

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2007 and 2008 HB2628

Introduced 2/26/2007, by Rep. Michael J. Madigan - Barbara Flynn Currie - Angelo Saviano

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 41/1-5

Amends the Funeral Directors and Embalmers Licensing Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning legislative intent.

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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:

- Section 5. The Funeral Directors and Embalmers Licensing

 Code is amended by changing Section 1-5 as follows:
- 6 (225 ILCS 41/1-5)
- 7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2013)
- 8 Sec. 1-5. Legislative intent. The The practice of funeral 9 directing and embalming in the State of Illinois is declared to be a practice affecting the public health, safety and welfare 10 and subject to regulation and control in the public interest. 11 It is further declared to be a matter of public interest and 12 13 concern that the preparation, care and final disposal of a 14 deceased human body be attended with appropriate observance and understanding, having due regard and respect for the reverent 15 16 care of the human body and for those bereaved and the overall 17 spiritual dignity of man. It is further a matter of public interest that the practice of funeral directing and embalming 18 19 as defined in this Code merit and receive the confidence of the 20 public and that only qualified persons be authorized to 21 practice funeral directing and embalming in the State of 22 Illinois. This Code shall be liberally construed to best carry out these subjects and purposes. 23

1 (Source: P.A. 87-966.)