

SENATE BILL NO. 1248

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR BROWN (16).

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal section 190.245, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to peer review committees.

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

Section A. Section 190.245, RSMo, is repealed and one new
2 section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 190.245,
3 to read as follows:

190.245. **1.** Failure of a hospital to provide all
2 medical records and quality improvement documentation
3 necessary for the department to implement provisions of
4 sections 190.241 to 190.245 shall result in the revocation
5 of the hospital's designation as a trauma center, STEMI
6 center, or stroke center. Any medical records obtained by
7 the department shall be used only for purposes of
8 implementing the provisions of sections 190.241 to 190.245
9 and the names of hospitals, physicians and patients shall
10 not be released by the department or members of review teams.

11 **2. Any person licensed under sections 190.001 to**
12 **190.245 shall be considered a health care professional for**
13 **purposes of section 537.035, and any quality improvement or**
14 **quality assurance activity required under sections 190.001**
15 **to 190.245 shall be considered an activity of a peer review**
16 **committee for purposes of section 537.035.**

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