

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

4 Section 5. The Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963 is  
5 amended by adding Section 106B-10 as follows:

6 (725 ILCS 5/106B-10 new)

7 Sec. 106B-10. Conditions for testimony by a victim who is a  
8 child or a moderately, severely, or profoundly intellectually  
9 disabled person or a person affected by a developmental  
10 disability. In a prosecution of criminal sexual assault,  
11 predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, aggravated  
12 criminal sexual assault, criminal sexual abuse, or aggravated  
13 criminal sexual abuse, the court may set any conditions it  
14 finds just and appropriate on the taking of testimony of a  
15 victim who is a child under the age of 18 years or a  
16 moderately, severely, or profoundly intellectually disabled  
17 person or a person affected by a developmental disability,  
18 involving the use of a facility dog in any proceeding involving  
19 that offense. When deciding whether to permit the child or  
20 person to testify with the assistance of a facility dog, the  
21 court shall take into consideration the age of the child or  
22 person, the rights of the parties to the litigation, and any  
23 other relevant factor that would facilitate the testimony by

1 the child or the person. As used in this Section, "facility  
2 dog" means a dog that is a graduate of an assistance dog  
3 organization that is a member of Assistance Dogs International.