

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: RCS 03/25/2009

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Storms) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Liability for supported employment employees.-

- (1) An employer employing an individual who has a disability, as defined by the ADA Amendments Act of 2008, 42 U.S.C. s. 12102(2), is not liable for the acts or omissions, negligent or intentional, of the employee if:
- (a) The employee has received supported employment services through a public or private not-for-profit provider;

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- (b) The employer has relied in good faith on the information provided by the supported employment service provider regarding the supported employee; and
- (c) The employer does not have prior actual notice of the employee's propensity for the actions at issue.
- (2) A supported employment service provider that provides supported employment services to an individual who has a disability as defined in subsection (1), is not liable for the acts or omissions, negligent or intentional, of the employee if:
- (a) The provider has provided training and supervision to the individual in a reasonable and prudent fashion; and
- (b) If legally permissible, the provider or its representative has provided information to the individual's employer regarding the supported employee.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.

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> ========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to persons with disabilities; providing that an employer of certain individuals who have a disability is not liable for their acts or omissions; providing that a supported employment provider providing services to an individual with disabilities is not liable for the employees' acts or omissions under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.