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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 226

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 226 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Motor Fuel Sales Act is amended by changing
5 Section 2 as follows:

6 (815 ILCS 365/2) (from Ch. 121 1/2, par. 1502)

7 Sec. 2. Assistance at stations with self-service and
8 full-service islands.

9 (a) Any attendant on duty at a gasoline station or service
10 station offering to the public retail sales of motor fuel at
11 both self-service and full-service islands ~~described in~~
12 ~~Section 1~~ shall, upon request, dispense motor fuel for the
13 driver of a car which is parked at a self-service island and
14 displays: (1) ~~(a)~~ registration plates issued to a physically
15 disabled person pursuant to Section 3-616 of the Illinois
16 Vehicle Code; or (2) ~~(b)~~ registration plates issued to a

1 disabled veteran pursuant to Section 3-609 of such Code; or (3)
2 ~~(e)~~ a special decal or device issued pursuant to Section
3 11-1301.2 of such Code; and shall only charge such driver
4 prices as offered to the general public for motor fuel
5 dispensed at the self-service island. However, such attendant
6 shall not be required to perform other services which are
7 offered at the full-service island.

8 (b) Gasoline stations and service stations in this State
9 are subject to the federal Americans with Disabilities Act and
10 must:

11 (1) provide refueling assistance upon the request of an
12 individual with a disability; (A gasoline station or
13 service station is not required to provide such service at
14 any time that it is operating on a remote control basis
15 with a single employee, but is encouraged to do so, if
16 feasible.)

17 (2) let patrons know, through appropriate signs, that
18 customers with disabilities can obtain refueling
19 assistance by either honking or otherwise signaling an
20 employee; and

21 (3) provide the refueling assistance without any
22 charge beyond the self-serve price.

23 (c) The signage required under paragraph (2) of subsection
24 (b) shall be designated by the station owner and shall be
25 posted in a prominently visible place. The sign shall be
26 clearly visible to customers.

1 (d) The Secretary of State shall provide to persons with
2 disabilities information regarding the availability of
3 refueling assistance under this Section by the following
4 methods:

5 (1) by posting information about that availability on
6 the Secretary of State's Internet website, along with a
7 link to the Department of Human Services website; and

8 (2) by publishing a brochure containing information
9 about that availability, which shall be made available at
10 all Secretary of State offices throughout the State.

11 (e) The Department of Human Services shall post on its
12 Internet website information regarding the availability of
13 refueling assistance for persons with disabilities and the
14 addresses and telephone numbers of all gasoline and service
15 stations in Illinois.

16 (f) A person commits a Class C misdemeanor if he or she
17 telephones a gasoline station or service station to request
18 refueling assistance and he or she:

19 (1) is not actually physically present at the gasoline
20 or service station; or

21 (2) is physically present at the gasoline or service
22 station but does not actually require refueling
23 assistance.

24 (g) The Department of Transportation shall work in
25 cooperation with appropriate representatives of gasoline and
26 service station trade associations and the petroleum industry

1 to increase the signage at gasoline and service stations on
2 interstate highways in this State with regard to the
3 availability of refueling assistance for persons with
4 disabilities.

5 (Source: P.A. 84-877.)

6 (815 ILCS 365/1 rep.)

7 Section 10. The Motor Fuel Sales Act is amended by
8 repealing Section 1."