

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL NO: **HB 0044**

March 25, 2009

SPONSOR (S): Arroyo - Ford

SYSTEM(S): None

FISCAL IMPACT: HB 0044 will have no fiscal impact on any pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

SUBJECT MATTER: HB 0044 amends the Illinois Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act to prohibit the sale of certain energy drinks to a person less than 18 years of age.

FISCAL IMPACT: HB 0044 will have no fiscal impact on any pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

COMMENTS: HB 0044 will prohibit the sale or delivery of energy drinks containing stimulants to a person less than 18 years of age. Stimulants include, but are not limited to, caffeine, taurine or guarana. In case of any violations of the bill, the Director of the Department of Public Health will be authorized to file a complaint and seek a temporary and/or permanent restraining order or injunction.

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