

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1013

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRIST.

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JOSEPH ENGLER, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 197, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to hospitals with emergency departments.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 197, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 197.062, to read as follows:

2 **197.062. A hospital with an emergency department shall have at least one**  
2 **physician on site and on duty who is responsible for the emergency department at all**  
3 **times the emergency department is open.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.