

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD**

COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION

For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016

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Ms. Alyssa Williams-Schafer

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SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD

MANAGEMENT ASSERTION LETTER

March 3, 2017

Honorable Frank J. Mautino
Auditor General
State of Illinois
Iles Park Plaza
740 East Ash Street
Springfield, IL 62703

Auditor General Mautino:

We are responsible for the identification of, and compliance with, all aspects of laws, regulations, contracts, or grant agreements that could have a material effect on the operations of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board. We are responsible for and we have established and maintained an effective system of internal controls over compliance requirements. We have performed an evaluation of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's compliance with the following assertions during the two-year period ended June 30, 2016. Based on this evaluation, we assert that during the years ended June 30, 2015, and June 30, 2016, the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has materially complied with the assertions below.

- A. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has obligated, expended, received, and used public funds of the State in accordance with the purpose for which such funds have been appropriated or otherwise authorized by law.
- B. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has obligated, expended, received, and used public funds of the State in accordance with any limitations, restrictions, conditions, or mandatory directions imposed by law upon such obligation, expenditure, receipt, or use.
- C. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has complied, in all material respects, with applicable laws and regulations, including the State uniform accounting system, in its financial and fiscal operations.

Yours truly,

State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board

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Alyssa Williams-Schafer, Chairperson

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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COMPLIANCE REPORT

SUMMARY

The compliance testing performed during this examination was conducted in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and in accordance with the Illinois State Auditing Act.

ACCOUNTANT’S REPORT

The Independent Accountant’s Report on State Compliance, on Internal Control Over Compliance, and on Supplementary Information for State Compliance Purposes does not contain scope limitations, disclaimers, or other significant non-standard language.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

<u>Number of</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>Prior</u>
Findings	<u>Report</u>	<u>Report</u>
Repeated findings	0	1
Prior recommendations implemented or not repeated	0	0
	1	1

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Page</u>	<u>Description</u>
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FINDINGS (STATE COMPLIANCE)

The Sex Offender Management Board did not have any current findings.

PRIOR FINDING NOT REPEATED

A	7	Voucher processing weaknesses
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EXIT CONFERENCE

The Sex Offender Management Board waived an exit conference in correspondence dated March 3, 2017.

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FRANK J. MAUTINO

INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON STATE COMPLIANCE,
ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE, AND ON
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR STATE COMPLIANCE PURPOSES

Honorable Frank J. Mautino
Auditor General
State of Illinois

Compliance

We have examined the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's compliance with the requirements listed below, as more fully described in the Audit Guide for Financial Audits and Compliance Attestation Engagements of Illinois State Agencies (Audit Guide) as adopted by the Auditor General, during the two years ended June 30, 2016. The management of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board is responsible for compliance with these requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's compliance based on our examination.

- A. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has obligated, expended, received, and used public funds of the State in accordance with the purpose for which such funds have been appropriated or otherwise authorized by law.
- B. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has obligated, expended, received, and used public funds of the State in accordance with any limitations, restrictions, conditions, or mandatory directions imposed by law upon such obligation, expenditure, receipt, or use.
- C. The State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board has complied, in all material respects, with applicable laws and regulations, including the State uniform accounting system, in its financial and fiscal operations.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; the standards applicable to attestation engagements contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; the Illinois State Auditing Act (Act); and the Audit Guide as adopted by the Auditor General pursuant to the Act; and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's compliance with those

requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report during the two years ended June 30, 2016.

Internal Control

Management of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report. In planning and performing our examination, we considered the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's internal control over compliance with the requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report to determine the examination procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Audit Guide, issued by the Illinois Office of the Auditor General, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with the requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report on a timely basis. *A material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a requirement listed in the first paragraph of this report will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. *A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

As required by the Audit Guide, an immaterial finding excluded from this report has been reported in a separate letter.

