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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2609

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 2609 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section
5 2-3.176 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.176 new)

7 Sec. 2-3.176. School safety and security grants. Subject to
8 appropriation or private donations, the State Board of
9 Education shall award grants to school districts to support
10 school safety and security. Grant funds may be used for school
11 security improvements, including professional development,
12 safety-related upgrades to school buildings, equipment,
13 including metal detectors and x-ray machines, and facilities,
14 including school-based health centers. The State Board must
15 prioritize the distribution of grants under this Section to
16 school districts designated as Tier 1 or Tier 2 under Section

1 18-8.15.".