

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2023 and 2024 HB3515

Introduced 2/17/2023, by Rep. Dan Caulkins

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

815 ILCS 505/2BBBB new

Amends the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act. Provides that a company that provides goods or services to customers in the State of Illinois must make available to its customers, at no cost, a customer support service to address customer issues and complaints during the hours the company regularly conducts business. Provides that a customer support service must respond to all customers within 24 hours after a customer contacts the service and must solve a customer's issue or complaint within 48 hours after a customer contacts the service. Provides that a company that violates these provisions commits an unlawful practice within the meaning of the Act.

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1 AN ACT concerning business.

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

- Section 5. The Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business

 Practices Act is amended by adding Section 2BBBB as follows:
- 6 (815 ILCS 505/2BBBB new)
- 7 Sec. 2BBBB. Customer support service. A company that 8 provides goods or services to customers in the State of 9 Illinois must make available to its customers, at no cost, a customer support service to address customer issues and 10 complaints during the hours the company regularly conducts 11 12 business. A customer support service must respond to all customers within 24 hours after a customer contacts the 13 14 service and must solve a customer's issue or complaint within 48 hours after a customer contacts the service. A company that 15 16 violates this Section commits an unlawful practice within the 17 meaning of this Act.