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09300SB2548sam001 LRB093 19533 RAS 47907 a AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2548 1 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 2548 on page 2, by 3 replacing line 13 with the following: "canceled during the past 10 years"; and 4 on page 3, by replacing line 23 with the following: 5 6 "not preempt or preclude additional appropriate civil or criminal penalties."; and on page 3, line 36, after "matters", by inserting "or provide" 8 any other assistance that requires legal analysis, legal 9 judgment, or interpretation of the law"; and 10 on page 4, by replacing lines 16 and 17 with the following: 11 "(e) No notary public who is not an attorney or an 12 13 accredited representative shall accept payment in exchange for providing legal advice or any other assistance that requires 14 legal analysis, legal judgment, or interpretation of the law."; 15 16 and 17 on page 5, by replacing lines 4 through 16 with the following: "who is not an attorney or an accredited representative filling 18 19 out immigration <del>legalization</del> forms <del>or applications related to</del> the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 shall be limited 20 to the following as follows: 21 (1) \$10 per form completion \$75 per person; 22

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1 (2) \$10 per page for the translation o	<u>t a non-English</u>
2 <u>language into English where such translation</u>	is required for
3 <u>immigration forms</u> \$75 per person up to 4 perso	ns per immediate
4 <del>family, with no additional charge for a fift</del>	<del>h or subsequent</del>

person where all persons are legally related;

- (3) \$1 for notarizing \$10 per page for the translation of a non English language into English where such translation is required for legalization forms;
- (4) \$3 to execute any procedures necessary to obtain a document required to complete immigration forms \$1 for notarizing; and
- (5) A maximum of \$75 for one complete application \$3 to 12 execute any procedures necessary to obtain a document required 13 to complete legalization forms."; and 14
- 15 on page 5, by replacing lines 18 through 20 with the following:
- "application fees required to be submitted with <a href="immigration">immigration</a> 16
- 17 applications a legalization application in conformity with the
- Immigration and Control Act of 1986."; and 18
- 19 on page 5, line 34, after "subsection", by inserting "within 90
- days of receipt of a complaint,"; and 20
- 21 on page 6, by replacing lines 17 and 18 with the following:
- 22 "that arises under action of the United States Citizenship and
- 23 Immigration Services Immigration and Naturalization Service,
- the United States Department of Labor,"; and 24
- 25 on page 6, by replacing lines 20 through 23 with the following:
- 26 ""Immigration assistance service" means any advice, 27  $guidance_{r}$  information<sub>r</sub> or action provided or offered to 28 customers or prospective customers related to immigration matters, excluding legal advice, recommending a specific 29
- course of legal action, or providing any other assistance that 30

- requires legal analysis, legal judgment, or interpretation of 1
- the law relating to any immigration matter."; and 2
- 3 on page 9, by replacing lines 7 through 11 with the following:
- "Fees for a notary public, agency, or any other person who 4
- is not an attorney or an accredited representative filling out 5
- immigration forms shall be limited to the maximum fees set 6
- forth in subsections (a) and (b) of Section 3-104 of the Notary 7
- Public Act (5 ILCS 312/3-104) The Attorney General may 8
- promulgate rules establishing maximum fees that may be charged 9
- for the services described in this subsection. The 10
- must be reasonable in light of the costs of providing those 11
- services and the degree of professional skill required to 12
- 13 provide the services."; and
- on page 11, by replacing lines 2 through 4 with the following: 14
- "Any person who provides or offers immigration assistance 15
- 16 service and is not exempted from this Section shall not, in any
- document, advertisement, stationery, letterhead, business 17
- 18 card, or other comparable written material,"; and
- 19 on page 11, by replacing lines 16 through 21 with the
- 20 following:
- "If not subject to penalties under subsection (a) of 21
- 22 Section 3-103 of the Notary Public Act (5 ILCS 312/3-103),
- 23 violations of this subsection shall result in a fine of \$1,000.
- Violations shall not preempt or preclude additional 24
- appropriate civil or criminal penalties."; and 25
- on page 11, line 30, after "services", by inserting "who is not 26
- 27 exempted under this Section"; and
- 28 on page 12, by replacing lines 1 and 2 with the following:
- "(2.5) Accept payment in exchange for providing legal 29

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- legal judgment, or interpretation of the law."; and 2
- 3 on page 12, by replacing lines 20 through 23 with the
- 4 following:
- 5 "(5) <u>Provide</u> Give any legal advice, recommend a
- specific course of legal action, or provide any other 6
- assistance that requires legal analysis, legal judgment, 7
- or interpretation of the law concerning an immigration 8
- matter.". 9