

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

4 Section 5. The University of Illinois Hospital Act is
5 amended by adding Section 8b as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 330/8b new)

7 Sec. 8b. Closed captioning required. The University of
8 Illinois Hospital must make reasonable efforts to have
9 activated at all times the closed captioning feature on a
10 television in a common area provided for use by the general
11 public or in a patient's room or to enable the closed
12 captioning feature when requested to do so by a member of the
13 general public or a patient if the television includes a closed
14 captioning feature.

15 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
16 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the University
17 of Illinois Hospital's staff after such feature is enabled in a
18 common area or in a patient's room unless the deactivation of
19 the closed captioning feature is knowing or intentional. It is
20 not a violation of this Section if the closed captioning
21 feature is deactivated by a member of the general public, a
22 patient, or a member of the University of Illinois Hospital's
23 staff at the request of a patient of the University of Illinois

1 Hospital.

2 If the University of Illinois Hospital does not have a
3 television that includes a closed captioning feature, then the
4 University of Illinois Hospital must ensure that all
5 televisions obtained for common areas and patient rooms after
6 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General
7 Assembly include a closed captioning feature. This Section does
8 not affect any other provision of law relating to disability
9 discrimination or providing reasonable accommodations or
10 diminish the rights of a person with a disability under any
11 other law.

12 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
13 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
14 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the
15 action of a program simultaneously.

16 Section 10. The Alternative Health Care Delivery Act is
17 amended by adding Section 35.5 as follows:

18 (210 ILCS 3/35.5 new)

19 Sec. 35.5. Closed captioning required. An alternative
20 health care model licensed under this Act must make reasonable
21 efforts to have activated at all times the closed captioning
22 feature on a television in a common area provided for use by
23 the general public or in a patient's room, or enable the closed
24 captioning feature when requested to do so by a member of the

1 general public or a patient, if the television includes a
2 closed captioning feature.

3 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
4 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the
5 alternative health care model's staff after such feature is
6 enabled in a common area or in a patient's room unless the
7 deactivation of the closed captioning feature is knowing or
8 intentional. It is not a violation of this Section if the
9 closed captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the
10 general public, a patient, or a member of the alternative
11 health care model's staff at the request of a patient of the
12 alternative health care model licensed under this Act.

13 If the alternative health care model licensed under this
14 Act does not have a television that includes a closed
15 captioning feature, then the alternative health care model
16 licensed under this Act must ensure that all televisions
17 obtained for common areas and patient rooms after the effective
18 date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly
19 include a closed captioning feature. This Section does not
20 affect any other provision of law relating to disability
21 discrimination or providing reasonable accommodations or
22 diminish the rights of a person with a disability under any
23 other law.

24 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
25 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
26 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the

1 action of a program simultaneously.

2 Section 15. The Ambulatory Surgical Treatment Center Act is
3 amended by adding Section 7c as follows:

4 (210 ILCS 5/7c new)

5 Sec. 7c. Closed captioning required. An ambulatory
6 surgical treatment center licensed under this Act must make
7 reasonable efforts to have activated at all times the closed
8 captioning feature on a television in a common area provided
9 for use by the general public or in a patient's room, or enable
10 the closed captioning feature when requested to do so by a
11 member of the general public or a patient, if the television
12 includes a closed captioning feature.

13 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
14 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the ambulatory
15 surgical treatment center's staff after such feature is enabled
16 in a common area or in a patient's room unless the deactivation
17 of the closed captioning feature is knowing or intentional. It
18 is not a violation of this Section if the closed captioning
19 feature is deactivated by a member of the general public, a
20 patient, or a member of the ambulatory surgical treatment
21 center's staff at the request of a patient of the ambulatory
22 surgical treatment center licensed under this Act.

23 If the ambulatory surgical treatment center licensed under
24 this Act does not have a television that includes a closed

1 captioning feature, then the ambulatory surgical treatment
2 center licensed under this Act must ensure that all televisions
3 obtained for common areas and patient rooms after the effective
4 date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly
5 include a closed captioning feature. This Section does not
6 affect any other provision of law relating to disability
7 discrimination or providing reasonable accommodations or
8 diminish the rights of a person with a disability under any
9 other law.

10 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
11 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
12 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the
13 action of a program simultaneously.

14 Section 20. The Community Living Facilities Licensing Act
15 is amended by adding Section 5.5 as follows:

16 (210 ILCS 35/5.5 new)

17 Sec. 5.5. Closed captioning required. A Community Living
18 Facility licensed under this Act must make reasonable efforts
19 to have activated at all times the closed captioning feature on
20 a television in a common area provided for use by the general
21 public or in a resident's room, or enable the closed captioning
22 feature when requested to do so by a member of the general
23 public or a resident, if the television includes a closed
24 captioning feature.

1 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
2 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the Community
3 Living Facility's staff after such feature is enabled in a
4 common area or in a resident's room unless the deactivation of
5 the closed captioning feature is knowing or intentional. It is
6 not a violation of this Section if the closed captioning
7 feature is deactivated by a member of the general public, a
8 resident, or a member of the a Community Living Facility's
9 staff at the request of a resident of the Community Living
10 Facility licensed under this Act.

