

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 SB1095

Introduced 2/8/2011, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

745 ILCS 49/10

Amends the Good Samaritan Act. Makes a technical change in the Section concerning immunity from civil liability for providing emergency cardiopulmonary resuscitation to an apparent victim of acute cardiopulmonary insufficiency.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

- 4 Section 5. The Good Samaritan Act is amended by changing
- 5 Section 10 as follows:
- 6 (745 ILCS 49/10)
- 7 Sec. 10. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation; exemption from
- 8 civil liability for emergency care. Any person currently
- 9 certified in basic cardiopulmonary resuscitation who complies
- 10 with generally recognized standards, and and who in good faith,
- 11 not for compensation, provides emergency cardiopulmonary
- 12 resuscitation to a person who is an apparent victim of acute
- 13 cardiopulmonary insufficiency shall not, as the result of his
- or her acts or omissions in providing resuscitation, be liable
- for civil damages, unless the acts or omissions constitute
- 16 willful and wanton misconduct.
- 17 (Source: P.A. 89-607, eff. 1-1-97; 90-742, eff. 8-13-98.)