94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB1762

Introduced 2/25/2005, by Sen. Susan Garrett

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/16-7

from Ch. 122, par. 16-7

Amends the School Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning playgrounds, recreation grounds, and athletic fields.

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AN ACT concerning education.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Section
16-7 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/16-7) (from Ch. 122, par. 16-7)

7 Sec. 16-7. Playgrounds, recreation grounds and and athletic fields. Any school district organized and existing 8 9 under the general law or by special charter having a population of not more than 500,000 inhabitants may acquire real estate by 10 gift, donation, legacy, purchase or otherwise and hold it for 11 the purpose of establishing playgrounds, recreation grounds 12 and athletic fields, and may equip, operate and maintain such 13 14 playgrounds, recreation grounds and athletic fields, the cost 15 of such acquiring and equipping to be paid either from the proceeds of bonds issued for that purpose or out of the 16 17 operations and maintenance fund, and the cost of such maintaining and operating to be paid from the educational fund, 18 19 of the district. Such real estate need not be contiguous to any 20 other school property or real estate owned by the school district. 21

22 (Source: P.A. 86-970.)