

1 AN ACT concerning health.

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

4 Section 5. The Compassionate Use of Medical Cannabis Pilot
5 Program Act is amended by changing Sections 70 and 220 as
6 follows:

7 (410 ILCS 130/70)

8 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2018)

9 Sec. 70. Registry identification cards.

10 (a) A registered qualifying patient or designated
11 caregiver must keep their registry identification card in his
12 or her possession at all times when engaging in the medical use
13 of cannabis.

14 (b) Registry identification cards shall contain the
15 following:

16 (1) the name of the cardholder;

17 (2) a designation of whether the cardholder is a
18 designated caregiver or qualifying patient;

19 (3) the date of issuance and expiration date of the
20 registry identification card;

21 (4) a random alphanumeric identification number that
22 is unique to the cardholder;

23 (5) if the cardholder is a designated caregiver, the

1 random alphanumeric identification number of the
2 registered qualifying patient the designated caregiver is
3 receiving the registry identification card to assist; and

4 (6) a photograph of the cardholder, if required by
5 Department of Public Health rules.

6 (c) To maintain a valid registration identification card, a
7 registered qualifying patient and caregiver must annually
8 resubmit, at least 45 days prior to the expiration date stated
9 on the registry identification card, a completed renewal
10 application, renewal fee, and accompanying documentation as
11 described in Department of Public Health rules. The Department
12 of Public Health shall send a notification to a registered
13 qualifying patient or registered designated caregiver 90 days
14 prior to the expiration of the registered qualifying patient's
15 or registered designated caregiver's identification card. If
16 the Department of Public Health fails to grant or deny a
17 renewal application received in accordance with this Section,
18 then the renewal is deemed granted and the registered
19 qualifying patient or registered designated caregiver may
20 continue to use the expired identification card until the
21 Department of Public Health denies the renewal or issues a new
22 identification card.

23 The expiration date for all registry identification cards
24 issued to patients or designated caregivers under this Section
25 prior to the date the first dispensary organization
26 registration is issued by the Department of Financial and

1 Professional Regulation shall be extended for a period of one
2 year from the date such registration is issued without further
3 fee to the cardholder. On the date the first dispensary
4 organization registration is issued, the Department of
5 Financial and Professional Regulation shall file with the Index
6 Department of the Office of the Secretary of State a
7 declaration to that effect, and shall notify the Clerk of the
8 House of Representatives, the Secretary of the Senate, and the
9 Legislative Reference Bureau of the filing of the declaration.

10 (d) Except as otherwise provided in this Section, the
11 expiration date is one year after the date of issuance.

12 (e) The Department of Public Health may electronically
13 store in the card any or all of the information listed in
14 subsection (b), along with the address and date of birth of the
15 cardholder and the qualifying patient's designated dispensary
16 organization, to allow it to be read by law enforcement agents.

17 (Source: P.A. 98-122, eff. 1-1-14.)

18 (410 ILCS 130/220)

19 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2018)

20 Sec. 220. Repeal of Act. This Act is repealed 4 years after
21 the occurrence of the conditions set forth in subsection (c) of
22 Section 70 effective date of this Act.

23 (Source: P.A. 98-122, eff. 1-1-14.)

24 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
25 becoming law.