

**SB3539**



**100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**State of Illinois**

**2017 and 2018**

**SB3539**

Introduced 2/16/2018, by Sen. Michael E. Hastings

**SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:**

105 ILCS 5/10-20.67 new  
105 ILCS 5/34-18.60 new

Amends the School Code. Provides that a school board shall require each physical education teacher or health teacher to complete an open water safety training course, approved by the State Board of Education, prior to employment by a school district. Effective July 1, 2019.

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**A BILL FOR**

1 AN ACT concerning education.

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

4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Sections  
5 10-20.67 and 34-18.60 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/10-20.67 new)

7 Sec. 10-20.67. Physical education or health teacher;  
8 training course. A school board shall require each physical  
9 education teacher or health teacher to complete an open water  
10 safety training course, approved by the State Board of  
11 Education, prior to employment by a school district.

12 (105 ILCS 5/34-18.60 new)

13 Sec. 34-18.60. Physical education or health teacher;  
14 training course. The board shall require each physical  
15 education teacher or health teacher to complete an open water  
16 safety training course, approved by the State Board of  
17 Education, prior to employment by the school district.

18 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
19 2019.