

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

SB2875

Introduced 2/17/2016, by Sen. Chris Nybo

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

725 ILCS 168/10

Amends the Freedom From Location Surveillance Act. Provides that a court may grant a law enforcement's request to obtain current or future location information through testimony made through electronic means using a simultaneous video and audio transmission between the requestor and judge, based on sworn testimony communicated in the transmission. The entity making the request, and the court authorizing the request shall follow the same procedure under the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963, which authorizes the electronic issuance of search warrants.

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AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

Section 5. The Freedom From Location Surveillance Act is
amended by changing Section 10 as follows:

6 (725 ILCS 168/10)

7 Sec. 10. Court authorization. Except as provided in 8 Section 15, a law enforcement agency shall not obtain current 9 or future location information pertaining to a person or his or her effects without first obtaining a court order under Section 10 108-4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963 based on 11 12 probable cause to believe that the person whose location 13 information is sought has committed, is committing, or is about 14 to commit a crime or the effect is evidence of a crime, or if the location information is authorized under an arrest warrant 15 16 issued under Section 107-9 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 17 1963 to aid in the apprehension or the arrest of the person named in the arrest warrant. An order issued under a finding of 18 19 probable cause under this Section must be limited to a period 20 of 60 days, renewable by the judge upon a showing of good cause for subsequent periods of 60 days. A court may grant a law 21 22 enforcement entity's request to obtain current or future location information under this Section through testimony made 23

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2	transmission between the requestor and a judge, based on sworn
3	testimony communicated in the transmission. The entity making
4	the request, and the court authorizing the request shall follow
5	the procedure under subsection (c) of Section 108-4 of the Code
6	of Criminal Procedure of 1963 which authorizes the electronic
7	issuance of search warrants.
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8	(Source: P.A. 98-1104, eff. 8-26-14.)