Supplementary Information for State Compliance Purposes

Our examination was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on compliance with the requirements listed in the first paragraph of this report. The accompanying supplementary information for the years ended June 30, 2016, and June 30, 2015, in Schedules 1 through 6 and the Analysis of Operations Section is presented for purposes of additional analysis. We have applied certain limited procedures as prescribed by the Audit Guide as adopted by the Auditor General to the June 30, 2016, and June 30, 2015, accompanying supplementary information in Schedules 1 through 6. However, we do not express an opinion on the accompanying supplementary information.

We have not applied procedures to the June 30, 2014, accompanying supplementary information in Schedules 3 through 5 and in the Analysis of Operations Section, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Auditor General, the General Assembly, the Legislative Audit Commission, the Governor, and the State of Illinois, Sex Offender Management Board's membership and management, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

SIGNED ORIGINAL ON FILE

BRUCE L. BULLARD, CPA
Director of Financial and Compliance Audits

Springfield, Illinois
March 3, 2017

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD
PRIOR FINDING NOT REPEATED
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016

A. **FINDING** (Voucher processing weaknesses)

During the prior examination period, the Sex Offender Management Board (Board) processed four of four (100%) vouchers 172 and 173 days late. In addition, one of four (25%) vouchers tested accrued a required interest payment of \$40 which was not paid by the Board.

During the current examination period, the auditors' testing indicated the Board timely approved its vouchers and had no interest that was payable. (Finding Code No. 2014-001)

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR STATE COMPLIANCE PURPOSES

SUMMARY

Supplementary Information for State Compliance Purposes presented in this section of the report includes the following:

- Fiscal Schedules and Analysis:
 - Schedule of Appropriations, Expenditures, and Lapsed Balances – Fiscal Year 2016
 - Schedule of Appropriations, Expenditures, and Lapsed Balances – Fiscal Year 2015
 - Comparative Schedule of Net Appropriations, Expenditures, and Lapsed Balances
 - Schedule of Changes in State Property
 - Analysis of Significant Variations in Expenditures
 - Analysis of Significant Lapse Period Spending

- Analysis of Operations (Not Examined):
 - Agency Functions and Planning Program (Not Examined)
 - Budget Impasse Disclosures (Not Examined)
 - Alternative Financing in Lieu of Appropriations and Programs to Address Untimely Payments to Vendors (Not Examined)
 - Interest Costs on Fiscal Year 2016 Invoices (Not Examined)
 - Average Number of Employees (Not Examined)
 - Service Efforts and Accomplishments (Not Examined)

The accountant's report that covers the Supplementary Information for State Compliance Purposes presented in the Compliance Report Section states the accountants have applied certain limited procedures as prescribed by the Audit Guide as adopted by the Auditor General to the June 30, 2016, and June 30, 2015, accompanying supplementary information in Schedules 1 through 6. However, the accountants do not express an opinion on the supplementary information. The accountant's report also states that they have not applied procedures to the Analysis of Operations Section, and accordingly, they do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD
COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION
SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES, AND LAPSED BALANCES
Expenditure Authority for Fiscal Year 2016

For the Fourteen Months Ended August 31, 2016

	Expenditure Authority (Net of Transfers)	Lapse Period Expenditures		Total Expenditures 14 Months Ended August 31	Balances Lapsed August 31
		Through June 30	July 1 to August 31		
Public Act 99-0524					
FISCAL YEAR 2016					
<u>APPROPRIATED FUNDS</u>					
Sex Offender Management Board Fund Fund - 527					
Evaluation, Treatment, and Monitoring Programs and Grants	\$ 100,000	-	\$ 2,350	\$ 2,350	\$ 97,650
Total, Fund 527	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 97,650</u>
Subtotal - Appropriated Funds	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 97,650</u>
GRAND TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

- Note 1: Expenditure authority, appropriations, expenditures, and lapsed balances were obtained from the State Comptroller records as of September 30, 2016, and have been reconciled to Board records.
- Note 2: Expenditure amounts are vouchers approved for payment by the Board and submitted to the State Comptroller for payment to the vendor.
- Note 3: During Fiscal Year 2016, the Board operated without enacted appropriations until Public Act 099-0524 was signed into law on June 30, 2016. The Board incurred non-payroll obligations within Fund 527, which the Board was unable to pay until the passage of Public Act 099-0524.
- Note 4: Public Act 099-0524 authorizes the Board to pay Fiscal Year 2016 costs using its Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations for non-payroll expenditures. The Analysis of Operations section of this report at page 17 includes information from Board management about the number of invoices held by the Board to be submitted against its Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations.

