

# SB0579



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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SB0579

Introduced 1/24/2013, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 25/1

from Ch. 122, par. 1821

Amends the Interscholastic Athletic Organization Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a prohibition.

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A BILL FOR

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 Interscholastic Athletic Organization Act  
5 is amended by changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 25/1) (from Ch. 122, par. 1821)

7 Sec. 1. No membership or other dues or fees shall be paid  
8 by the ~~the~~ governing body of any public elementary or public  
9 secondary school in this State to any association or other  
10 entity which has as one of its purposes promoting, sponsoring,  
11 regulating or in any manner providing for interscholastic  
12 athletics or any form of athletic competition among schools and  
13 students within this State if such association or other entity  
14 adopts or maintains in effect any bylaw, rule, regulation or  
15 policy which designates or requires a member to designate its  
16 school principal or any other school administrator as the  
17 representative of the member who alone is entitled to cast the  
18 vote of the member on any matter coming before such association  
19 or entity which is to be determined by a vote of its general  
20 membership; provided, that the provisions of this Section shall  
21 not apply if the bylaws, rules, regulations or policies of such  
22 association or entity, as adopted and applied: (i) authorize  
23 the governing board of each secondary school which is a member

1 of the association or entity to appoint, as the allotted  
2 representative of such secondary school entitled to cast its  
3 vote on any matter coming before the association or entity  
4 which is to be determined by a vote of its general membership,  
5 any coach, athletic director, teacher, principal or other  
6 school administrator employed at the secondary school which the  
7 governing body chooses to appoint as such representative, and  
8 (ii) provide that if no representative of a member is so  
9 appointed by its governing body, that the school principal of  
10 the member shall be its representative authorized to cast its  
11 vote unless and until the governing body shall otherwise  
12 appoint.

13 (Source: P.A. 85-656.)