

1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 684

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 684 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing
5 Section 1-2 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/1-2) (from Ch. 122, par. 1-2)
7 Sec. 1-2. Construction. The provisions of this Act, so
8 far as they are the same as those of any prior statute, shall
9 be construed as a continuation of those such prior
10 provisions, and not as a new enactment.

11 If in any other statute reference is made to an Act of
12 the General Assembly, or a section of such an Act, which is
13 continued in this School Code, such reference shall be held
14 to refer to the Act or section thereof so continued in this
15 Code.

16 (Source: Laws 1961, p. 31.)

17 Section 10. The Illinois Speech-Language Pathology and
18 Audiology Practice Act is amended by changing Section 2 as
19 follows:

20 (225 ILCS 110/2) (from Ch. 111, par. 7902)

1 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2008)

2 Sec. 2. Legislative Declaration of Public Policy. The
3 practice of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology in the
4 State of Illinois is hereby declared to affect the public
5 health, safety and welfare and to be subject to regulation
6 and control in the public interest. It is further declared
7 to be a matter of public interest and concern that the
8 speech-language pathology and audiology professions merit and
9 receive the confidence of the public and that only qualified
10 persons be permitted to practice this profession in the State
11 of Illinois. This Act must ~~shall~~ be liberally construed to
12 carry out these objectives and purposes.

13 It is further declared to be the public policy of this
14 State, pursuant to subsections (h) and (i) of Section 6 of
15 Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, that any
16 power or function set forth in this Act to be exercised by
17 the State is an exclusive State power or function. Such
18 power or function shall not be exercised concurrently, either
19 directly or indirectly, by any unit of local government,
20 including home rule units, except as otherwise provided in
21 this Act.

22 (Source: P.A. 85-1391.)".