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COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION
SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES, AND LAPSED BALANCES
Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2015

For the Fourteen Months Ended August 31, 2015

	Appropriations (Net of Transfers)	Lapse Period		Total Expenditures 14 Months Ended August 31	Balances Lapsed August 31
		Expenditures July 1 to August 31	Expenditures Through June 30		
Public Act 98-0681					
FISCAL YEAR 2015					
<u>APPROPRIATED FUNDS</u>					
Sex Offender Management Board Fund Fund - 527					
Evaluation, Treatment, and Monitoring Programs and Grants	\$ 100,000	\$ 2,955	\$ 188	\$ 3,143	\$ 96,857
Total, Fund 527	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,955</u>	<u>\$ 188</u>	<u>\$ 3,143</u>	<u>\$ 96,857</u>
Subtotal - Appropriated Funds	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,955</u>	<u>\$ 188</u>	<u>\$ 3,143</u>	<u>\$ 96,857</u>
GRAND TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,955</u>	<u>\$ 188</u>	<u>\$ 3,143</u>	<u>\$ 96,857</u>

Note 1: Expenditure authority, appropriations, expenditures, and lapsed balances were obtained from the State Comptroller records as of August 31, 2015, and have been reconciled to Board records.

Note 2: Expenditure amounts are vouchers approved for payment by the Board and submitted to the State Comptroller for payment to the vendor.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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**COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF NET APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES, AND
LAPSED BALANCES**
For the Years Ended June 30,

	Fiscal Year		
	2016	2015	2014
Sex Offender Management Board	P.A. 99-0524	P.A. 98-0681	P.A. 98-0050
Appropriations (Net of Transfers)	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>
<u>Expenditures</u>			
Evaluation, Treatment, and Monitoring Programs and Grants	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 3,143</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 2,350</u>	<u>\$ 3,143</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Lapsed Balances	<u><u>\$ 97,650</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 96,857</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 100,000</u></u>

Note 1: Fiscal Year 2016 expenditure authority, appropriations, expenditures, and lapsed balances were obtained from the State Comptroller records as of September 30, 2016, and have been reconciled to Board records.

Note 2: Fiscal Year 2015 appropriations, expenditures, and lapsed balances were obtained from the State Comptroller records as of August 31, 2015, and have been reconciled to Board records.

Note 3: Expenditure amounts are vouchers approved for payment by the Board and submitted to the State Comptroller for payment to the vendor.

Note 4: During Fiscal Year 2016, the Board operated without enacted appropriations until Public Act 099-0524 was signed into law on June 30, 2016. The Board incurred non-payroll obligations within Fund 527, which the Board was unable to pay until the passage of Public Act 099-0524.

Note 5: Public Act 099-0524 authorizes the Board to pay Fiscal Year 2016 costs using its Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations for non-payroll expenditures. The Analysis of Operations section of this report at page 17 includes information from Board management about the number of invoices held by the Board to be submitted against its Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN STATE PROPERTY
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016

Balance at July 1, 2014	\$	3,522
Additions		-
Deletions		-
Net Transfers		-
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Balance at June 30, 2015	\$	3,522
Additions		-
Deletions		-
Net Transfers		-
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Balance at June 30, 2016	<u>\$</u>	<u>3,522</u>

Note: This schedule has been derived from the Board's records which have been reconciled to property reports submitted to the Office of the State Comptroller.

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ANALYSIS OF SIGNIFICANT VARIATIONS IN EXPENDITURES
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016

ANALYSIS OF SIGNIFICANT VARIATIONS IN EXPENDITURES BETWEEN FISCAL YEARS 2015 AND 2016

Sex Offender Management Board Fund - 0527

No significant variations in expenditures between Fiscal Years 2015 and 2016 were noted.

