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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2952

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 2952 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Equitable Restrooms Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 18 as follows:

6 (410 ILCS 35/18)

7 Sec. 18. Baby changing stations.

8 (a) As used in this Section:

9 "Public building" means:

10 (1) a place of public accommodation, as that term is  
11 defined in Section 10;

12 (2) a State building that is open to the public and  
13 that has running water;

14 (3) a retail store of more than 3,000 ~~5,000~~ square  
15 feet that contains a restroom open to the public; ~~or~~

16 (4) a restaurant that meets the following criteria:

1 (A) the restaurant has an occupancy of at least 40 ~~60~~  
2 persons, as determined by the local fire department, fire  
3 protection district, building permitting entity, or  
4 building inspector; (B) the restaurant contains a restroom  
5 that is open to the public; and (C) the restaurant's  
6 entrance is not within 300 feet of a centrally located  
7 facility with a baby diaper changing station that is open  
8 to the public;

9 (5) hotels and lodging facilities;

10 (6) designated family areas in public and private  
11 schools and educational institutions;

12 (7) small entertainment venues, including movie  
13 theaters and bowling alleys;

14 (8) health care facilities with public restrooms; or

15 (9) a public park with one or more restroom facilities  
16 that have running water.

17 "Restaurant" means a business having sales of ready-to-eat  
18 food for immediate consumption comprising at least 51% of the  
19 total sales, excluding the sale of liquor.

20 (b) Every public building with restrooms open and  
21 accessible to the public shall have:

22 (1) at least one safe, sanitary, convenient, and  
23 publicly accessible baby diaper changing station that is  
24 accessible to women entering a restroom provided for use  
25 by women and at least one safe, sanitary, convenient, and  
26 publicly accessible baby diaper changing station that is

1 accessible to men entering a restroom provided for use by  
2 men; or

3 (2) at least one safe, sanitary, convenient, and  
4 publicly accessible baby diaper changing station that is  
5 accessible to both men and women.

6 This requirement is in addition to any accommodations that  
7 may be made for individuals in accordance with any local,  
8 State, or federal laws regarding access for persons with  
9 disabilities and to existing fire, health, and safety codes or  
10 standards.

11 (c) Subsection (b) does not apply to the following:

12 (1) An industrial building, nightclub, or bar that  
13 does not permit anyone who is under 18 years of age to  
14 enter the premises.

15 (2) A restroom located in a health facility, if the  
16 restroom is intended for the use of one patient or  
17 resident at a time.

18 (3) A renovation, if a local building permitting  
19 entity or building inspector determines that the  
20 installation of a baby diaper changing station is not  
21 feasible or would result in a failure to comply with  
22 applicable building standards governing the right of  
23 access for persons with disabilities. The permitting  
24 entity or building inspector may grant an exemption from  
25 the requirements of this subsection under those  
26 circumstances.

1           (d) A public restroom that is open and accessible to the  
2 public and includes a baby diaper changing station shall  
3 include signage at or near the entrance to the baby changing  
4 station indicating the location of the baby diaper changing  
5 station.

6           (e) This Section shall not be enforceable by a private  
7 right of action.

8           (Source: P.A. 101-293, eff. 1-1-20; 101-602, eff. 1-1-20.)".