

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 HB4470

Introduced 1/11/2006, by Rep. Elizabeth Coulson

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 50/1

from Ch. 111, par. 7401

Amends the Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the purpose of the Act.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

- 4 Section 5. The Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Act
- 5 is amended by changing Section 1 as follows:
- 6 (225 ILCS 50/1) (from Ch. 111, par. 7401)
- 7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2016)
- 8 Sec. 1. Purpose. $\underline{\text{The}}$ purpose of this Act is to protect
- 9 the hearing-impaired public from incompetent and dishonest
- 10 dispensers of hearing instruments who could endanger the
- 11 health, safety and welfare of the People of this State. The
- 12 Federal Food and Drug Administration has recommended that State
- 13 legislation is necessary in order to establish standards of
- 14 competency and to impose stringent penalties for those who
- violate the public trust in this field of health care.
- 16 (Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)