ANALYSIS OF SIGNIFICANT VARIATIONS IN EXPENDITURES BETWEEN FISCAL YEARS 2014 AND 2015

Sex Offender Management Board Fund - 0527

The increase in expenditures from Fiscal Year 2014 to Fiscal Year 2015 was due to an increase in the cost of trainings provided by the Board.

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ANALYSIS OF SIGNIFICANT LAPSE PERIOD SPENDING
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016

FISCAL YEAR 2016

Expenditures were paid during the lapse period due to the budget impasse and the passage of Public Act 99-0524 on June 30, 2016.

FISCAL YEAR 2015

No significant lapse period spending during Fiscal Year 2015 was noted.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD
AGENCY FUNCTIONS AND PLANNING PROGRAM
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

The Sex Offender Management Board (Board) was established by the Sex Offender Management Board Act (Act) (20 ILCS 4026/1 et seq.) on July 22, 1997. From the date of creation until December 31, 2012, the Board was required to standardize the evaluation, identification, counseling, and continued monitoring of sex offenders at each stage of the criminal or juvenile justice systems or mental health systems. The Act was revised as of January 1, 2013, and now requires the Board to assist in the education and training of parole, probation, law enforcement, treatment providers, and others involved in the management of sex offenders. This program standardizes the evaluation, treatment, and management of sex offenders at each stage of the criminal or juvenile justice systems or mental health systems so those offenders will curtail recidivistic behavior, enhancing the protection of victims and potential victims.

The Board's mission is "to provide information and resources necessary for the effective management of juvenile and adult sex offenders in an effort to enhance public safety." The Board established the goals as follows:

- Maintain practice standards for the evaluation and management of sex offenders to be implemented with offenders in the custody of, or under the supervision of, the Department of Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice, or the Department of Human Services.
 - Periodically review and modify, as necessary, the standardized procedures based upon best practices.
- Provide education and training to promote the utilization of best practices for the effective management of sex offenders.
 - Provide a minimum of two trainings annually to parole, probation, law enforcement, victim's advocates, treatment providers, and others involved in the management of sex offenders on best practices for the evaluation, treatment, and supervision of sex offenders.

BOARD

As a result of Public Act 97-1098, effective January 1, 2013, the Board is currently composed of 22 members, 10 appointed by the Governor, six appointed by the Attorney General from various State agencies or law enforcement entities, and the remaining six appointments filled by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, the Cook County's State's Attorney, the Director of the State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor, the Cook County Public Defender, the State Appellate Defender, and the Executive Director of the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD
AGENCY FUNCTIONS AND PLANNING PROGRAM
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

The members of the Board as of June 30, 2016, were:

Gubernatorial Appointee

Alyssa Williams-Shafer, Chairperson, Department of Corrections Representative
Vacant, Illinois Probation and Court Services Association Representative
Jeff Sim, Department of Juvenile Justice Representative
Michael Bednarz, Department of Human Services Representative
Tracie Newton, Department of State Police Representative
Richard Winkler, Department of Children and Family Services Representative
Shawn Albert, Law Enforcement Representative – Juvenile Sex Offender Experience
Vern Foli, Law Enforcement
Michael Anton, President of the Illinois Polygraph Society
Guy Groot, Illinois Chapter of the Association for Treatment of Sexual Abusers Representative

Attorney General Appointee

Margaret Menzenberger, Office of the Attorney General Representative
Abdi Tinwalla, Mental Health Provider Representative
Brendan Kelly, State's Attorney – Juvenile Court Matters
Jason Chambers, State's Attorney – Felony Court Matters
Carol Corgan, Sexual Assault Victim's Advocate Representative
Mickie Owens, Sexual Assault Victim's Advocate Representative

Director of the Administrative Office of Illinois Courts

Michael Tardy

Cook County State's Attorney Representative

Annette Milleville

Director of the State's Attorney Appellate Prosecutor

Patrick Delfino

Cook County Public Defender's Office Representative

Elizabeth Tarzia

Office of the State Appellate Defender Representative

Jacqueline Bullard

Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority Representative

Simeon Kim

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD
COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION
BUDGET IMPASSE DISCLOSURES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

