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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2771

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 2771 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 1. This Act may be referred to as Tammurra's Act.

5 Section 5. The County Shelter Care and Detention Home Act  
6 is amended by adding Section 2.2 as follows:

7 (55 ILCS 75/2.2 new)

8 Sec. 2.2. Suicide prevention information. Each county  
9 shelter care home and detention home authorized and  
10 established by this Act shall place contact information for  
11 the 9-8-8 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline in the home in  
12 a prominent location that is visible to and accessible by  
13 children who are committed to the home by the court.

14 Section 10. The Illinois Local Library Act is amended by

1 adding Section 1-9 as follows:

2 (75 ILCS 5/1-9 new)

3 Sec. 1-9. Suicide prevention information. A public library  
4 shall place contact information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide  
5 Prevention Lifeline in the library in a prominent location  
6 that is visible to and accessible by patrons.

7 Section 15. The Public Library District Act of 1991 is  
8 amended by adding Section 1-27 as follows:

9 (75 ILCS 16/1-27 new)

10 Sec. 1-27. Suicide prevention information. A public  
11 library shall place contact information for the 9-8-8 National  
12 Suicide Prevention Lifeline in the library in a prominent  
13 location that is visible to and accessible by patrons.

14 Section 20. The Village Library Act is amended by adding  
15 Section 4.5 as follows:

16 (75 ILCS 40/4.5 new)

17 Sec. 4.5. Suicide prevention information. A public library  
18 shall place contact information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide  
19 Prevention Lifeline in the library in a prominent location  
20 that is visible to and accessible by patrons.

1 Section 25. The Libraries in Parks Act is amended by  
2 adding Section 3b as follows:

3 (75 ILCS 65/3b new)

4 Sec. 3b. Suicide prevention information. A public library  
5 shall place contact information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide  
6 Prevention Lifeline in the library in a prominent location  
7 that is visible to and accessible by patrons.

8 Section 30. The School Code is amended by changing Section  
9 27-215 as follows:

10 (105 ILCS 5/27-215)

11 Sec. 27-215. Comprehensive health education program.

12 (a) In this subsection (a):

13 "Age and developmentally appropriate" means suitable to  
14 particular ages or age groups of children or adolescents,  
15 based on the developing cognitive, emotional, and behavioral  
16 capacity typical for the age or age group.

17 "Consent" means an affirmative, knowing, conscious,  
18 ongoing, and voluntary agreement to engage in interpersonal,  
19 physical, or sexual activity, which can be revoked at any  
20 point, including during the course of interpersonal, physical,  
21 or sexual activity.

22 The program established under this Act shall include, but  
23 not be limited to, the following major educational areas as a

1 basis for curricula in all elementary and secondary schools in  
2 this State, with applicable Illinois Learning Standards  
3 adopted by the State Board of Education guiding the  
4 instruction in the program:

5 (1) human ecology, health, growth, development,  
6 personal health habits, and nutrition, consistent with the  
7 Illinois Learning Standards adopted by the State Board of  
8 Education;

9 (2) the emotional, psychological, physiological,  
10 hygienic, and social responsibilities of family life,  
11 including evidence-based and medically accurate  
12 information regarding sexual abstinence;

13 (3) the prevention and control of disease, including  
14 instruction in grades 6 through 12 on the prevention,  
15 transmission, and spread of AIDS;

16 (4) age and developmentally appropriate sexual abuse,  
17 consistent with Section 10-23.13 of this Code, abuse  
18 during pregnancy, and assault awareness and prevention  
19 education in grades prekindergarten through 12;

20 (5) public health, environmental health, disaster  
21 preparedness education, and safety education;

22 (6) mental health and illness;

23 (7) dental health;

24 (8) cancer education that includes the types of  
25 cancer, signs and symptoms, risk factors, the importance  
26 of early prevention and detection, and information on

1 where to get help and treatment for cancer; and

2 (9) age and developmentally appropriate consent  
3 education.

4 The instruction on mental health and illness must evaluate  
5 the multiple dimensions of health by reviewing the  
6 relationship between physical and mental health to enhance  
7 student understanding, attitudes, and behaviors that promote  
8 health, well-being, and human dignity and must include how and  
9 where to find mental health resources and specialized  
10 treatment in the State. To raise mental health awareness for  
11 students in grades 6 through 12, a school board shall require  
12 each public school serving students in any of grades 6 through  
13 12 to assess courses and seminars available to those students  
14 through their regular academic experiences and implement  
15 age-appropriate, evidence-based suicide prevention curricula  
16 if opportunities for integration exist. The program shall also  
17 provide course material and instruction to advise pupils of  
18 the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act.

