

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 2-3.160 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.160 new)

7 Sec. 2-3.160. Definition of dyslexia in rules; reading  
8 instruction advisory group.

9 (a) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules that  
10 incorporate an international definition of dyslexia into Part  
11 226 of Title 23 of the Illinois Administrative Code.

12 (b) Subject to specific State appropriation or the  
13 availability of private donations, the State Board of Education  
14 shall establish an advisory group to develop a training module  
15 or training modules to provide education and professional  
16 development to teachers, school administrators, and other  
17 education professionals regarding multi-sensory, systematic,  
18 and sequential instruction in reading. This advisory group  
19 shall complete its work before July 31, 2015 and is abolished  
20 on July 31, 2015.

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