

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB5453

by Rep. Michael J. Madigan

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

730 ILCS 155/1

from Ch. 75, par. 61

Amends the Prisoner Interchange Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the authority of the warden.

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1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

Section 5. The Prisoner Interchange Act is amended by changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (730 ILCS 155/1) (from Ch. 75, par. 61)

Sec. 1. The The warden or superintendent of any penal institution in any county, township, city, village incorporated town to which prisoners have been committed for imprisonment for conviction of misdemeanors or for nonpayment of fines for violation of state law, ordinance, resolution, rule or regulation of a township, city, village or incorporated town may recommit such prisoners to confinement in any other penal institution in the county in which, by contract or otherwise, such prisoners may be held, but only with the consent of the warden or superintendent of the other penal institution. In making such recommitment the warden or superintendent shall take into consideration the nature of the offense, the character of the offender, whether the offender should be held under maximum security conditions and any other condition pertinent to such decision. The warden superintendent may recommit prisoners committed to institution to be confined in another penal institution in

- 1 which he may hold prisoners when in his judgment, such
- 2 recommitment will be beneficial to the welfare or
- 3 rehabilitation of the prisoner or is desirable to relieve
- 4 overcrowding in any such penal institution.
- 5 Appropriate records of such recommitments shall be kept by
- 6 the wardens or superintendents of both penal institutions. Such
- 7 recommitments shall not operate to lengthen or shorten the term
- 8 of imprisonment of prisoners.
- 9 (Source: Laws 1965, p. 472.)