

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB3445

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

715 ILCS 5/2 715 ILCS 10/3 from Ch. 100, par. 2

Amends the Notice By Publication Act. Provides that if there is no newspaper which is published in the unit of local government or school district, notice may also be published in newspaper published in an adjacent county to the unit or school district (rather than just the county in which the unit or school district is located). Further provides that if there is no newspaper published in the county or an adjacent county, notice shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the unit or school district. Amends the Newspaper Legal Notice Act with similar changes. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning notices.

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

Section 5. The Notice By Publication Act is amended by changing Section 2 as follows:

6 (715 ILCS 5/2) (from Ch. 100, par. 2)

Sec. 2. Whenever an officer of a court, unit of local government, or school district is required by law to give notice by publication in a newspaper which is published in a particular unit of local government or school district, he shall, if there is no newspaper which is published in the unit of local government or school district, give notice by publication in a newspaper published in the county or an adjacent county in which the unit of local government or school district is located and having general circulation within the unit of local government or school district. If there is no newspaper published in the county or an adjacent county in which the unit of local government or school district is located, notice by publication in a newspaper shall be given in a secular newspaper, as defined in this Act, published in an adjoining county having general circulation within the unit of local government or school district.

23 (Source: P.A. 96-1144, eff. 12-31-12.)

- Section 10. The Newspaper Legal Notice Act is amended by changing Section 3 as follows:
- 3 (715 ILCS 10/3)
- 4 Sec. 3. Applicability.
- 5 (a) Any notice published prior to the effective date of 6 this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly and in 7 compliance with the provisions of this amendatory Act shall be 8 legal and valid for all purposes.
- (b) If, after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 9 10 the 96th General Assembly, there is a notice that is required 11 by law or order of court to be published in a particular unit of local government or school district and there is no 12 13 newspaper published in that unit of local government or school 14 district, or, in the county or an adjacent county in which the 15 unit of local government or school district is located, the notice shall be published in a secular newspaper, as defined by 16 17 this Act, that is published in an adjoining county having general circulation within the unit of local government or 18 school district. To the extent that there is a conflict between 19 20 the provisions of this amendatory Act of the 96th General 21 Assembly and any other provision of law, the provisions added by this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall 22 23 control.
- 24 (Source: P.A. 96-59, eff. 7-23-09; 96-1144, eff. 12-31-12.)

- 1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 2 becoming law.