

# HB3570



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB3570

by Rep. John E. Bradley

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

220 ILCS 5/13-404.2

Amends the Public Utilities Act. Provides that Commerce Commission rules shall require providers of prepaid calling services to permit customers to transfer any telephone number used by that customer to any other telephone used by the customer.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning telecommunications.

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

4 Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by changing  
5 Section 13-404.2 as follows:

6 (220 ILCS 5/13-404.2)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on July 1, 2015)

8 Sec. 13-404.2. Prepaid calling service standards. The  
9 Commission, by rule, may establish and implement minimum  
10 service quality standards for prepaid calling service. The  
11 rules shall include a requirement that the provider of the  
12 prepaid calling service permit a customer to transfer a  
13 telephone number used by that customer on any telephone to any  
14 other telephone used or to be used by that customer. The rules  
15 may include, but are not limited to, requiring access to a live  
16 customer service attendant through the customer service  
17 number, reporting requirements, fines, penalties, customer  
18 credits, remedies, and other enforcement mechanisms to ensure  
19 compliance with the service quality standards.

20 (Source: P.A. 93-1002, eff. 1-1-05.)