

1 AN ACT concerning business.

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

4 Section 5. The Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business
5 Practices Act is amended by adding Section 2HHHH as follows:

6 (815 ILCS 505/2HHHH new)

7 Sec. 2HHHH. Prohibit fees for alternative payment and
8 document delivery methods.

9 (a) It is an unlawful practice within the meaning of this
10 Act for any person to charge a consumer an additional fee or
11 surcharge to mail a monthly invoice or statement to the
12 consumer's address.

13 (b) Nothing in this Section shall prohibit a business from
14 offering a discount to a consumer for enrolling in electronic
15 or paperless services or an automatic payment program.