

1 AN ACT concerning schools.

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 Section
5 2-3.131 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.131 new)

7 Sec. 2-3.131. Student safety; transfers for unsafe school
8 choice purposes. The State Board of Education shall adopt
9 and implement a policy regarding moving students within a
10 school district from a persistently dangerous school to
11 another public school in that district that is not deemed to
12 be persistently dangerous, according to criteria established
13 in rules by the State Board of Education. The policy shall
14 apply to all school districts and public schools in the
15 State, including special charter districts, laboratory
16 schools operated by the governing board of a public
17 university, and alternative schools operated by regional
18 superintendents of schools, but excludes the Department of
19 Corrections school district.

20 Section 90. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding
21 Section 8.27 as follows:

22 (30 ILCS 805/8.27 new)

23 Sec. 8.27. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6
24 and 8 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required
25 for the implementation of any mandate created by this
26 amendatory Act of the 93rd General Assembly.

27 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
28 becoming law.