

1 AN ACT in relation to criminal law.

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

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding  
5 Section 17-2.1 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/17-2.1 new)

7 Sec. 17-2.1. False police badges. A person who  
8 manufactures, sells, trades, exhibits for sale, or offers for  
9 sale, an identification card or badge of a police  
10 organization, or a colorable imitation of an identification  
11 card or badge of a police organization, knowing that his or  
12 her conduct is not authorized by that organization, commits a  
13 Class 4 felony.

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
15 becoming a law.