



100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB4858

by Rep. Robert W. Pritchard

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 720/3
30 ILCS 720/6

from Ch. 85, par. 893
from Ch. 85, par. 896

Amends the Industrial Development Assistance Law. Allows local school districts and community colleges to apply for and receive grants under the Act for the acquisition of land, construction of facilities, and purchase of equipment, dedicated solely to the instruction of occupations in manufacturing. Provides additional eligibility requirements for local school districts and community colleges applying for grants under the Act. Modifies the term "industrial development agency" to include local school districts and community colleges.

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1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

4 Section 5. The Industrial Development Assistance Law is
5 amended by changing Sections 3 and 6 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 720/3) (from Ch. 85, par. 893)

7 Sec. 3. Definitions. "Department" means the Department of
8 Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

9 "Governing bodies" means, as to any county, municipality or
10 township, the body empowered to enact ordinances or to adopt
11 resolutions for the governance of such county, municipality or
12 township.

13 "Industrial development agency" means any nonprofit
14 corporation, organization, association, or agency, including a
15 local school district or community college, which shall be
16 designated by proper resolution of the governing body of any
17 county, concurred in by resolution of the governing bodies of
18 municipalities or townships within said county having in the
19 aggregate over 50% of the population of said county, as
20 determined by the last preceding decennial United States
21 Census, as the agency authorized to make application to and
22 receive grants from the Department of Commerce and Economic
23 Opportunity for the purposes specified in this Act. Any two or

1 more counties may, by the procedures provided in this Act,
2 designate a single industrial development agency to represent
3 such counties for the purposes of this Act.

4 (Source: P.A. 94-793, eff. 5-19-06.)

5 (30 ILCS 720/6) (from Ch. 85, par. 896)

6 Sec. 6. Payment of grants to industrial development
7 agencies.

8 (a) Upon approval of each application and the making of a
9 grant by the department in accordance therewith, the department
10 shall give notice to the particular industrial development
11 agency of such approval and grant, and shall direct the
12 industrial development agency to proceed with its proposed
13 promotional program as described in its application and to use
14 therefor funds allocated by the industrial development agency
15 for such purpose. Upon the furnishing of satisfactory evidence
16 to the department, on a quarterly basis, that the particular
17 industrial development agency has so proceeded, the grant
18 allocated to such industrial development agency shall be paid
19 over on such basis to the industrial development agency by the
20 department.

21 (b) In furtherance of the intent of this Act, a local
22 school district or community college may apply competitively
23 and receive a grant from the Department under this Act for the
24 acquisition of land, construction of facilities, and purchase
25 of equipment, dedicated solely to the instruction of

1 occupations in manufacturing. To be eligible under this
2 subsection (b), a school district or community college shall,
3 in addition to other industrial development agency
4 requirements under this Act, demonstrate that it provides
5 instruction leading to industry-based certificates or degrees,
6 or both, and its application is supported in writing by not
7 less than 15 local manufacturing employers for high schools or
8 100 manufacturing employers for community colleges.

9 (Source: P.A. 76-1961.)