

1 AN ACT concerning veterans.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Service Member Civil Relief Act is
5 amended by adding Sections 13 as follows:

6 (330 ILCS 63/13 new)

7 Sec. 13. Contract termination.

8 (a) Any person or service member who enters military
9 service may, at any time after receiving military orders to
10 relocate for a period of service of at least 90 days, terminate
11 or suspend any of the following contracts for services:

12 (1) internet services;

13 (2) television and cable services;

14 (3) athletic club or gym memberships; and

15 (4) satellite radio services.

16 (b) Termination or suspension of a contract under this
17 Section must be made by delivery of a written or electronic
18 notice, along with a copy of the service member's official
19 military orders calling him or her to military service, to the
20 specified service provider. A termination or suspension under
21 this Section is effective on the day notice is given under this
22 subsection (b). A service member who terminates or suspends a
23 contract for services under this Section, and who is no longer

1 in active military service, may reinstate the provision of
2 service upon providing written or electronic notice to the
3 service provider that he or she is no longer on active military
4 service.

5 (c) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to conflict
6 with the provisions of the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief
7 Act, or any other applicable provision of this Act.

8 (d) The provisions of this Section shall only apply to
9 contracts entered into on and after the effective date of this
10 amendatory Act of the 100th General Assembly.