

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

4 Section 5. The Swimming Facility Act is amended by
5 changing Section 13 as follows:

6 (210 ILCS 125/13) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1213)

7 Sec. 13. Rules. The Department shall promulgate, publish,
8 adopt and amend such rules as may be necessary for the proper
9 enforcement of this Act, to protect the health and safety of
10 the public using swimming facilities and their appurtenances,
11 and may, when necessary, utilize the services of any other
12 state agencies to assist in carrying out the purposes of this
13 Act. These rules shall include but are not limited to design
14 criteria for swimming facility areas and bather preparation
15 facilities, standards relating to sanitation, cleanliness,
16 plumbing, water supply, sewage and solid waste disposal,
17 design and construction of all equipment, buildings, rodent
18 and insect control, communicable disease control, safety and
19 sanitation of appurtenant swimming facilities. The rules must
20 include provisions for the prevention of bather entrapment or
21 entanglement at new and existing swimming facilities. Bather
22 preparation facilities consisting of dressing room space,
23 toilets and showers shall be available for use of patrons of

1 swimming facilities, except as provided by Department rules.

2 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the rules
3 adopted by the Department shall permit sporting good equipment
4 systems and fitness equipment systems to be installed in
5 swimming facilities if the sporting good equipment system or
6 fitness equipment system is designed for pool use and
7 installed in accordance with the safe-use parameters specified
8 by the manufacturer. Sporting good equipment systems and
9 fitness equipment systems that meet these requirements shall
10 not be considered an obstruction. This paragraph does not
11 apply to school swimming facilities.

12 (Source: P.A. 96-1081, eff. 7-16-10; 97-957, eff. 1-1-13.)