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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

210 ILCS 47/3-306

Amends the MR/DD Community Care Act. Includes the size of the facility licensed under the Act to the list of factors the Director of Public Health is to consider when making a determination as to possible penalties for a violation. Effective July 1, 2010.

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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:

4 Section 5. The MR/DD Community Care Act is amended by 5 changing Section 3-306 as follows:

6 (210 ILCS 47/3-306)

7 (This Section may contain text from a Public Act with a8 delayed effective date)

9 Sec. 3-306. Factors to be considered in determining 10 penalty. In determining whether a penalty is to be imposed and 11 in fixing the amount of the penalty to be imposed, if any, for 12 a violation, the Director shall consider the following factors:

(1) The gravity of the violation, including the probability that death or serious physical or mental harm to a resident will result or has resulted; the severity of the actual or potential harm, and the extent to which the provisions of the applicable statutes or regulations were violated;

19 (2) The reasonable diligence exercised by the licensee20 and efforts to correct violations;

21 (3) Any previous violations committed by the licensee;
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(4) The financial benefit to the facility of committing

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or continuing the violation; and (5) The size of the facility.
(Source: P.A. 96-339, eff. 7-1-10.)
Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,

5 2010.