

## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 HB6909

by Rep. Michael J. Zalewski

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

815 ILCS 120/7 new

Amends the Illinois Fairness in Lending Act. Provides that no financial institution or other entity whose business includes engaging in residential real estate-related transactions may discriminate against any person in making available such a transaction, or in the terms or conditions of such a transaction, on the basis that the person is pregnant.

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1 AN ACT concerning business.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Fairness in Lending Act is amended by adding Section 7 as follows:
- 6 (815 ILCS 120/7 new)
- Sec. 7. Familial status; residential real estate-related transactions. No financial institution or other entity whose business includes engaging in residential real estate-related transactions may discriminate against any person in making available such a transaction, or in the terms or conditions of such a transaction, on the basis that the person is pregnant.
- For the purpose of this Section, "residential real estate-related transaction" means the making or purchasing of loans (i) for purchasing, constructing, improving, repairing, or maintaining a dwelling or (ii) that are secured by
- 17 residential real estate.