



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB1055

Introduced 2/17/2021, by Rep. Emanuel Chris Welch

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

745 ILCS 49/10

Amends the Good Samaritan Act. Makes a technical change in the Section concerning immunity from civil liability for providing emergency cardiopulmonary resuscitation to an apparent victim of acute cardiopulmonary insufficiency.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

4 Section 5. The Good Samaritan Act is amended by changing
5 Section 10 as follows:

6 (745 ILCS 49/10)

7 Sec. 10. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation; exemption from
8 civil liability for emergency care. Any person trained in
9 basic cardiopulmonary resuscitation who has successfully
10 completed training in accordance with the ~~the~~ standards of the
11 American Red Cross or the American Heart Association and who
12 in good faith, not for compensation, provides emergency
13 cardiopulmonary resuscitation in accordance with his or her
14 training to a person who is an apparent victim of acute
15 cardiopulmonary insufficiency shall not, as the result of his
16 or her acts or omissions in providing resuscitation, be liable
17 for civil damages, unless the acts or omissions constitute
18 willful and wanton misconduct.

19 (Source: P.A. 97-150, eff. 7-18-11.)