

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB1237

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

755 ILCS 5/4-3

from Ch. 110 1/2, par. 4-3

Amends the Probate Act of 1975. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning signing and attestation of wills.

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- 1 AN ACT concerning civil law.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- **represented in the General Assembly:**
- 4 Section 5. The Probate Act of 1975 is amended by changing
- 5 Section 4-3 as follows:
- 6 (755 ILCS 5/4-3) (from Ch. 110 1/2, par. 4-3)
- 7 Sec. 4-3. Signing and attestation.
- 8 (a) Every will shall be in writing, signed by the the
- 9 testator or by some person in his presence and by his direction
- 10 and attested in the presence of the testator by 2 or more
- 11 credible witnesses.
- 12 (b) A will that qualifies as an international will under
- 13 the Uniform International Wills Act is considered to meet all
- the requirements of subsection (a).
- 15 (Source: P.A. 86-1291.)