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Introduced 11/16/2022, by Rep. Curtis J. Tarver, II

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

765 ILCS 77/5

Amends the Residential Real Property Disclosure Act. Provides that "seller" does not include a beneficiary who has both (i) never occupied the residential real property and (ii) never had management responsibility for the residential real property. Effective immediately.

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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:

Section 5. The Residential Real Property Disclosure Act is
amended by changing Section 5 as follows:

6 (765 ILCS 77/5)

Sec. 5. Definitions. As used in this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms have the meaning given in this Section:

"Residential real property" means real property improved 10 with not less than one nor more than 4 residential dwelling 11 units; units in residential cooperatives; or, condominium 12 13 units, including the limited common elements allocated to the 14 exclusive use thereof that form an integral part of the condominium unit. The term includes a manufactured home as 15 16 defined in subdivision (53) of Section 9-102 of the Uniform 17 Commercial Code that is real property as defined in the Conveyance and Encumbrance of Manufactured Homes as Real 18 19 Property and Severance Act.

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"Seller" means every person or entity who:

(1) is a beneficiary of an Illinois land trust; or
(2) has an interest, legal or equitable, in
residential <u>real</u> property as:

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(i) an owner;

2 (ii) a beneficiary of a trust;

3 (iii) a beneficiary pursuant to testate 4 disposition, intestate succession, or a transfer on 5 death instrument; or

6 (iv) a contract purchaser or lessee of a ground 7 lease.

8 "Seller" does not include a party to a transfer that is 9 exempt under Section 15 <u>or a beneficiary who has both (i) never</u> 10 <u>occupied the residential real property and (ii) never had</u> 11 <u>management responsibility for the residential real property</u>.

12 "Prospective buyer" means any person or entity negotiating 13 or offering to become an owner or lessee of a ground lease of 14 residential real property by means of a transfer for value to 15 which this Act applies.

16 "Contract" means a written agreement by the seller and 17 prospective buyer that would, subject to the satisfaction of 18 any negotiated contingencies, require the prospective buyer to 19 accept a transfer of the residential real property.

20 (Source: P.A. 102-765, eff. 5-13-22.)

21 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 22 becoming law.