

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 845

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE STINNETT.

2102H.011

JOSEPH ENGLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 192, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to specialty hospitals.

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

Section A. Chapter 192, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 192.2521, to read as follows:

**192.2521. A specialty hospital is exempt from the provisions of sections 192.2520
2 and 197.135 if such hospital has a policy for the transfer of a victim of a sexual assault to
3 an appropriate hospital with an emergency department. As used in this section,
4 "specialty hospital" means a hospital that has been designated by the department of
5 health and senior services as something other than a general acute care hospital.**

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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.