

STATE OF ILLINOIS
PART 1240 PRIVATE DETECTIVE, PRIVATE ALARM, PRIVATE SECURITY AND LOCKSMITH ACT OF 2004

ARTICLE 10 - GENERAL LICENSING PROVISIONS

(225 ILCS 447/10-5)

Sec. 10-5. Requirement of license:

(a) It is unlawful for a person to act as or provide the functions of a private alarm contractor, or to advertise or to assume to act as one, or to use this or any other title implying that the person is engaged in any of these activities unless licensed as such by the Department

(b) It is unlawful for a person, firm, corporation, or other legal entity to act as an agency licensed under this Act, to advertise, or to assume to act as a licensed agency or to use a title implying that the person, firm, or other entity is engaged in the practice private alarm contractor agency, unless licensed by the Department

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225 ILCS 447/5-10)

Sec. 5-10. Definitions. As used in this Act:

"Alarm system" means any system, including an electronic access control system, a surveillance video system, a security video system, a burglar alarm system, a fire alarm system, or any other electronic system that activates an audible, visible, remote, or recorded signal that is designed for the protection or detection of intrusion, entry, theft, fire, vandalism, escape, or trespass, or other electronic systems designed for the protection of life by indicating the existence of an emergency situation. "Alarm system" also includes an emergency communication system and a mass notification system.