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10200SB2661sam001 LRB102 15558 SPS 24476 a 1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2661 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 2661 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following: 3 "Section 5. The Department of Professional Regulation Law 4 5 of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by adding Section 2105-365 as follows: 6 7 (20 ILCS 2105/2105-365 new) Sec. 2105-365. License extension during a public health 8 emergency. (a) For the purposes of this Section, "health care 10 professional" means a physician licensed under the Medical 11 Practice Act of 1987, a dentist licensed under the Illinois 12 Dental Practice Act, an optometrist licensed under the 13 Illinois Optometric Practice Act of 1987, a physician 14 15 assistant licensed under the Physician Assistant Practice Act

of 1987, and a registered nurse or advanced practice

- registered nurse licensed under the Nurse Practice Act. 1
- 2 (b) For any license of a health care professional that
- expires during a public health emergency declared by the 3
- 4 Governor, the Department shall extend the expiration date of
- 5 that license by 6 months. The fees for renewal of that license
- and the expiration date of the renewed license shall be the 6
- same fees and expiration date as though the license was 7
- renewed on the original expiration date. 8
- 9 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- becoming law.". 10