

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 1. This Act may be referred to as the Supporting
5 Special Needs Students Law.

6 Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section
7 2-3.11e as follows:

8 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.11e new)

9 Sec. 2-3.11e. Adult students receiving special education
10 services; computation of completion rates. Relating to the
11 exclusion of certain adult students receiving special
12 education services from computation of completion rates for
13 purposes of public school accountability, when computing
14 completion rates under Section 10-17a, the State
15 Superintendent of Education shall exclude students who:

16 (1) are at least 18 years of age as of September 1 of
17 the school year as reported for the fall semester and have
18 satisfied the credit requirements for high school
19 graduation;

20 (2) have not completed their individualized education
21 program in accordance with Section 14-1.02 of this Code
22 and the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education

1 Act (20 U.S.C. Section 1400 et seq.); and
2 (3) are enrolled and receiving individualized
3 education program services.