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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 197, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to ambulatory surgical centers.

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 known as section 197.217, to read as follows:

197.217. A licensed, outpatient only ambulatory surgical center shall be permitted to operate under the license of a hospital that owns and operates it so long as the ambulatory surgical center continues to meet all the rules and regulations governing ambulatory surgical centers under sections 197.200 to 197.240 and under 19 CSR 30-30.010 to 19 CSR 30-30.110. The department of health and senior services shall continue to inspect, survey, and require the same general design and construction standards for ambulatory surgical centers for the outpatient only ambulatory surgical center operating under the license of a hospital under this section.