19 Consent education must be age and developmentally  
20 appropriate, and the instruction on age and developmentally  
21 appropriate consent shall require only instruction aligning  
22 with consent as defined in this Section.

23 (b) Notwithstanding the educational areas under subsection  
24 (a), the following areas may also be included as a basis for  
25 curricula in all elementary and secondary schools in this  
26 State: basic first aid (including, but not limited to,

1 cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the Heimlich maneuver),  
2 heart disease, diabetes, stroke, the prevention of child  
3 abuse, neglect, and suicide, and teen dating violence in  
4 grades 7 through 12.

5 (c) The State Superintendent of Education, in cooperation  
6 with the Department of Children and Family Services, shall  
7 prepare and disseminate to all public schools and nonpublic  
8 schools information on instructional materials and programs  
9 about child sexual abuse, which may be used by such schools for  
10 their own or community programs. Such information may also be  
11 disseminated by such schools to parents.

12 (d) No pupil shall be required to take or participate in  
13 any class or course on AIDS or family life instruction or to  
14 receive training on how to properly administer cardiopulmonary  
15 resuscitation or how to use an automated external  
16 defibrillator if his or her parent or guardian submits written  
17 objection thereto, and refusal to take or participate in the  
18 course or program or the training shall not be reason for  
19 suspension or expulsion of the pupil.

20 (Source: P.A. 104-391, eff. 8-15-25.)

21 Section 35. The Public Higher Education Act is amended by  
22 adding Section 11 as follows:

23 (110 ILCS 167/11 new)

24 Sec. 11. Suicide prevention information. A public

1 institution of higher education shall place contact  
2 information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline  
3 in the each of its facilities in a prominent location that is  
4 visible to and accessible by students and staff of the public  
5 institution of higher education.

6 Section 40. The University of Illinois Hospital Act is  
7 amended by adding Section 20 as follows:

8 (110 ILCS 330/20 new)

9 Sec. 20. Compliance with the Hospital Licensing Act;  
10 suicide prevention information. The University of Illinois  
11 Hospital shall comply with Section 11.11 of the Hospital  
12 Licensing Act.

13 Section 45. The Assisted Living and Shared Housing Act is  
14 amended by adding Section 151 as follows:

15 (210 ILCS 9/151 new)

16 Sec. 151. Suicide prevention information. An assisted  
17 living or shared housing establishment shall place contact  
18 information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline  
19 in the establishment in a prominent location that is visible  
20 to and accessible by residents and staff of the establishment.

21 Section 50. The Nursing Home Care Act is amended by adding

1 Section 3-202.2c as follows:

2 (210 ILCS 45/3-202.2c new)

3 Sec. 3-202.2c. Suicide prevention information. A nursing  
4 facility that is subject to this Act shall place contact  
5 information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline  
6 in the facility in a prominent location that is visible to and  
7 accessible by residents and staff of the facility.

8 Section 55. The Hospital Licensing Act is amended by  
9 adding Section 11.11 as follows:

10 (210 ILCS 85/11.11 new)

11 Sec. 11.11. Suicide prevention information. A hospital  
12 shall conspicuously post contact information for the 9-8-8  
13 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline in the hospital, either  
14 by physical or electronic means, for display in an area of its  
15 offices accessible by patients, employees, and visitors.

16 Section 60. The Child Care Act of 1969 is amended by  
17 changing Section 7.01 as follows:

18 (225 ILCS 10/7.01)

19 (This Section may contain text from a Public Act with a  
20 delayed effective date)

21 Sec. 7.01. Minimum standards for licensing; Department of

1 Early Childhood.

2 (a) The Department of Early Childhood must prescribe and  
3 publish minimum standards for licensing that apply to day care  
4 centers, day care homes, and group day care homes. The  
5 Department of Early Childhood shall seek the advice and  
6 assistance of persons representative of day care centers, day  
7 care homes, and group day care homes in establishing such  
8 standards. The standards prescribed and published under this  
9 Act take effect as provided in the Illinois Administrative  
10 Procedure Act, and are restricted to rules pertaining to the  
11 following matters and to any rules required or permitted by  
12 any other Section of this Act:

13 (1) The operation and conduct of the facility and  
14 responsibility it assumes for child care;

