

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 SB1640

Introduced 2/9/2011, by Sen. John M. Sullivan

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 2805/2.03a new

Amends the Department of Veterans Affairs Act. Provides that a veteran who is a resident of a state bordering the State of Illinois may be admitted to the Quincy Veterans Home and shall pay a monthly maintenance fee no less than the full cost of care established under the Act. Provides that preference for filling vacant beds or placement on any waiting list shall be granted first to all Illinois residents identified in this Act.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

- Section 5. The Department of Veterans Affairs Act is amended by adding Section 2.03a as follows:
- 6 (20 ILCS 2805/2.03a new)
- Sec. 2.03a. Quincy Vet<u>erans Home; out-of-state-resident. A</u> 7 veteran who is a resident of a state bordering the State of 8 9 Illinois may be admitted to the Quincy Veterans Home. Any 10 veteran admitted under this Section who is not an Illinois resident at the time of application shall pay a monthly 11 maintenance fee no less than the full cost of care established 12 in Section 2.03. Preference for filling vacant beds or 13 14 placement on any waiting list shall be granted first to all

Illinois residents identified in this Act.