

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to assisted living facilities; amending s.  
 3           429.19, F.S.; removing a requirement that the Agency for  
 4           Health Care Administration disseminate annually a printed  
 5           list of assisted living facilities sanctioned or fined to  
 6           specified agencies and departments; providing an effective  
 7           date.

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 9   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 11           Section 1. Subsection (9) of section 429.19, Florida  
 12           Statutes, is amended to read:

13           429.19 Violations; imposition of administrative fines;  
 14           grounds.—

15           ~~(9) The agency shall develop and disseminate an annual~~  
 16           ~~list of all facilities sanctioned or fined for violations of~~  
 17           ~~state standards, the number and class of violations involved,~~  
 18           ~~the penalties imposed, and the current status of cases. The list~~  
 19           ~~shall be disseminated, at no charge, to the Department of~~  
 20           ~~Elderly Affairs, the Department of Health, the Department of~~  
 21           ~~Children and Family Services, the Agency for Persons with~~  
 22           ~~Disabilities, the area agencies on aging, the Florida Statewide~~  
 23           ~~Advocacy Council, and the state and local ombudsman councils.~~  
 24           ~~The Department of Children and Family Services shall disseminate~~  
 25           ~~the list to service providers under contract to the department~~  
 26           ~~who are responsible for referring persons to a facility for~~  
 27           ~~residency. The agency may charge a fee commensurate with the~~  
 28           ~~cost of printing and postage to other interested parties~~

CODING: Words **stricken** are deletions; words **underlined** are additions.

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29 ~~requesting a copy of this list. This information may be provided~~  
30 ~~electronically or through the agency's Internet site.~~

31 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.