

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 Fire Sprinkler Dormitory Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 10 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 47/10)

7 Sec. 10. Fire sprinkler systems required. Subject to the  
8 establishment of a fire sprinkler dormitory revolving loan  
9 program under Section 15 of this Act, fire sprinkler systems  
10 are required in the dormitories of all post-secondary  
11 educational institutions by 2013, unless a post-secondary  
12 educational institution files a compliance plan with the Office  
13 of the State Fire Marshal, approved by the Office, by January  
14 1, 2013. The compliance plan shall include a detailed timeline  
15 that outlines completion of the planned sprinkler system  
16 installations. The Office of the State Fire Marshal may, at its  
17 discretion, require periodic updates from a post-secondary  
18 educational institution to document its efforts to comply with  
19 this Act. All sprinkler installations required by this Act  
20 shall be completed and operational by December 31, 2014. A  
21 violation of this Section is a business offense punishable by a  
22 fine of not more than \$1,000 per day. This requirement includes  
23 current structures as well as newly constructed dormitories.

1 Nothing in this Act may be construed to abrogate any statute,  
2 rule, or ordinance requiring that a fire extinguisher be  
3 present in a dormitory.

4 (Source: P.A. 93-887, eff. 1-1-05; 94-204, eff. 7-14-05.)