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Introduced 2/20/2009, by Sen. Ira I. Silverstein

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

210 ILCS 45/3-103

from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 4153-103

Amends the Nursing Home Care Act. Provides that an initial application for licensure under the Act must be accompanied by verification of financial responsibility. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Nursing Home Care Act is amended by changing
 Section 3-103 as follows:
- 6 (210 ILCS 45/3-103) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 4153-103)
 7 Sec. 3-103. The procedure for obtaining a valid license
 8 shall be as follows:
- 9 (1) Application to operate a facility shall be made to 10 the Department on forms furnished by the Department.
- 11 (2) All license applications shall be accompanied with an application fee. The fee for an annual license shall be 12 13 \$995. Facilities that pay a fee or assessment pursuant to 14 Article V-C of the Illinois Public Aid Code shall be exempt from the license fee imposed under this item (2). The fee 15 16 for a 2-year license shall be double the fee for the annual 17 license set forth in the preceding sentence. The fees collected shall be deposited with the State Treasurer into 18 19 the Long Term Care Monitor/Receiver Fund, which has been 20 created as a special fund in the State treasury. This 21 special fund is to be used by the Department for expenses 22 related to the appointment of monitors and receivers as contained in Sections 3-501 through 3-517 of this Act and 23

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for implementation of the Abuse Prevention Review Team Act. At the end of each fiscal year, any funds in excess of \$1,000,000 held in the Long Term Care Monitor/Receiver Fund shall be deposited in the State's General Revenue Fund. The application shall be under oath and the submission of false or misleading information shall be a Class A misdemeanor. The application shall contain the following information:

8 (a) The name and address of the applicant if an 9 individual, and if firm, partnership, а or 10 association, of every member thereof, and in the case 11 of a corporation, the name and address thereof and of 12 its officers and its registered agent, and in the case 13 of a unit of local government, the name and address of its chief executive officer; 14

15 (b) The name and location of the facility for which16 a license is sought;

17 (c) The name of the person or persons under whose 18 management or supervision the facility will be 19 conducted;

20 (d) The number and type of residents for which
21 maintenance, personal care, or nursing is to be
22 provided; and

(e) Such information relating to the number,
experience, and training of the employees of the
facility, any management agreements for the operation
of the facility, and of the moral character of the

applicant and employees as the Department may deem
 necessary.

(3) Each initial application shall be accompanied by a 3 financial statement setting forth the financial condition 4 5 of the applicant, by verification of financial 6 responsibility, and by a statement from the unit of local 7 government having zoning jurisdiction over the facility's location stating that the location of the facility is not 8 9 in violation of a zoning ordinance. An initial application 10 for a new facility shall be accompanied by a permit as 11 required by the "Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act". 12 After the application is approved, the applicant shall 13 advise the Department every 6 months of any changes in the 14 information originally provided in the application.

15 (4) Other information necessary to determine the 16 identity and qualifications of an applicant to operate a 17 facility in accordance with this Act shall be included in 18 the application as required by the Department in 19 regulations.

20 (Source: P.A. 93-32, eff. 7-1-03; 93-841, eff. 7-30-04; 94-931, 21 eff. 6-26-06.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect uponbecoming law.