

# HB0811



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB0811

by Rep. Robert Martwick

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/27A-10.5

Amends the Charter Schools Law of the School Code. Provides that a charter school established on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act may not enter into a contract with a for-profit educational or charter management organization. Effective immediately.

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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 changing Section  
5 27A-10.5 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/27A-10.5)

7 Sec. 27A-10.5. Educational or charter management  
8 organization.

9 (a) In this Section:

10 "CMO" means a charter management organization.

11 "EMO" means an educational management organization.

12 (b) All authorizers shall ensure that any charter school  
13 established on or after the effective date of this amendatory  
14 Act of the 98th General Assembly has a governing body that is  
15 separate and distinct from the governing body of any CMO or  
16 EMO. In reviewing charter applications and charter renewal  
17 applications, authorizers shall review the governance model  
18 proposed by the applicant to ensure that there are no conflicts  
19 of interest.

20 (c) No charter school may employ a staff person who is  
21 simultaneously employed by an EMO or CMO.

22 (d) A charter school established on or after the effective  
23 date of this amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly may

1 not enter into a contract with a for-profit EMO or CMO.

2 (Source: P.A. 98-783, eff. 1-1-15.)

3 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
4 becoming law.