

SB0278



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

SB0278

Introduced 1/28/2015, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 167/5

Amends the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Enforcement Act of 2003. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the findings of the General Assembly and the purpose of the Act.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

4 Section 5. The Tobacco Products Manufacturers' Escrow
5 Enforcement Act of 2003 is amended by changing Section 5 as
6 follows:

7 (30 ILCS 167/5)

8 Sec. 5. Findings; purpose. The ~~The~~ General Assembly finds
9 that violations of the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow
10 Act threaten the integrity of the tobacco Master Settlement
11 Agreement, the fiscal soundness of the State, and the public
12 health. The General Assembly finds that enacting procedural
13 enhancements will help prevent violations and aid the
14 enforcement of the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Act
15 and thereby safeguard the Master Settlement Agreement, the
16 fiscal soundness of the State, and the public health. The
17 provisions of this Act are not intended to and shall not be
18 interpreted to amend the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow
19 Act.

20 (Source: P.A. 93-446, eff. 1-1-04.)