

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 School Code is amended by adding Section
5 22-65 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/22-65 new)

7 Sec. 22-65. Enrollment information; children of military
8 personnel. At the time of annual enrollment or at any time
9 during the school year, a school district or a recognized
10 non-public school, except for sectarian non-public schools,
11 servng any of grades kindergarten through 12 shall provide,
12 either on its standard enrollment form or on a separate form,
13 the opportunity for the individual enrolling the student to
14 voluntarily state whether the student has a parent or guardian
15 who is a member of a branch of the armed forces of the United
16 States and who is either deployed to active duty or expects to
17 be deployed to active duty during the school year. Each school
18 district and recognized non-public school shall report this
19 enrollment information as aggregate data to the State Board of
20 Education.

21 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
22 becoming law.