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2 AMENDMENT NO. ____. Amend House Bill 4915 by replacing 3 the title with the following:

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4915

4 "AN ACT concerning local government."; and

5 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the 6 following:

7 "Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by 8 changing Section 1-4-6 as follows:

9 (65 ILCS 5/1-4-6) (from Ch. 24, par. 1-4-6)

10 Sec. 1-4-6. In case any injury to the person or property 11 another is caused by a member of the police department of of a municipality having a population of less than 500,000 while 12 the member is engaged in the performance of his or her duties 13 as a police officer, and without the contributory negligence 14 15 of the injured person or the owner of the injured property, or the agent or servant of the injured person or owner, 16 the municipality in whose behalf the member of the municipal 17 police department is performing his or her duties as police 18 officer shall indemnify the police officer for any judgment 19 recovered against him or her as the result of such injury, 20 21 except where the injury results from the wilful misconduct of

1 the police officer, to the extent of not to exceed \$1,000,000 2 \$500,000 including costs of the action. Any police officer, or any person who, at the time of performing such an act 3 4 complained of, was a police officer, who is made a party 5 defendant to any such action shall, within 20 1θ days of 6 service of process upon him or her, notify the municipality 7 by whom he or she is or was employed, of the fact that the action has been instituted, and that he or she has been made 8 9 a party defendant to the same. Such notice shall be in writing, and shall be filed in the office of the city 10 attorney or corporation counsel, if there is a city attorney 11 or corporation counsel, and also in the office of the 12 municipal clerk, either by himself, his or her agent, 13 or The notice shall state in substance, that such 14 attorney. police officer, (naming him or her), has been served with 15 16 process and made a party defendant to an action wherein it is claimed that a person has suffered injury to his or her 17 18 person or property caused by such police officer; stating the 19 title and number of the case; the court wherein the same is pending; and the date such police officer was served with 20 21 process in such action, and made a party defendant thereto. The municipality which is or may be liable to indemnify the 22 23 police officer shall have the right to intervene in the suit against the police officer, and shall be permitted to appear 24 25 and defend. The duty of the city to indemnify any such policeman for any judgment recovered against him shall be 26 conditioned upon receiving notice of the filing of any 27 such action in the manner and form hereinabove described. 28

For the purposes of this Section, no civilian defense worker, nor any member of any agency engaged in any civilian defense activity, performing services as a part of any civilian defense program, shall be considered to be a member of a municipal police department.

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If any person in obeying the command of any such

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1 policeman to assist in arresting or securing an offender is 2 killed or injured, or his or her property or that of his or her employer is damaged, and such death, injury or damage 3 4 arises out of and in the course of aiding such policeman in arresting, or endeavoring to arrest, a person or retaking or 5 endeavoring to re-take a person who has escaped from legal 6 7 custody, the person or employer so injured, or whose property 8 is so damaged, or the personal representatives of the person 9 so killed, shall have a cause of action to recover the amount of such damage or injury against the municipal corporation by 10 11 which such police officer is employed at the time such 12 command is obeyed.

If a police officer is acting within a municipality other 13 than his or her employing municipality under an agreement 14 pursuant to Section 11-1-2.1, the liability or obligation to 15 16 indemnify imposed by this Section does not extend to both municipalities. Only that municipality designated by the 17 agreement is subject to such liability or obligation to 18 19 indemnify, but, if the agreement is silent as to such 20 liability or obligation, then the municipality by which the 21 police officer is employed is subject to such liability or 22 obligation.

23 If a police officer is acting within a municipality other than his or her employing municipality under the provisions 24 25 of Section 1-4-8, the liability or obligation to indemnify imposed by this Section shall be the liability or obligation 26 of the requesting municipality only. The notice required in 27 this Section 1-4-6 shall be given to the municipality in 28 29 which he was acting if other than his employing municipality. (Source: P.A. 86-470.) 30

31 Section 10. The Local Governmental and Governmental 32 Employees Tort Immunity Act is amended by changing Section 33 9-102 as follows:

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(745 ILCS 10/9-102) (from Ch. 85, par. 9-102)

2 Sec. 9-102. A local public entity is empowered and 3 directed to pay any tort judgment or settlement for 4 compensatory damages, including attorney fees and costs, for 5 which it or an employee while acting within the scope of his 6 employment is liable in the manner provided in this Article. 7 All other provisions of this Article, including but not limited to the payment of judgments and settlements in 8 9 installments, the issuance of bonds, the maintenance of rates and charges, and the levy of taxes shall be equally 10 11 applicable to judgments or settlements relating to both a local public entity or an employee and those undertakings 12 assumed by a local public entity in intergovernmental joint 13 self-insurance contracts. A local public entity may make 14 payments to settle or compromise a claim or action which has 15 16 been or might be filed or instituted against it when the governing body or person vested by law or ordinance with 17 authority to make over-all policy decisions for such entity 18 19 considers it advisable to enter into such a settlement or compromise. 20

21 (Source: P.A. 84-1431.)".