

SB1734



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

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Introduced 2/26/2021, by Sen. Emil Jones, III

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

765 ILCS 835/14.6 new

Amends the Cemetery Protection Act. Requires a court order before a cemetery may disinter deceased human remains from a multiple-depth burial plot if the involved decedent is not located within a concrete outer burial container and if the involved decedent was interred 10 or more years ago.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

4 Section 5. The Cemetery Protection Act is amended by
5 adding Section 14.6 as follows:

6 (765 ILCS 835/14.6 new)

7 Sec. 14.6. Disinterment of deceased human remains from
8 multiple depth burial plots. To help safeguard against the
9 unnecessary disruption of other deceased human remains, and in
10 recognition of the difficulty in identifying human remains
11 after the decomposition process has progressed over time, a
12 court order shall be required before a cemetery may disinter
13 deceased human remains from a multiple-depth burial plot if
14 the involved decedent is not located within a concrete outer
15 burial container and if the involved decedent was interred 10
16 or more years ago.