15 (2) The character, suitability and qualifications of  
16 the applicant and other persons directly responsible for  
17 the care and welfare of children served. All child day  
18 care center licensees and employees who are required to  
19 report child abuse or neglect under the Abused and  
20 Neglected Child Reporting Act shall be required to attend  
21 training on recognizing child abuse and neglect, as  
22 prescribed by Department of Early Childhood rules;

23 (3) The general financial ability and competence of  
24 the applicant to provide necessary care for children and  
25 to maintain prescribed standards;

26 (4) The number of individuals or staff required to

1 ensure adequate supervision and care of the children  
2 received. The standards shall provide that each day care  
3 center, day care home, and group day care home shall have  
4 on its premises during its hours of operation at least one  
5 staff member certified in first aid, in the Heimlich  
6 maneuver and in cardiopulmonary resuscitation by the  
7 American Red Cross or other organization approved by rule  
8 of the Department of Early Childhood. The Department of  
9 Early Childhood may offer, or arrange for the offering, on  
10 a periodic basis in each community in this State in  
11 cooperation with the American Red Cross, the American  
12 Heart Association or other appropriate organization,  
13 voluntary programs to train operators of day care homes in  
14 first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation;

15 (5) The appropriateness, safety, cleanliness, and  
16 general adequacy of the premises, including maintenance of  
17 adequate fire prevention and health standards conforming  
18 to State laws and municipal codes to provide for the  
19 physical comfort, care, and well-being of children  
20 received;

21 (6) Provisions for food, clothing, educational  
22 opportunities, program, equipment and individual supplies  
23 to ensure the healthy physical, mental, and spiritual  
24 development of children served;

25 (7) Provisions to safeguard the legal rights of  
26 children served;

1           (8) Maintenance of records pertaining to the  
2 admission, progress, health, and discharge of children,  
3 including, for day care centers and day care homes,  
4 records indicating each child has been immunized as  
5 required by State regulations. The Department of Early  
6 Childhood shall require proof that children enrolled in a  
7 facility have been immunized against Haemophilus  
8 Influenzae B (HIB);

9           (9) Filing of reports with the Department of Early  
10 Childhood;

11           (10) Discipline of children;

12           (11) Protection and fostering of the particular  
13 religious faith of the children served;

14           (12) Provisions prohibiting firearms on day care  
15 center premises except in the possession of peace  
16 officers;

17           (13) Provisions prohibiting handguns on day care home  
18 premises except in the possession of peace officers or  
19 other adults who must possess a handgun as a condition of  
20 employment and who reside on the premises of a day care  
21 home;

22           (14) Provisions requiring that any firearm permitted  
23 on day care home premises, except handguns in the  
24 possession of peace officers, shall be kept in a  
25 disassembled state, without ammunition, in locked storage,  
26 inaccessible to children and that ammunition permitted on

1 day care home premises shall be kept in locked storage  
2 separate from that of disassembled firearms, inaccessible  
3 to children;

4 (15) Provisions requiring notification of parents or  
5 guardians enrolling children at a day care home of the  
6 presence in the day care home of any firearms and  
7 ammunition and of the arrangements for the separate,  
8 locked storage of such firearms and ammunition; ~~and~~

9 (16) Provisions requiring all licensed child care  
10 facility employees who care for newborns and infants to  
11 complete training every 3 years on the nature of sudden  
12 unexpected infant death (SUID), sudden infant death  
13 syndrome (SIDS), and the safe sleep recommendations of the  
14 American Academy of Pediatrics; ~~and-~~

15 (17) Provisions requiring all licensed day care  
16 centers to place contact information for the 9-8-8  
17 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline in the licensed day  
18 care center in a prominent location that is visible to and  
19 accessible by children and employees of the licensed day  
20 care center.

21 All licensed day care home providers, licensed group day  
22 care home providers, and licensed day care center directors  
23 and classroom staff shall participate in at least one training  
24 that includes the topics of early childhood social emotional  
25 learning, infant and early childhood mental health, early  
26 childhood trauma, or adverse childhood experiences. Current

1 licensed providers, directors, and classroom staff shall  
2 complete training and shall participate in training that  
3 includes the above topics at least once every 3 years.

