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1	AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 243
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend Senate Bill 243 on page 3, by
3	replacing lines 13 through 25 with the following:
4	"On and after the effective date of this amendatory Act of
5	the 95th General Assembly, no license shall be granted or
6	renewed unless the applicant:
7	(i) submits, and the Department approves, a plan for
8	providing service to Medicaid recipients and medically
9	underserved populations in its service area; the
10	Department shall adopt rules indicating the requirements
11	for such plans, including a definition for "medically
12	underserved population" and standards for minimum
13	proportions of Medicaid recipients and medically
14	underserved patients that must be served; or
15	(ii) submits a plan for charity care that has been
16	approved by the Illinois Attorney General; or
17	(iii) submits a notarized statement signed by the Chief
18	Executive Officer of the organization certifying that the

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applicant will not refuse service to any patient because
the services the patient seeks may be reimbursed under the
program of Medical Assistance under Article V of the
Illinois Public Aid Code.
In addition, no license shall be granted or renewed if the
Department determines that the applicant has not complied with
a prior plan or notarized statement submitted pursuant to this
paragraph.".