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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1415

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 1415, AS AMENDED, by  
3 replacing everything after the enacting clause with the  
4 following:

5 "Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Sections  
6 2-3.25f and 10-19.1 as follows:

7 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.25f) (from Ch. 122, par. 2-3.25f)  
8 Sec. 2-3.25f. State interventions.

9 (a) The State Board of Education shall provide technical  
10 assistance to assist with the development and implementation of  
11 School and District Improvement Plans.

12 Schools or school districts that fail to make reasonable  
13 efforts to implement an approved Improvement Plan may suffer  
14 loss of State funds by school district, attendance center, or  
15 program as the State Board of Education deems appropriate.

16 (a-5) In this subsection (a-5), "school" means any of the

1 following named public schools or their successor name:

2 (1) Dirksen Middle School in Dolton School District  
3 149.

4 (2) Diekman Elementary School in Dolton School  
5 District 149.

6 (3) Caroline Sibley Elementary School in Dolton School  
7 District 149.

8 (4) Berger-Vandenberg Elementary School in Dolton  
9 School District 149.

10 (5) Carol Moseley Braun School in Dolton School  
11 District 149.

12 (6) New Beginnings Learning Academy in Dolton School  
13 District 149.

14 (7) McKinley Junior High School in South Holland School  
15 District 150.

16 (8) Greenwood Elementary School in South Holland  
17 School District 150.

18 (9) McKinley Elementary School in South Holland School  
19 District 150.

20 (10) Eisenhower School in South Holland School  
21 District 151.

22 (11) Madison School in South Holland School District  
23 151.

24 (12) Taft School in South Holland School District 151.

25 (13) Wolcott School in Thornton School District 154.

26 (14) Memorial Junior High School in Lansing School

1 District 158.

2 (15) Oak Glen Elementary School in Lansing School

3 District 158.

4 (16) Lester Crawl Primary Center in Lansing School

5 District 158.

6 (17) Brookwood Junior High School in Brookwood School

7 District 167.

8 (18) Brookwood Middle School in Brookwood School

9 District 167.

10 (19) Hickory Bend Elementary School in Brookwood

11 School District 167.

12 (20) Medgar Evers Primary Academic Center in Ford

13 Heights School District 169.

14 (21) Nathan Hale Elementary School in Sunnybrook

15 School District 171.

16 (22) Ira F. Aldridge Elementary School in City of

17 Chicago School District 299.

18 (23) William E.B. DuBois Elementary School in City of

19 Chicago School District 299.

20 If, after 2 years following its placement on academic watch  
21 status, a school remains on academic watch status, then,  
22 subject to federal appropriation money being available, the  
23 State Board of Education shall allow the school board to opt in  
24 the process of operating that school on a pilot full-year  
25 school plan approved by the State Board of Education upon  
26 expiration of its teachers' current collective bargaining

1 agreement until the expiration of the next collective  
2 bargaining agreement. A school board must notify the State  
3 Board of Education of its intent to opt in the process of  
4 operating a school on a pilot full-year school plan.

5 (b) In addition, if after 3 years following its placement  
6 on academic watch status a school district or school remains on  
7 academic watch status, the State Board of Education shall take  
8 one of the following actions for the district or school:

9 (1) The State Board of Education may authorize the  
10 State Superintendent of Education to direct the regional  
11 superintendent of schools to remove school board members  
12 pursuant to Section 3-14.28 of this Code. Prior to such  
13 direction the State Board of Education shall permit members  
14 of the local board of education to present written and oral  
15 comments to the State Board of Education. The State Board  
16 of Education may direct the State Superintendent of  
17 Education to appoint an Independent Authority that shall  
18 exercise such powers and duties as may be necessary to  
19 operate a school or school district for purposes of  
20 improving pupil performance and school improvement. The  
21 State Superintendent of Education shall designate one  
22 member of the Independent Authority to serve as chairman.  
23 The Independent Authority shall serve for a period of time  
24 specified by the State Board of Education upon the  
25 recommendation of the State Superintendent of Education.

26 (2) The State Board of Education may (A) change the

1 recognition status of the school district or school to  
2 nonrecognized, or (B) authorize the State Superintendent  
3 of Education to direct the reassignment of pupils or direct  
4 the reassignment or replacement of school district  
5 personnel who are relevant to the failure to meet adequate  
6 yearly progress criteria. If a school district is  
7 nonrecognized in its entirety, it shall automatically be  
8 dissolved on July 1 following that nonrecognition and its  
9 territory realigned with another school district or  
10 districts by the regional board of school trustees in  
11 accordance with the procedures set forth in Section 7-11 of  
12 the School Code. The effective date of the nonrecognition  
13 of a school shall be July 1 following the nonrecognition.

14 (c) All federal requirements apply to schools and school  
15 districts utilizing federal funds under Title I, Part A of the  
16 federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

17 (Source: P.A. 93-470, eff. 8-8-03; 94-875, eff. 7-1-06.)

18 (105 ILCS 5/10-19.1) (from Ch. 122, par. 10-19.1)

19 Sec. 10-19.1. Full year school plan.

20 (a) Any school district may, by resolution of its board,  
21 operate one or more schools within the district on a full year  
22 school plan approved by the State Board of Education. Any board  
23 which operates under this subsection (a) ~~Section~~ shall devise a  
24 plan so that a student's required attendance in school shall be  
25 for a minimum term of 180 days of actual attendance, including

1 not more than 4 institute days, during a 12 month period, but  
2 shall not exceed 185 days. Under such plan, no teacher shall be  
3 required to teach more than 185 days. A calendar of 180 days  
4 may be established with the approval of the State Board of  
5 Education.

6 (b) Any school board that operates one or more schools  
7 within the school district on a pilot full-year school plan  
8 under subsection (a-5) of Section 2-3.25f of this Code shall  
9 devise a plan so that a student's required attendance in school  
10 shall be for a minimum term of 215 days of actual attendance,  
11 including not more than 4 institute days, during a 12-month  
12 period. A calendar of 215 days may be established with the  
13 approval of the State Board of Education.

14 (Source: P.A. 81-1508.)".