4 (b) The Department of Early Childhood, in applying  
5 standards prescribed and published, as herein provided, shall  
6 offer consultation through employed staff or other qualified  
7 persons to assist applicants and licensees in meeting and  
8 maintaining minimum requirements for a license and to help  
9 them otherwise to achieve programs of excellence related to  
10 the care of children served. Such consultation shall include  
11 providing information concerning education and training in  
12 early childhood development to providers of day care home  
13 services. The Department of Early Childhood may provide or  
14 arrange for such education and training for those providers  
15 who request such assistance.

16 (c) The Department of Early Childhood shall distribute  
17 copies of licensing standards to all licensees and applicants  
18 for a license. Each licensee or holder of a permit shall  
19 distribute copies of the appropriate licensing standards and  
20 any other information required by the Department of Early  
21 Childhood to child care facilities under its supervision. Each  
22 licensee or holder of a permit shall maintain appropriate  
23 documentation of the distribution of the standards. Such  
24 documentation shall be part of the records of the facility and  
25 subject to inspection by authorized representatives of the  
26 Department of Early Childhood.

1           (d) The Department of Early Childhood shall prepare  
2 summaries of day care licensing standards. Each licensee or  
3 holder of a permit for a day care facility shall distribute a  
4 copy of the appropriate summary and any other information  
5 required by the Department of Early Childhood, to the legal  
6 guardian of each child cared for in that facility at the time  
7 when the child is enrolled or initially placed in the  
8 facility. The licensee or holder of a permit for a day care  
9 facility shall secure appropriate documentation of the  
10 distribution of the summary and brochure. Such documentation  
11 shall be a part of the records of the facility and subject to  
12 inspection by an authorized representative of the Department  
13 of Early Childhood.

14           (e) The Department of Early Childhood shall distribute to  
15 each licensee and holder of a permit copies of the licensing or  
16 permit standards applicable to such person's facility. Each  
17 licensee or holder of a permit shall make available by posting  
18 at all times in a common or otherwise accessible area a  
19 complete and current set of licensing standards in order that  
20 all employees of the facility may have unrestricted access to  
21 such standards. All employees of the facility shall have  
22 reviewed the standards and any subsequent changes. Each  
23 licensee or holder of a permit shall maintain appropriate  
24 documentation of the current review of licensing standards by  
25 all employees. Such records shall be part of the records of the  
26 facility and subject to inspection by authorized

1 representatives of the Department of Early Childhood.

2 (f) Any standards involving physical examinations,  
3 immunization, or medical treatment shall include appropriate  
4 exemptions for children whose parents object thereto on the  
5 grounds that they conflict with the tenets and practices of a  
6 recognized church or religious organization, of which the  
7 parent is an adherent or member, and for children who should  
8 not be subjected to immunization for clinical reasons.

9 (g) The Department of Early Childhood, in cooperation with  
10 the Department of Public Health, shall work to increase  
11 immunization awareness and participation among parents of  
12 children enrolled in day care centers and day care homes by  
13 publishing on the Department of Early Childhood's website  
14 information about the benefits of immunization against vaccine  
15 preventable diseases, including influenza and pertussis. The  
16 information for vaccine preventable diseases shall include the  
17 incidence and severity of the diseases, the availability of  
18 vaccines, and the importance of immunizing children and  
19 persons who frequently have close contact with children. The  
20 website content shall be reviewed annually in collaboration  
21 with the Department of Public Health to reflect the most  
22 current recommendations of the Advisory Committee on  
23 Immunization Practices (ACIP). The Department of Early  
24 Childhood shall work with day care centers and day care homes  
25 licensed under this Act to ensure that the information is  
26 annually distributed to parents in August or September.

1 (h) Any standard adopted by the Department of Early  
2 Childhood that requires an applicant for a license to operate  
3 a day care home to include a copy of a high school diploma or  
4 equivalent certificate with the person's application shall be  
5 deemed to be satisfied if the applicant includes a copy of a  
6 high school diploma or equivalent certificate or a copy of a  
7 degree from an accredited institution of higher education or  
8 vocational institution or equivalent certificate.

9 (Source: P.A. 103-594, eff. 7-1-26.)

10 Section 65. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended by  
11 adding Section 3-7-7.5 and by changing Section 5-8A-4.2 as  
12 follows:

13 (730 ILCS 5/3-7-7.5 new)

14 Sec. 3-7-7.5. Suicide prevention information. The  
15 Department shall place contact information for the 9-8-8  
16 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline in each institution or  
17 facility of the Department in a prominent location that is  
18 visible to and accessible by committed persons in the  
19 institution or facility.

