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93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

215 ILCS 5/351A-4

from Ch. 73, par. 963A-4

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code. Makes a technical change in a Section relating to long-term care insurance.

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AN ACT concerning insurance.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by 5 changing Section 351A-4 as follows:

6 (215 ILCS 5/351A-4) (from Ch. 73, par. 963A-4)

Sec. 351A-4. Limitation. <u>A</u> No long-term care insurance
policy may <u>not</u>:

9 (1) Be cancelled, nonrenewed or otherwise terminated 10 on grounds of the age or the deterioration of the mental or 11 physical health of the insured individual or certificate 12 holder.

13 (2) Contain a provision establishing a new waiting 14 period in the event existing coverage is converted to or 15 replaced by a new or other form, except with respect to an 16 increase in benefits voluntarily selected by the insured 17 individual or group policyholder.

(3) Provide coverage for skilled nursing care only or
provide significantly more coverage for skilled care in a
facility than coverage for lower levels of care.

21 (Source: P.A. 92-148, eff. 7-24-01.)