11 If a Community Living Facility licensed under this Act does
12 not have a television in a common area that includes a closed
13 captioning feature, then the Community Living Facility
14 licensed under this Act must ensure that all televisions
15 obtained for common areas after the effective date of this
16 amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly include a closed
17 captioning feature. This Section does not affect any other
18 provision of law relating to disability discrimination or
19 providing reasonable accommodations or diminish the rights of a
20 person with a disability under any other law. Nothing in this
21 Section shall apply to televisions that are privately owned by
22 a resident or third party and not owned by the Community Living
23 Facility.

24 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
25 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
26 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the

1 action of a program simultaneously.

2 Section 25. The Nursing Home Care Act is amended by adding
3 Section 3-801.2 as follows:

4 (210 ILCS 45/3-801.2 new)

5 Sec. 3-801.2. Closed captioning required. A facility
6 licensed under this Act must make reasonable efforts to have
7 activated at all times the closed captioning feature on a
8 television in a common area provided for use by the general
9 public or in a resident's room, or enable the closed captioning
10 feature when requested to do so by a member of the general
11 public or a resident, if the television includes a closed
12 captioning feature.

13 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
14 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the facility's
15 staff after such feature is enabled in a common area or in a
16 resident's room unless the deactivation of the closed
17 captioning feature is knowing or intentional. It is not a
18 violation of this Section if the closed captioning feature is
19 deactivated by a member of the general public, a resident, or a
20 member of the facility's staff at the request of a resident of
21 a facility licensed under this Act.

22 If a facility licensed under this Act does not have a
23 television in a common area that includes a closed captioning
24 feature, then the facility licensed under this Act must ensure

1 that all televisions obtained for common areas after the
2 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General
3 Assembly include a closed captioning feature. This Section does
4 not affect any other provision of law relating to disability
5 discrimination or providing reasonable accommodations or
6 diminish the rights of a person with a disability under any
7 other law. Nothing in this Section shall apply to televisions
8 that are privately owned by a resident or third party and not
9 owned by the facility.

10 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
11 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
12 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the
13 action of a program simultaneously.

14 Section 40. The Specialized Mental Health Rehabilitation
15 Act of 2013 is amended by adding Section 2-101.5 as follows:

16 (210 ILCS 49/2-101.5 new)

17 Sec. 2-101.5. Closed captioning required. A facility
18 licensed under this Act must make reasonable efforts to have
19 activated at all times the closed captioning feature on a
20 television in a common area provided for use by the general
21 public or in a consumer's room, or enable the closed captioning
22 feature when requested to do so by a member of the general
23 public or a consumer, if the television includes a closed
24 captioning feature.

1 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
2 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the facility's
3 staff after such feature is enabled in a common area or in a
4 consumer's room unless the deactivation of the closed
5 captioning feature is knowing or intentional. It is not a
6 violation of this Section if the closed captioning feature is
7 deactivated by a member of the general public, a consumer, or a
8 member of the facility's staff at the request of a consumer of
9 a facility licensed under this Act.

10 If a facility licensed under this Act does not have a
11 television in a common area that includes a closed captioning
12 feature, then the facility licensed under this Act must ensure
13 that all televisions obtained for common areas after the
14 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General
15 Assembly include a closed captioning feature. This Section does
16 not affect any other provision of law relating to disability
17 discrimination or providing reasonable accommodations or
18 diminish the rights of a person with a disability under any
19 other law. Nothing in this Section shall apply to televisions
20 that are privately owned by a resident or third party and not
21 owned by the facility.

22 As used in this Section, "closed captioning" means a text
23 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
24 deaf or hard of hearing viewer to follow the dialogue and the
25 action of a program simultaneously.

1 Section 45. The Hospital Licensing Act is amended by adding
2 Section 11.8 as follows:

3 (210 ILCS 85/11.8 new)

4 Sec. 11.8. Closed captioning required. A hospital licensed
5 under this Act must make reasonable efforts to have activated
6 at all times the closed captioning feature on a television in a
7 common area provided for use by the general public or in a
8 patient's room, or enable the closed captioning feature when
9 requested to do so by a member of the general public or a
10 patient, if the television includes a closed captioning
11 feature.

12 It is not a violation of this Section if the closed
13 captioning feature is deactivated by a member of the hospital's
14 staff after such feature is enabled in a common area or in a
15 patient's room unless the deactivation of the closed captioning
16 feature is knowing or intentional. It is not a violation of
17 this Section if the closed captioning feature is deactivated by
18 a member of the general public, a patient, or a member of the
19 hospital's staff at the request of a patient of a hospital
20 licensed under this Act.

21 If a hospital licensed under this Act does not have a
22 television that includes a closed captioning feature, then the
23 hospital must ensure that all televisions obtained for common
24 areas and patient rooms after the effective date of this
25 amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly include a closed

1 captioning feature. This Section does not affect any other
2 provision of law relating to disability discrimination or
3 providing reasonable accommodations or diminish the rights of a
4 person with a disability under any other law.

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6 display of spoken words presented on a television that allows a
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8 action of a program simultaneously.

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