Payment of Fiscal Year 2016 Costs in Future Fiscal Years

Article 74 of Public Act 99-0524 authorized the Sex Offender Management Board (Board) to pay Fiscal Year 2016 costs using the Board's Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations for non-payroll expenditures. The Board did not have any outstanding invoices from Fiscal Year 2016 unpaid after the closure of the Fiscal Year 2016 Lapse Period on August 31, 2016. Therefore, the Board did not use its Fiscal Year 2017 appropriations to pay its Fiscal Year 2016 costs.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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**ALTERNATIVE FINANCING IN LIEU OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
PROGRAMS TO ADDRESS UNTIMELY PAYMENTS TO VENDORS**
For the Year Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

Transactions Involving the Illinois Finance Authority

The Sex Offender Management Board and its vendors did not participate in alternative financing in lieu of enacted appropriations involving the Illinois Finance Authority during Fiscal Year 2016.

Transactions Involving the Vendor Payment Program and Vendor Support Initiative Program

None of the Sex Offender Management Board's vendors participated in the Vendor Payment Program (VPP) or the Vendor Support Initiative Program (VSI) during Fiscal Year 2015 and Fiscal Year 2016.

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INTEREST COSTS ON FISCAL YEAR 2016 INVOICES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

Prompt Payment Interest Costs

As of June 30, 2016, the Sex Offender Management Board (Board) did not incur any prompt payment interest due to vendors under the State Prompt Payment Act (Act) (30 ILCS 540).

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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AVERAGE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

The Sex Offender Management Board (Board) did not have any employees during the examination period. The Board relied upon staff of the Department of Corrections during the examination period to perform all administrative and fiscal functions of the Board.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
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SERVICE EFFORTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

Trainings Provided

The Sex Offender Management Board (Board) offered four trainings during the examination period. They were as follows:

October 1, 2014, November 19, 2014, and May 5, 2015

Sex Offenders – What You Need to Know

The first session examined who are sexual offenders, including their similarities and differences from each other and the non-offending population. It addressed and corrected common misconceptions about sexual offense recidivism, provided a basic understanding of the science and process of sex offense recidivism risk assessment, and explained the components of appropriate sex offense specific treatment programming.

The second session educated attendees on the basics of the Sexually Dangerous Persons Act (725 ILCS 205) and the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act (725 ILCS 207). It addressed the history and the purpose of each act and compared and contrasted the two acts with respect to when they are used, why they are used, and the process involved in obtaining the order of civil commitment under each act. Also, the session addressed what a civil commitment means for the offender and explains the processes for conditional release of a person committed as a Sexually Dangerous or Sexually Violent Person.

The third session discussed the registration requirements for offenders under both registries. It also discussed all felony residency and loitering restrictions that apply to all child sex offenders and all misdemeanor park restrictions that apply to all child sex offenders and sexual predators.

October 26, 2015

Current Practice in Comprehensive Juvenile Sexual Risk Assessment and its Implications for Treatment

The training reviewed and discussed current practices and perspectives in the assessment of sexual risk assessment for juveniles, including the process of risk assessment, contemporary approaches to juvenile risk evaluation, and an overview of the research into risk assessment instruments. Additionally, the training described the connection and intersection between risk assessment and treatment, in which the risk assessment process provides an important foundation for the treatment process, and in turn, the treatment process shapes and influences interim risk re-assessment over time.

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SERVICE EFFORTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS
For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2016
(Not Examined)

June 8, 2016

Child Trafficking in the United States: An Introduction to Polices, Practices, and Systems

The seminar provided a brief introduction to definitions of child trafficking, case examples, and an overview of major policy initiatives and practices addressing child trafficking cases through a systems-based approach.

June 29, 2016

Registration for Corrections Professionals

The course provided information regarding all aspects of the Sex Offender Registration Act (730 ILCS 150). Additionally, the training discussed all felony residency and loitering restrictions that apply to all child sex offenders and all misdemeanor park restrictions that apply to all child sex offenders and sexual predators. Finally, the course discussed an outline and understanding of the processes and documentation required for registration, updates and notification of sex offenders.