

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

4 Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by adding
5 Section 5.786 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/5.786 new)

7 Sec. 5.786. The Electronic Health Record Incentive Fund.

8 Section 10. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
9 adding Section 12-10.6a as follows:

10 (305 ILCS 5/12-10.6a new)

11 Sec. 12-10.6a. The Electronic Health Record Incentive
12 Fund.

13 (a) The Electronic Health Record Incentive Fund is a
14 special fund created in the State treasury. All federal moneys
15 received by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services
16 for payments to qualifying health care providers to encourage
17 the adoption and use of certified electronic health records
18 technology pursuant to paragraph 1903(t)(1) of the Social
19 Security Act, shall be deposited into the Fund.

20 (b) Disbursements from the Fund shall be made at the
21 direction of the Director of Healthcare and Family Services to

1 qualifying health care providers, in amounts established under
2 applicable federal regulation (42 CFR 495 et seq.), in order to
3 encourage the adoption and use of certified electronic health
4 records technology.

5 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
6 becoming law.