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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

755 ILCS 5/1-9

from Ch. 110 1/2, par. 1-9

Amends the Probate Act of 1975. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the construction of the Act.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

Section 5. The Probate Act of 1975 is amended by changing
Section 1-9 as follows:

6 (755 ILCS 5/1-9) (from Ch. 110 1/2, par. 1-9)

Sec. 1-9. Act to be liberally construed.) This Act <u>and</u> the rules now or hereafter applicable thereto shall be liberally construed to the end that controversies and the rights of the parties may be speedily and finally determined and the rule that statutes in derogation of the common law shall be strictly construed does not apply.

13 (Source: P.A. 79-328.)