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## AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1469


#### Abstract

AMENDMENT NO. $\qquad$ . Amend Senate Bill 1469 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following: "Section 5. The Child Care Act of 1969 is amended by changing Section 12 as follows: (225 ILCS 10/12) (from Ch. 23, par. 2222) Sec. 12. Advertising. A child care facility licensed or operating under a permit issued by the Department may publish advertisements of the services for which it is specifically licensed or issued a permit under this Act. No person, unless licensed or holding a permit as a child care facility, may cause to be published any advertisement soliciting a child or children for care or placement or offering a child or children for care or placement.


Only child care facilities or child welfare agencies licensed or operating under a permit issued by the Department may publish advertisements for the services that the facility or agency is specifically licensed for or issued a permit under this Act to provide. A licensed child welfare agency that places children for the purposes of adoption may not include in any published advertisement for the agency language that offers free medical care, housing, clothing, or transportation or any other offer of services, unless the advertisement also

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1 indicates that these services are provided with no obligation
2 on the part of the birth parent to make an adoption plan.
3 Nothing in the advertisement shall include any information that
4 the Department may reasonably construe to be an inducement or
5 offer for compensation in return for making a child available
6 for placement with a child welfare agency. This paragraph shall
7 not prohibit a child welfare agency from advertising counseling
and casework services.
(Source: P.A. 76-63.)".
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