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1	AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 230
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend Senate Bill 230 by replacing
3	everything after the enacting clause with the following:
4	"Section 5. The Illinois Speech-Language Pathology and
5	Audiology Practice Act is amended by changing Section 2 as
6	follows:
7	(225 ILCS 110/2) (from Ch. 111, par. 7902)
8	(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2008)
9	Sec. 2. Legislative Declaration of Public Policy. <u>The</u> The
10	practice of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology in the
11	State of Illinois is hereby declared to affect the public
12	health, safety and welfare and to be subject to regulation and
13	control in the public interest. It is further declared to be a
14	matter of public interest and concern that the speech-language
15	pathology and audiology professions merit and receive the
16	confidence of the public and that only qualified persons be

permitted to practice this profession in the State of Illinois.
This Act shall be liberally construed to carry out these
objectives and purposes.

4 It is further declared to be the public policy of this State, pursuant to subsections (h) and (i) of Section 6 of 5 6 Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, that any power or function set forth in this Act to be exercised by the 7 State is an exclusive State power or function. Such power or 8 9 function shall not be exercised concurrently, either directly 10 or indirectly, by any unit of local government, including home 11 rule units, except as otherwise provided in this Act.

12 (Source: P.A. 85-1391.)".