

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB1208

by Rep. Michael J. Madigan

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

735 ILCS 5/1-106

from Ch. 110, par. 1-106

Amends the Code of Civil Procedure. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning construction of the Code.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,

## represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Code of Civil Procedure is amended by
- 5 changing Section 1-106 as follows:
- 6 (735 ILCS 5/1-106) (from Ch. 110, par. 1-106)
- 7 Sec. 1-106. Act to be liberally construed. This Act shall
- 8 be liberally construed, to the <del>the</del> end that controversies may
- 9 be speedily and finally determined according to the substantive
- 10 rights of the parties. The rule that statutes in derogation of
- 11 the common law must be strictly construed does not apply to
- this Act or to the rules made in relation thereto.
- 13 (Source: P.A. 82-280.)