99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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by Rep. Jim Durkin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/5-2.1a

Amends the Illinois Public Aid Code. Makes a technical change in a Section regarding the treatment of trusts as they affect eligibility for medical assistance.

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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 Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by 5 changing Section 5-2.1a as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-2.1a)

Sec. 5-2.1a. Treatment of trust amounts. To <u>the</u> the extent required by federal law, the Department of Healthcare and Family Services shall provide by rule for the consideration of trusts and similar legal instruments or devices established by a person in the Illinois Department's determination of the person's eligibility for and the amount of assistance provided under this Article.

14 (Source: P.A. 98-651, eff. 6-16-14.)