

HB3502



100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB3502

by Rep. Deb Conroy

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

405 ILCS 45/1

from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 1351

Amends the Protection and Advocacy for Mentally Ill Persons Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the Act's purpose.

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A BILL FOR

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 Protection and Advocacy for Mentally Ill
5 Persons Act is amended by changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (405 ILCS 45/1) (from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 1351)

7 Sec. 1. Purpose. The ~~The~~ Governor shall designate an agency
8 to administer the protection and advocacy system for mentally
9 ill persons, pursuant to the federal Protection and Advocacy of
10 Mentally Ill Individuals Act of 1986. The agency shall be
11 independent of any agency which provides disability-related
12 services (other than advocacy services), including treatment,
13 rehabilitation, guardianship or habilitation. The agency may
14 receive and expend funds to protect and advocate the rights of
15 mentally ill persons.

16 (Source: P.A. 85-623.)