

1 AN ACT concerning health facilities.

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

4 Section 5. The Department of Public Health Powers and  
5 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is  
6 amended by changing Section 2310-130 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-130) (was 20 ILCS 2310/55.82)

8 Sec. 2310-130. Medicare or Medicaid certification fee;  
9 Health Care Facility and Program Survey Fund. To establish and  
10 charge a fee to any facility or program applying to be  
11 certified to participate in the Medicare program under Title  
12 XVIII of the federal Social Security Act or in the Medicaid  
13 program under Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act to  
14 cover the costs associated with the application, inspection,  
15 and survey of the facility or program and processing of the  
16 application. The Department shall establish the fee by rule,  
17 and the fee shall be based only on those application,  
18 inspection, and survey and processing costs not reimbursed to  
19 the State by the federal government. The fee shall be paid by  
20 the facility or program before the application is processed.

21 The fees received by the Department under this Section  
22 shall be deposited into the Health Care Facility and Program  
23 Survey Fund, which is hereby created as a special fund in the

1 State treasury. Moneys in the Fund shall be appropriated to the  
2 Department and may be used for any costs incurred by the  
3 Department, including personnel costs, in the processing of  
4 applications for Medicare or Medicaid certification.

5 Beginning July 1, 2011, the Department shall employ a  
6 minimum of one surveyor for every 500 licensed long term care  
7 beds. Beginning July 1, 2012, the Department shall employ a  
8 minimum of one surveyor for every 400 licensed long term care  
9 beds. Beginning July 1, 2013, the Department shall employ a  
10 minimum of one surveyor for every 300 licensed long term care  
11 beds.

12 The Department shall establish a surveyor development unit  
13 funded from money deposited in the Long Term Care  
14 Monitor/Receiver Fund.

15 (Source: P.A. 96-1372, eff. 7-29-10.)

16 Section 10. The Nursing Home Care Act is amended by  
17 changing Section 3-103 as follows:

18 (210 ILCS 45/3-103) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 4153-103)

19 Sec. 3-103. The procedure for obtaining a valid license  
20 shall be as follows:

21 (1) Application to operate a facility shall be made to  
22 the Department on forms furnished by the Department.

23 (2) All license applications shall be accompanied with  
24 an application fee. The fee for an annual license shall be

1           \$1,990. Facilities that pay a fee or assessment pursuant to  
2 Article V-C of the Illinois Public Aid Code shall be exempt  
3 from the license fee imposed under this item (2). The fee  
4 for a 2-year license shall be double the fee for the annual  
5 license. The fees collected shall be deposited with the  
6 State Treasurer into the Long Term Care Monitor/Receiver  
7 Fund, which has been created as a special fund in the State  
8 treasury. This special fund is to be used by the Department  
9 for expenses related to the appointment of monitors and  
10 receivers as contained in Sections 3-501 through 3-517 of  
11 this Act, for the enforcement of this Act, for expenses  
12 related to surveyor development, and for implementation of  
13 the Abuse Prevention Review Team Act. All federal moneys  
14 received as a result of expenditures from the Fund shall be  
15 deposited into the Fund. The Department may reduce or waive  
16 a penalty pursuant to Section 3-308 only if that action  
17 will not threaten the ability of the Department to meet the  
18 expenses required to be met by the Long Term Care  
19 Monitor/Receiver Fund. The application shall be under oath  
20 and the submission of false or misleading information shall  
21 be a Class A misdemeanor. The application shall contain the  
22 following information:

23           (a) The name and address of the applicant if an  
24 individual, and if a firm, partnership, or  
25 association, of every member thereof, and in the case  
26 of a corporation, the name and address thereof and of

1           its officers and its registered agent, and in the case  
2           of a unit of local government, the name and address of  
3           its chief executive officer;

4           (b) The name and location of the facility for which  
5           a license is sought;

6           (c) The name of the person or persons under whose  
7           management or supervision the facility will be  
8           conducted;

9           (d) The number and type of residents for which  
10          maintenance, personal care, or nursing is to be  
11          provided; and

12          (e) Such information relating to the number,  
13          experience, and training of the employees of the  
14          facility, any management agreements for the operation  
15          of the facility, and of the moral character of the  
16          applicant and employees as the Department may deem  
17          necessary.

18          (3) Each initial application shall be accompanied by a  
19          financial statement setting forth the financial condition  
20          of the applicant and by a statement from the unit of local  
21          government having zoning jurisdiction over the facility's  
22          location stating that the location of the facility is not  
23          in violation of a zoning ordinance. An initial application  
24          for a new facility shall be accompanied by a permit as  
25          required by the "Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act".  
26          After the application is approved, the applicant shall

1           advise the Department every 6 months of any changes in the  
2           information originally provided in the application.

3           (4) Other information necessary to determine the  
4           identity and qualifications of an applicant to operate a  
5           facility in accordance with this Act shall be included in  
6           the application as required by the Department in  
7           regulations.

8           (Source: P.A. 96-758, eff. 8-25-09; 96-1372, eff. 7-29-10;  
9           96-1504, eff. 1-27-11; 96-1530, eff. 2-16-11; revised  
10          2-23-11.)