

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 adding Sections
5 10-20.53 and 34-18.45 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/10-20.53 new)

7 Sec. 10-20.53. Minimum reading instruction. Each school
8 board shall promote 60 minutes of minimum reading opportunities
9 daily for students in kindergarten through 3rd grade whose
10 reading level is one grade level or lower than his or her
11 current grade level according to current learning standards and
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20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
21 becoming law.