- 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
- 5 changing Section 12-14 as follows:
- 6 (720 ILCS 5/12-14) (from Ch. 38, par. 12-14)
- 7 Sec. 12-14. Aggravated Criminal Sexual Assault.
- 8 (a) The accused commits aggravated criminal sexual
- 9 assault if he or she commits criminal sexual assault and any
- 10 of the following aggravating circumstances existed during, or
- 11 for the purposes of paragraph (7) of this subsection (a) as
- 12 part of the same course of conduct as, the commission of the
- 13 offense:
- 14 (1) the accused displayed, threatened to use, or
- used a dangerous weapon, other than a firearm, or any
- object fashioned or utilized in such a manner as to lead
- 17 the victim under the circumstances reasonably to believe
- it to be a dangerous weapon; or
- 19 (2) the accused caused bodily harm, except as
- 20 provided in subsection (a)(10), to the victim; or
- 21 (3) the accused acted in such a manner as to
- 22 threaten or endanger the life of the victim or any other
- 23 person; or
- 24 (4) the criminal sexual assault was perpetrated
- 25 during the course of the commission or attempted
- commission of any other felony by the accused; or
- (5) the victim was 60 years of age or over when the
- offense was committed; or
- 29 (6) the victim was a physically handicapped person;
- 30 or
- 31 (7) the accused delivered (by injection,

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- inhalation, ingestion, transfer of possession, or any other means) to the victim without his or her consent, or by threat or deception, and for other than medical purposes, any controlled substance; or
  - (8) the accused was armed with a firearm; or
  - (9) the accused personally discharged a firearm during the commission of the offense; or
    - (10) the accused, during the commission of the offense, personally discharged a firearm that proximately caused great bodily harm, permanent disability, permanent disfigurement, or death to another person.
- accused commits aggravated criminal sexual 12 The (b) assault if the accused was under 17 years of age and 13 commits an act of sexual penetration with a victim who was 14 15 under 9 years of age when the act was committed; or (ii) 16 commits an act of sexual penetration with a victim who was at least 9 years of age but under 13 years of age when the act 17 was committed and the accused used force or threat of force 18 19 to commit the act.
  - (c) The accused commits aggravated criminal sexual assault if he or she commits an act of sexual penetration with a victim who was a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person at the time the act was committed.
- 24 (d) Sentence.
- 25 (1) Aggravated criminal sexual assault in violation of paragraph  $\{1\}_7$  (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), or (7) of 26 subsection (a) or in violation of subsection (b) or (c) 27 is a Class X felony. A violation of subsection (a)(1) or 28 29 (a)(8) is a Class X felony for which 15 years shall be 30 added to the term of imprisonment imposed by the court. A violation of subsection (a)(9) is a Class X felony for 31 which 20 years shall be added to the term of imprisonment 32 imposed by the court. A violation of subsection (a)(10) 33 is a Class X felony for which 25 years or up to a term of 34

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natural life imprisonment shall be added to the term of imprisonment imposed by the court.

(2) A person who is convicted of a second or subsequent offense of aggravated criminal sexual assault, or who is convicted of the offense of aggravated criminal sexual assault after having previously been convicted of the offense of criminal sexual assault or the offense of predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, or who is convicted of the offense of aggravated criminal sexual assault after having previously been convicted under the laws of this or any other state of an offense that is substantially equivalent to the offense of criminal sexual assault, the offense of aggravated criminal sexual assault or the offense of predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, shall be sentenced to a term of natural life imprisonment. The commission of the second or subsequent offense is required to have been after the initial conviction for this paragraph (2) to apply.

19 (Source: P.A. 91-404, eff. 1-1-00; 92-434, eff. 1-1-02; 20 92-502, eff. 12-19-01.)