



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB4358

by Rep. Marcus C. Evans, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Police Department Non-lethal Force Policy Act. Provides that the Department of State Police, Secretary of State Police Department, mass transit district police force, university police force, county sheriff's office, and each police department of a municipality of this State shall develop a plan or strategy for the use of non-lethal force on a person suspected of committing or having committed a criminal offense or resisting arrest. The plan or strategy shall include the use of new technologies and alternatives to the use of firearms in apprehending a suspect or in protecting the officer from harm by a suspect.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

STATE MANDATES
ACT MAY REQUIRE
REIMBURSEMENT

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the Police
5 Department Non-lethal Force Policy Act.

6 Section 5. Police department non-lethal force policy. The
7 Department of State Police, Secretary of State Police
8 Department, mass transit district police force, university
9 police force, county sheriff's office, and each police
10 department of a municipality of this State shall develop a plan
11 or strategy for the use of non-lethal force on a person
12 suspected of committing or having committed a criminal offense
13 or resisting arrest. The plan or strategy shall include the use
14 of new technologies and alternatives to the use of firearms in
15 apprehending a suspect or in protecting the officer from harm
16 by a suspect.