

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 SB3079

Introduced 2/19/2016, by Sen. Donne E. Trotter

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

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Amends the Illinois Manufactured Home Quality Assurance Act. Provides that "manufactured home" and "mobile home" include structures designed to be used as a dwelling with or without a permanent foundation. Provides that the Department of Public Health is responsible for enforcing setup standards mandated by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development as set forth in manufacturers' specifications pursuant to specified federal regulations. Provides that all manufactured homes shall be installed under the immediate onsite supervision of a licensed manufactured home installer. Provides that a fee of \$50 (instead of \$25) shall be paid by the licensed installer responsible for the installation for each manufactured home installed as evidenced by the installers affixing a Department-issued seal to the home and filing of an installation certificate with the Department. Provides that when the Department is required to inspect the installation of a manufactured home, a fee of \$395 shall be paid to the Department by the installer for each inspection made. Provides that when a Department-approved third party inspects the installation of a manufactured home, the installer shall pay an inspection fee not to exceed \$395 to the person performing the inspection. Provides that a report of the installation inspection shall be made in a manner prescribed by the Department. Provides that the Department shall by rule establish the qualifications and manner in which third parties may be approved to inspect manufactured housing inspections. Provides that the Department may adopt all rules necessary to implement this Act, which shall provide for the Department to inspect manufactured home installations, require correction of violations, and perform other duties mandated by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development under federal regulations. Provides that the Act does not apply to home rule municipalities with a population in excess of 1,000,000 so long as exempt municipalities adopt rules to inspect manufactured home installations, require correction of violations, and perform other duties mandated by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development under federal regulations. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning safety.

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

- Section 5. The Manufactured Home Quality Assurance Act is amended by changing Sections 10, 15, 25, 60, and 65 as follows:
- 6 (430 ILCS 117/10)
- 7 Sec. 10. Definitions. In this Act:
- 8 "Department" means the Illinois Department of Public 9 Health.
- "Licensed installer" means a person who has successfully completed a manufactured home installation course approved by the Department and paid the required fees.

"Manufactured home" and "mobile home" mean means 13 14 "manufactured home", as defined in subdivision (53) of Section 9-102 of the Uniform Commercial Code. "Mobile home" means a 15 16 factory-assembled, completely integrated constructed on or before June 30, 1976, designed for permanent 17 habitation, with a permanent chassis, and so constructed as to 18 19 permit its transport, on wheels temporarily or permanently 20 attached to its frame, that is a movable or portable unit that is constructed to be towed on its own chassis (comprised of 21 22 frame and wheels) from the place of its construction to the location, or subsequent locations, at which it is connected to 23

1 utilities for year-round occupancy for use as a permanent 2 habitation, and designed to be used as a dwelling with or 3 without a permanent foundation and situated so as to permit its occupancy as a dwelling place for one or more persons. The 5 terms "manufactured home" and "mobile home" shall include units otherwise meeting their respective definitions containing 6 7 parts that may be folded, collapsed, or telescoped when being 8 towed and that may be expected to provide additional cubic 9 capacity, and that are designed to be joined into one integral 10 unit capable of being separated again into the components for 11 repeated towing. The terms "manufactured home" and "mobile 12 home" exclude campers and recreational vehicles.

"Manufacturer" means a manufacturer of a manufactured home, whether the manufacturer is located within or outside of the State of Illinois.

"Mobile home" or "manufactured home" does not include a modular home.

"Mobile home park" means a tract of land or 2 contiguous tracts of land that contain sites with the necessary utilities for 5 or more mobile homes or manufactured homes. A mobile home park may be operated either free of charge or for revenue purposes.

23 (Source: P.A. 98-749, eff. 7-16-14.)

24 (430 ILCS 117/15)

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Sec. 15. Enforcement of setup standards. The Department is

- 1 responsible for enforcing setup standards mandated by the
- 2 United States Department of Housing and Urban Development as
- 3 set forth in manufacturers' specifications <u>pursuant to Section</u>
- 4 3285.2(a) of Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations, 24
- 5 C.F.R. 3285.2(a). In the absence of manufacturer's
- 6 specifications, the Department must provide installation
- 7 standards.
- 8 (Source: P.A. 92-410, eff. 1-1-02.)
- 9 (430 ILCS 117/25)
- 10 Sec. 25. Installation of home; installer's license; fees;
- 11 display of license. All manufactured homes installed after
- 12 December 31, 2001 shall be installed under the <u>immediate</u> onsite
- 13 supervision of a licensed manufactured home installer. The fee
- for the issuance and renewal of an installer's license is \$150
- per year. In addition, a fee of \$50 shall \$25 must be paid by
- the licensed installer responsible for the installation for
- each manufactured home installed as evidenced by the installers
- 18 affixing of a Department-issued seal to the home and filing of
- 19 an installation certificate with the Department. A licensed
- 20 installer shall must provide proof of licensing at the
- 21 installation site at all times during the installation. The
- 22 licensed installer responsible for the installation shall must
- disclose the place of manufactured home delivery and the name
- of the buyer to the Department. When the Department is required
- 25 to inspect the installation of a manufactured home, a fee of

1 \$395 shall be paid to the Department by the installer for each 2 inspection made. When a Department-approved third party 3 inspects the installation of a manufactured home, the installer shall pay an inspection fee not to exceed \$395 to the person 4 performing the inspection. A report of the installation 5 inspection shall be made in a manner prescribed by the 6 Department. The Department shall by rule establish the 7 qualifications and manner in which third parties may be 8 9 approved to inspect manufactured housing inspections.

10 (Source: P.A. 92-410, eff. 1-1-02.)

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Sec. 60. Exclusive State power or function. It is declared to be the public policy of this State, pursuant to paragraph (h) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, that any power or function set forth in this Act to be exercised by the State is an exclusive State power or function. Such power or function shall not be exercised concurrently, either directly or indirectly, by any unit of local government to which this Act applies, including home rule units, except as otherwise provided in this Act.

The Department may adopt all rules necessary to implement this Act. Such rules shall provide for the Department to inspect manufactured home installations, require correction of violations, and perform other duties mandated by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development pursuant to

- 1 Section 3286.803 of Title 24 of the Code of Federal
- 2 Regulations, 24 C.F.R. 3286.803. The Department may require and
- 3 approve non-governmental inspectors or inspection agencies,
- 4 provided the Department shall at all times exercise supervisory
- 5 control over such inspectors or agencies to insure effective
- 6 and uniform enforcement consistent with the rules adopted by
- 7 the Department.
- 8 (Source: P.A. 92-410, eff. 1-1-02.)
- 9 (430 ILCS 117/65)
- 10 Sec. 65. Applicability. This Act does not apply to home
- 11 rule municipalities with a population in excess of 1,000,000 so
- 12 long as exempt municipalities adopt rules to inspect
- 13 manufactured home installations, require correction of
- 14 violations, and perform other duties mandated by the United
- 15 States Department of Housing and Urban Development pursuant to
- 16 Section 3286.803 of Title 24 of the Code of Federal
- 17 Regulations, 24 C.F.R. 3286.803. Exempt municipalities may
- 18 require and approve non-governmental inspectors or inspection
- 19 agencies, provided the exempt municipalities shall at all times
- 20 exercise supervisory control over such inspectors or agencies
- 21 to insure effective and uniform enforcement consistent with the
- rules adopted by the exempt municipalities.
- 23 (Source: P.A. 92-410, eff. 1-1-02.)
- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 25 becoming law.

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