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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 5602

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 5602, AS AMENDED, by
3 replacing everything after the enacting clause with the
4 following:

5 "Section 5. The Nursing Home Care Act is amended by
6 changing Section 3-713.5 as follows:

7 (210 ILCS 45/3-713.5)

8 Sec. 3-713.5. Informal dispute resolution. Pursuant to the
9 requirements of subsection (c) of Section 3-212 of this Act,
10 when a facility submits comments refuting ~~to~~ licensure
11 findings, it shall be considered an informal dispute resolution
12 if the same findings were not submitted for an informal dispute
13 resolution pursuant to protocols for federal certification
14 deficiencies established by the federal Centers for Medicare
15 and Medicaid Services. The Department shall review
16 documentation submitted as the basis for an informal dispute

1 resolution. If the Department determines that the submitted
2 evidence or arguments were insufficient to refute the findings,
3 then the Department shall provide a written explanation of the
4 reason or reasons why the evidence or arguments were
5 insufficient to refute the finding. If the Department fails to
6 provide a written explanation of the reason or reasons why the
7 evidence or arguments were insufficient to refute the informal
8 dispute resolution findings within 60 days of receipt, the
9 alleged, disputed licensure violation shall be cited, but no
10 penalty shall be imposed.

11 (Source: P.A. 97-863, eff. 1-1-13.)".