



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2019 and 2020

**HB5384**

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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

110 ILCS 160/20 new

Amends the Credit for Prior Learning Act. Requires the Board of Higher Education to create an ongoing program of stakeholder meetings between public universities and the employer community to develop standardized credit-hour privileges for prior learning and to better stabilize the number of credentials issued in Illinois. Requires the Illinois Community College Board to create an ongoing program for stakeholder meetings between community colleges and the employer community to develop standardized credit-hour privileges for prior learning and to better stabilize the number of credentials issued in Illinois.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

STATE MANDATES  
ACT MAY REQUIRE  
REIMBURSEMENT

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 Credit for Prior Learning Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 20 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 160/20 new)

7 Sec. 20. Stakeholder meetings.

8 (a) The Board of Higher Education shall create an ongoing  
9 program of stakeholder meetings between public universities  
10 and the employer community to develop standardized credit-hour  
11 privileges for prior learning and to better stabilize the  
12 number of credentials issued in Illinois.

13 (b) The Illinois Community College Board shall create an  
14 ongoing program for stakeholder meetings between community  
15 colleges and the employer community to develop standardized  
16 credit-hour privileges for prior learning and to better  
17 stabilize the number of credentials issued in Illinois.