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To the Honorable Members of the Illinois House of Representatives 95th General Assembly

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 9(b) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby veto House Bill 3504, entitled "AN ACT concerning government." I recognize and appreciate the hard work of all the sponsors in passing this legislation. However, I believe that the provisions of the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act should extend to community college districts.

For this reason, I hereby veto and return House Bill 3504.

Sincerely,

ROD R. BLAGOJEVICH Governor