

1 AN ACT concerning higher education.

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

4 Section 5. The University of Illinois Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 35 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 305/35 new)

7 Sec. 35. Students called to active military service. The  
8 University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
9 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
10 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
11 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
12 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
13 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
14 active military service). The student must be given priority  
15 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

16 Section 10. The Southern Illinois University Management  
17 Act is amended by adding Section 20 as follows:

18 (110 ILCS 520/20 new)

19 Sec. 20. Students called to active military service. The  
20 University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
21 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
22 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
23 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
24 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
25 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
26 active military service). The student must be given priority  
27 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

28 Section 15. The Chicago State University Law is amended by  
29 adding Section 5-130 as follows:

1 (110 ILCS 660/5-130 new)

2 Sec. 5-130. Students called to active military service. The  
3 University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
4 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
5 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
6 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
7 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
8 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
9 active military service). The student must be given priority  
10 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

11 Section 20. The Eastern Illinois University Law is amended  
12 by adding Section 10-130 as follows:

13 (110 ILCS 665/10-130 new)

14 Sec. 10-130. Students called to active military service.  
15 The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
16 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
17 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
18 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
19 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
20 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
21 active military service). The student must be given priority  
22 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

23 Section 25. The Governors State University Law is amended  
24 by adding Section 15-130 as follows:

25 (110 ILCS 670/15-130 new)

26 Sec. 15-130. Students called to active military service.  
27 The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
28 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
29 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
30 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
31 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the

1 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
2 active military service). The student must be given priority  
3 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

4 Section 30. The Illinois State University Law is amended by  
5 adding Section 20-135 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 675/20-135 new)

7 Sec. 20-135. Students called to active military service.  
8 The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
9 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
10 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
11 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
12 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
13 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
14 active military service). The student must be given priority  
15 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

16 Section 35. The Northeastern Illinois University Law is  
17 amended by adding Section 25-130 as follows:

18 (110 ILCS 680/25-130 new)

19 Sec. 25-130. Students called to active military service.  
20 The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
21 called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
22 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
23 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
24 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
25 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
26 active military service). The student must be given priority  
27 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

28 Section 40. The Northern Illinois University Law is amended  
29 by adding Section 30-140 as follows:

30 (110 ILCS 685/30-140 new)

1       Sec. 30-140. Students called to active military service.  
2       The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
3       called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
4       courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
5       credit has already been given or the student received a full  
6       refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
7       student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
8       active military service). The student must be given priority  
9       over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

10       Section 45. The Western Illinois University Law is amended  
11       by adding Section 35-135 as follows:

12       (110 ILCS 690/35-135 new)

13       Sec. 35-135. Students called to active military service.  
14       The University shall allow a currently enrolled student who is  
15       called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
16       courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
17       credit has already been given or the student received a full  
18       refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
19       student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
20       active military service). The student must be given priority  
21       over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

22       Section 50. The Public Community College Act is amended by  
23       changing Section 3-21 and by adding Section 3-26.5 as follows:

24       (110 ILCS 805/3-21) (from Ch. 122, par. 103-21)

25       Sec. 3-21. The board of community college districts shall  
26       have the duties enumerated in the Sections following this  
27       Section and preceding Section 3-30 ~~Sections 3-22 through~~  
28       ~~3-29.2.~~

29       Notwithstanding any provision of this Article to the  
30       contrary, when bonds are issued by any district and the  
31       purposes for which such bonds have been issued have been  
32       accomplished and paid for in full and there remains funds on

1 hand in such bond and interest account, the board by resolution  
2 may transfer such excess to the fund of the district which  
3 bears the nearest relation to the purpose for which the bonds  
4 from which such excess funds arose were issued.

5 (Source: P.A. 86-1246.)

6 (110 ILCS 805/3-26.5 new)

7 Sec. 3-26.5. Students called to active military service. A  
8 community college shall allow a currently enrolled student who  
9 is called to active military service to complete any unfinished  
10 courses at a later date at no additional charge, unless course  
11 credit has already been given or the student received a full  
12 refund upon withdrawing from the course (in which case the  
13 student's record shall reflect that the withdrawal is due to  
14 active military service). The student must be given priority  
15 over other students in reenrolling in the course or courses.

16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
17 becoming law.