

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 SB2282

Introduced 2/20/2009, by Sen. Tim Bivins

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 25/1.5 new

Amends the Interscholastic Athletic Organization Act. Provides that a short announced prayer before all athletic events sanctioned by the Illinois High School Association, including State tournaments, must be permitted. Effective immediately.

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- 1 AN ACT concerning education.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- **represented in the General Assembly:**
- 4 Section 5. The Interscholastic Athletic Organization Act
- is amended by adding Section 1.5 as follows:
- 6 (105 ILCS 25/1.5 new)
- Sec. 1.5. Prayer permitted. A short announced prayer before
- 8 all athletic events sanctioned by the Illinois High School
- 9 Association, including State tournaments, must be permitted.
- 10 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 11 becoming law.