

SB2290



101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB2290

Introduced 10/28/2019, by Sen. David Koehler

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

110 ILCS 805/2-27 new

Amends the Public Community College Act. Requires the Illinois Community College Board to publish on its website online textbooks and supplementary learning materials, including faculty resources, for the 20 most common courses taught at community colleges for any community college student or faculty member to access free of charge and without limitation. Requires the Board to consult with community college faculty members in the development of these online textbooks and materials. Requires the online textbooks and materials to be published no later than December 1, 2020 and to be updated, as the Board determines is necessary, on an annual basis. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

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 Public Community College Act is amended by
5 adding Section 2-27 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 805/2-27 new)

7 Sec. 2-27. Online textbook availability. The State Board
8 shall publish on its website online textbooks and supplementary
9 learning materials, including faculty resources, for the 20
10 most common courses taught at community colleges for any
11 community college student or faculty member to access free of
12 charge and without limitation. The State Board shall consult
13 with community college faculty members in the development of
14 these online textbooks and materials. The online textbooks and
15 materials shall be published no later than December 1, 2020 and
16 shall be updated, as the State Board determines is necessary,
17 on an annual basis.

18 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
19 becoming law.