

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2017 and 2018 HB5144

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/10-22.22

from Ch. 122, par. 10-22.22

Amends the School Code. Provides that, beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, a school board with a pupil attending an area secondary vocational school shall pay the vocational school tuition based upon the vocational school's per capita cost or the school district's per capita cost, whichever one is greater (instead of just the vocational school's per capita cost). Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning education.

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

- 4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Section
- 5 10-22.22 as follows:

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- 6 (105 ILCS 5/10-22.22) (from Ch. 122, par. 10-22.22)
- 7 Sec. 10-22.22. Transportation for <u>pupils; tuition;</u> 8 vocational school pupils-Tuition.

To provide free transportation for pupils, and where in its judgment the interests of the district and of the pupils therein will be best subserved by so doing the school board may permit the pupils in the district or in any particular grade to attend the schools of other districts and may permit any pupil to attend an area secondary vocational school operated by a public school district or a public or non-public vocational school within the State of Illinois or adjacent states approved by the Board of Vocational Education, and may provide free transportation for such pupils and shall pay the tuition of such pupils in the schools attended; except as otherwise provided in this Section, such tuition shall be based upon per capita cost computed in the following manner: The cost of conducting and maintaining any area secondary vocational school facility shall be first determined and shall include the

- 1 following expenses applicable only to such educational
- 2 facility under rules and regulations established by the Board
- 3 of Vocational Education and Rehabilitation as follows:
- 4 a. Salaries of teachers, vocational counselors, and
- 5 supporting professional workers, necessary non-certified
- 6 workers, clerks, custodial employees, and any district
- 7 taxes specifically for their pension and retirement
- 8 benefits.
- 9 b. Equipment and supplies necessary for program
- 10 operation.
- 11 c. Administrative costs.
- d. Operation of physical plant, including heat, light,
- water, repairs, and maintenance.
- 14 e. Auxiliary service, not including any transportation
- 15 cost.
- 16 From such total cost thus determined there shall be
- 17 deducted the State reimbursement due on account of such
- 18 educational facility for the same year, not including any State
- 19 reimbursement for area secondary vocational school
- 20 transportation. Such net cost shall be divided by the average
- 21 number of pupils in average daily attendance in such area
- 22 secondary vocational school facility for the school year in
- order to arrive at the net per capita tuition cost. Such costs
- 24 shall be computed on pupils regularly enrolled in an area
- 25 secondary vocational school on the basis of one-sixth day for
- 26 every class hour attended pursuant to such enrollment.

- 1 Provided, that the board subject to the approval of the county
- 2 superintendent of schools may determine what schools outside of
- 3 their district such pupils shall attend. This Section section
- 4 does not require the board of directors or board of education
- of any district to admit pupils from another district.
- Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, the tuition to be
- 7 paid by a school board under this Section shall be based upon
- 8 the vocational school's per capita cost, as computed under this
- 9 Section, or the school district's per capita cost, as computed
- 10 under Section 10-20.12a of this Code, whichever one is greater.
- 11 (Source: P.A. 94-213, eff. 7-14-05.)
- 12 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 13 becoming law.