if, during the commission of the offense, the person personally discharged a firearm that proximately caused great bodily harm, permanent disability, permanent disfigurement, or death to another person, 25 years or up to a term of natural life shall be added to the term of imprisonment imposed by the court.

25 (i) Definitions. For the purposes of this Section:

26 "Building or other structure used to provide shelter" has

the meaning ascribed to "shelter" in Section 1 of the Domestic
 Violence Shelters Act.

"Domestic violence" has the meaning ascribed to it in
Section 103 of the Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986.

5 "Domestic violence shelter" means any building or other 6 structure used to provide shelter or other services to victims 7 or to the dependent children of victims of domestic violence 8 pursuant to the Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986 or the 9 Domestic Violence Shelters Act, or any place within 500 feet of 10 such a building or other structure in the case of a person who 11 is going to or from such a building or other structure.

12 "Firearm" has the meaning provided under Section 1.1 of the 13 Firearm Owners Identification Card Act, and does not include an 14 air rifle as defined by Section 24.8-0.1 of this Code.

15 "Machine gun" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 16 24-1 of this Code.

17 "Merchant" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 16-0.118 of this Code.

19 "Safe passage route" means a public way which has been 20 designated, and published on the Internet, by the mayor or corporate authorities of a municipality or if in an 21 22 unincorporated area the county board, as a route school 23 students should use to transit to and from school. The safe 24 passage route designation is in effect between the hours of 25 6:00 a.m. and 7 p.m. on any day school is in session, during any school activity, and within one hour before the starting 26

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1 time and one hour after the ending time of a school activity.

2 "Strangle" means intentionally impeding the normal 3 breathing or circulation of the blood of an individual by 4 applying pressure on the throat or neck of that individual or 5 by blocking the nose or mouth of that individual.

6 (Source: P.A. 97-597, eff. 1-1-12; incorporates 97-227, eff.
7 1-1-12, 97-313, eff. 1-1-12, and 97-467, eff. 1-1-12; 97-1109,
8 eff. 1-1-13; 98-369, eff. 1-1-14; 98-385, eff. 1-1-14; 98-756,
9 eff. 7-16-14.)