

HB4483



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 1/20/2026, by Rep. Michael J. Coffey, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/6-116.5

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that if a person causes a fatality while operating a motor vehicle and it is determined that the fatality was caused entirely by the medical condition of the person, the Secretary of State shall suspend the person's driver's license until the person provides medical documentation that the medical condition is being treated. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by
5 changing Section 6-116.5 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/6-116.5)

7 Sec. 6-116.5. Driver's duty to report medical condition.
8 Every driver shall report to the Secretary any medical
9 condition, as defined by the Driver's License Medical Review
10 Law of 1992, that is likely to cause loss of consciousness or
11 any loss of ability to safely operate a motor vehicle within 10
12 days of the driver becoming aware of the condition. The
13 Secretary, in conjunction with the Driver's License Medical
14 Advisory Board, shall determine by administrative rule the
15 temporary conditions not required to be reported under the
16 provisions of this Section. If a person causes a fatality
17 while operating a motor vehicle and it is determined that the
18 fatality was caused entirely by the medical condition of the
19 person, the Secretary of State shall suspend the person's
20 driver's license until the person provides medical
21 documentation that the medical condition is being treated. All
22 information furnished to the Secretary under the provisions of
23 this Section shall be deemed confidential and for the

1 privileged use of the Secretary in accordance with the
2 provisions of subsection (j) of Section 2-123 of this Code.

3 (Source: P.A. 89-584, eff. 7-31-96.)

4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
5 becoming law.