

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB3531

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

210 ILCS 85/6.27 new

Amends the Hospital Licensing Act. Provides that if a hospital has a gestational surrogacy contract on file for a gestational surrogate or has otherwise received the gestational surrogacy contract from a gestational surrogate, the hospital may not deny an intended parent entry into the delivery room where the gestational surrogate is being induced or in labor. Provides exceptions if: medical personnel determine that the gestational surrogate's life or health could be jeopardized; the gestational surrogacy contract prohibits an intended parent from being present; or medical personnel determine there is other good cause to prohibit an intended parent from being present, including, but not limited to, if the intended parent is causing a disturbance or other security concerns. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

- Section 5. The Hospital Licensing Act is amended by adding Section 6.27 as follows:
- 6 (210 ILCS 85/6.27 new)
- 7 Sec. 6.27. Intended parent; delivery room.
- 8 (a) As used in this Section, "gestational surrogate",
 9 "gestational surrogacy contract", and "intended parent" have
 10 the meanings given to those terms in Section 10 of the
- 11 Gestational Surrogacy Act.
- (b) If a hospital has a gestational surrogacy contract on
 file for a gestational surrogate or has otherwise received the
 gestational surrogacy contract from a gestational surrogate,
 the hospital may not deny an intended parent entry into the
 delivery room where the gestational surrogate is being induced
 or in labor, except as provided under subsection (c).
- (c) A hospital is not required to allow entry into the

 delivery room to an intended parent if: (1) medical personnel

 determine that the gestational surrogate's life or health could

 be jeopardized if an intended parent is present; (2) the

 gestational surrogacy contract prohibits an intended parent

 from being present; or (3) medical personnel determine there is

- 1 other good cause to prohibit an intended parent from being
- 2 present, including, but not limited to, if the intended parent
- 3 <u>is causing a disturbance or other security concerns.</u>
- 4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 5 becoming law.