20 (730 ILCS 5/5-8A-4.2)

21 Sec. 5-8A-4.2. Successful transition to the community.

22 (a) The Department shall engage in reentry planning to  
23 include individualized case planning for persons preparing to

1 be released to the community. This planning shall begin at  
2 intake and be supported throughout the term of incarceration,  
3 with a focused emphasis in the year prior to the inmate's  
4 mandatory statutory release date. All inmates within one year  
5 of their mandatory statutory release data shall be deemed to  
6 be in reentry status. The Department shall develop  
7 administrative directives to define reentry status based on  
8 the requirements of this Section.

9 (b) The Department shall develop incentives to increase  
10 program and treatment participation, positive behavior, and  
11 readiness to change.

12 (c) The Department shall coordinate with, and provide  
13 access at the point of release for, community partners and  
14 State and local government agencies to support successful  
15 transitions through assistance in planning and by providing  
16 appropriate programs to inmates in reentry status. The  
17 Department shall work with community partners and appropriate  
18 state agencies to support the successful transitions through  
19 assistance in planning and by providing appropriate programs  
20 to persons prior to release. Release planning shall include,  
21 but is not limited to:

22 (1) necessary documentation to include birth  
23 certificate, social security card, and identification  
24 card;

25 (2) vocational or educational short-term and long-term  
26 goals;

1           (3) financial literacy and planning to include  
2 payments of fines, fees, restitution, child support, and  
3 other debt;

4           (4) access to healthcare, mental healthcare, and  
5 chemical dependency treatment, including suicide  
6 prevention resources;

7           (5) living and transportation arrangements;

8           (6) family reunification, if appropriate, and  
9 pro-social support networks; and

10          (7) information about community-based employment  
11 services and employment service programs available for  
12 persons with prior arrest or criminal convictions.

13          (d) The Illinois Housing Development Authority shall  
14 create a Frequent Users Systems Engagement (FUSE) Re-Entry  
15 rental subsidy supportive housing program for the most  
16 vulnerable persons exiting the Department of Corrections. The  
17 Re-Entry rental subsidy supportive housing program shall be  
18 targeted to persons with disabilities who have a history of  
19 incarcerations, hospitalizations, and homelessness. The  
20 Illinois Housing Development Authority, the Department of  
21 Human Services Statewide Housing Coordinator, stakeholders,  
22 and the Department of Corrections shall adopt policies and  
23 procedures for the FUSE Re-Entry rental subsidy supportive  
24 housing program including eligibility criteria, geographic  
25 distribution, and documentation requirements which are similar  
26 to the Rental Housing Support Program. The funding formula for

1 this program shall be developed by calculating the number of  
2 prison bed days saved through the timely releases that would  
3 not be possible but for the Re-Entry rental subsidy supportive  
4 housing program. Funding shall include administrative costs  
5 for the Illinois Housing Development Authority to operate the  
6 program.

7 (e) The Department shall report to the General Assembly on  
8 or before January 1, 2019, and annually thereafter, on these  
9 activities to support successful transitions to the community.  
10 This report shall include the following information regarding  
11 persons released from the Department:

12 (1) the total number of persons released each year  
13 listed by county;

14 (2) the number of persons assessed as having a high or  
15 moderate criminogenic need who have completed programming  
16 addressing that criminogenic need prior to release listed  
17 by program and county;

18 (3) the number of persons released in the reporting  
19 year who have engaged in pre-release planning prior to  
20 their release listed by county;

21 (4) the number of persons who have been released to  
22 electronic detention prior to their mandatory supervised  
23 release date;

24 (5) the number of persons who have been released after  
25 their mandatory supervised release date, average time past  
26 mandatory supervised release date, and reasons held past

1 mandatory supervised release date; and

2 (6) when implemented, the number of Frequent Users  
3 Systems Engagement (FUSE) Re-Entry rental subsidy  
4 supportive housing program participants and average prison  
5 bed days saved.

6 (Source: P.A. 100-575, eff. 1-8-18.)

7 Section 70. The Probation and Probation Officers Act is  
8 amended by adding Section 15.3 as follows:

9 (730 ILCS 110/15.3 new)

10 Sec. 15.3. Suicide prevention information. A department  
11 shall ensure that, for all programs operated by the  
12 department, contact information for the 9-8-8 National Suicide  
13 Prevention Lifeline is posted in a prominent location that is  
14 visible to and accessible by offenders in the program."