

# SB2610



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 10/18/2023, by Sen. Robert F. Martwick

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/34-4

from Ch. 122, par. 34-4

Amends the School Code. Authorizes the Chicago Board of Education, by resolution, to provide for the compensation of its members.

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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 34-4 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/34-4) (from Ch. 122, par. 34-4)

7 Sec. 34-4. Eligibility. To be eligible for election or  
8 appointment to the board, a person shall be a citizen of the  
9 United States, shall be a registered voter as provided in the  
10 Election Code, shall have been a resident of the city and, if  
11 applicable, the electoral district, for at least one year  
12 immediately preceding his or her election or appointment, and  
13 shall not be a child sex offender as defined in Section 11-9.3  
14 of the Criminal Code of 2012. A person is ineligible for  
15 election or appointment to the board if that person is an  
16 employee of the school district. All persons eligible for  
17 election to the board shall be nominated by a petition signed  
18 by no less than 250 voters residing within the electoral  
19 district on a petition in order to be placed on the ballot,  
20 except that persons eligible for election to the board at  
21 large shall be nominated by a petition signed by no less than  
22 2,500 voters residing within the city. Permanent removal from  
23 the city by any member of the board during his term of office

1 constitutes a resignation therefrom and creates a vacancy in  
2 the board. The board may, by resolution, provide for the  
3 compensation of board members. The compensation provided for  
4 board members may include, but is not limited to,  
5 reimbursement ~~Board members shall serve without any~~  
6 ~~compensation; however, board members shall be reimbursed for~~  
7 expenses incurred while in the performance of their duties  
8 upon submission of proper receipts or upon submission of a  
9 signed voucher in the case of an expense allowance evidencing  
10 the amount of such reimbursement or allowance to the president  
11 of the board for verification and approval. Board members  
12 shall not hold other public office under the Federal, State or  
13 any local government other than that of Director of the  
14 Regional Transportation Authority, member of the economic  
15 development commission of a city having a population exceeding  
16 500,000, notary public or member of the National Guard, and by  
17 accepting any such office while members of the board, or by not  
18 resigning any such office held at the time of being elected or  
19 appointed to the board within 30 days after such election or  
20 appointment, shall be deemed to have vacated their membership  
21 in the board.

22 (Source: P.A. 102-177, eff. 6-1-22; 102-691, eff. 12-17-21.)