COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL NO: **SB 0834, as engrossed** May 31, 2007

SPONSOR (S): Halvorson – Jones, E. (Phelps)

SYSTEM(S): None

FISCAL IMPACT: SB 0834, as engrossed, will have no fiscal impact on any pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

SUBJECT MATTER: SB 0834, as engrossed, amends the Illinois Municipal Code and Fire Protection District Act to provide that a person who has not qualified for a regular appointment shall not be used as a temporary or permanent substitute for a fully qualified member of any fire department.

FISCAL IMPACT: SB 0834, as engrossed, will have no fiscal impact on any pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

COMMENTS: Unqualified personnel may currently be used as temporary or permanent replacements for a fully qualified member of a municipality or fire district's fire department. SB 0834, as engrossed, amends the Illinois Municipal Code and Fire Protection District Act to provide that a person who has not qualified for a regular appointment shall not be used as a temporary employee or permanent substitute for a classified member of a municipality's fire department or a certified member of a fire district's fire department. SB 0834, as engrossed, also preempts the concurrent exercise of home rule powers.

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