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DELAWARE STATE SENATE 151st GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE BILL NO. 77

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 16 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO THE COMMUNITY-BASED NALOXONE ACCESS PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

- Section 1. Amend § 3001G, Title 16 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and
- 2 insertions as shown by underline as follows:
- 3 § 3001G. Administration of naloxone by public safety personnel and the Community-Based Naloxone Access
- 4 Program.
- 5 (h) A lay individual who administers naloxone to an individual under the Community-Based Naloxone Access
- 6 Program is rendering emergency care under § 6801 of this title.

SYNOPSIS

This Act clarifies that a lay individual who administers naloxone under the Community-Based Naloxone Access Program is protected from civil liability for rendering emergency care under § 6801 of Title 16, the general Good Samaritan law.

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