



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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HB2767

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 605/6.04
110 ILCS 205/8

from Ch. 127, par. 133b9.4
from Ch. 144, par. 188

Amends the State Property Control Act and the Board of Higher Education Act. Provides that, with respect to public universities, the Department of Central Management Services may require a listing of equipment items only for those items valued in excess of \$5,000. Provides that the requirement that State-supported institutions of higher education submit plans for capital improvements of non-instructional facilities to the Board of Higher Education for approval applies only to improvements that use State funds in whole or in part. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

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 State Property Control Act is amended by
5 changing Section 6.04 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 605/6.04) (from Ch. 127, par. 133b9.4)

7 Sec. 6.04. Annually, and upon at least 30 days notice, the
8 administrator may require each responsible officer to make, or
9 cause to be made, an actual physical inventory check of all
10 items of property under his jurisdiction and control and said
11 inventory shall be certified to the administrator with a full
12 accounting of all errors or exceptions reported therein. With
13 respect to public universities, the Department of Central
14 Management Services may require a listing of equipment items
15 only for those items valued in excess of \$5,000.

16 (Source: Laws 1955, p. 34.)

17 Section 10. The Board of Higher Education Act is amended by
18 changing Section 8 as follows:

19 (110 ILCS 205/8) (from Ch. 144, par. 188)

20 Sec. 8. The Board of Trustees of the University of
21 Illinois, the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois

1 University, the Board of Trustees of Chicago State University,
2 the Board of Trustees of Eastern Illinois University, the Board
3 of Trustees of Governors State University, the Board of
4 Trustees of Illinois State University, the Board of Trustees of
5 Northeastern Illinois University, the Board of Trustees of
6 Northern Illinois University, the Board of Trustees of Western
7 Illinois University, and the Illinois Community College Board
8 shall submit to the Board not later than the 15th day of
9 November of each year its budget proposals for the operation
10 and capital needs of the institutions under its governance or
11 supervision for the ensuing fiscal year. Each budget proposal
12 shall conform to the procedures developed by the Board in the
13 design of an information system for State universities and
14 colleges.

15 In order to maintain a cohesive system of higher education,
16 the Board and its staff shall communicate on a regular basis
17 with all public university presidents. They shall meet at least
18 semiannually to achieve economies of scale where possible and
19 provide the most innovative and efficient programs and
20 services.

21 The Board, in the analysis of formulating the annual budget
22 request, shall consider rates of tuition and fees and
23 undergraduate tuition and fee waiver programs at the state
24 universities and colleges. The Board shall also consider the
25 current and projected utilization of the total physical plant
26 of each campus of a university or college in approving the

1 capital budget for any new building or facility.

2 The Board of Higher Education shall submit to the Governor,
3 to the General Assembly, and to the appropriate budget agencies
4 of the Governor and General Assembly its analysis and
5 recommendations on such budget proposals.

6 The Board is directed to form a broad-based group of
7 individuals representing the Office of the Governor, the
8 General Assembly, public institutions of higher education,
9 State agencies, business and industry, Statewide organizations
10 representing faculty and staff, and others as the Board shall
11 deem appropriate to devise a system for allocating State
12 resources to public institutions of higher education based upon
13 performance in achieving State goals related to student success
14 and certificate and degree completion.

15 Beginning in Fiscal Year 2013, the Board of Higher
16 Education budget recommendations to the Governor and the
17 General Assembly shall include allocations to public
18 institutions of higher education based upon performance
19 metrics designed to promote and measure student success in
20 degree and certificate completion. These metrics must be
21 adopted by the Board by rule and must be developed and
22 promulgated in accordance with the following principles:

23 (1) The metrics must be developed in consultation with
24 public institutions of higher education, as well as other
25 State educational agencies and other higher education
26 organizations, associations, interests, and stakeholders

1 as deemed appropriate by the Board.

2 (2) The metrics shall include provisions for
3 recognizing the demands on and rewarding the performance of
4 institutions in advancing the success of students who are
5 academically or financially at risk, including
6 first-generation students, low-income students, and
7 students traditionally underrepresented in higher
8 education, as specified in Section 9.16 of this Act.

9 (3) The metrics shall recognize and account for the
10 differentiated missions of institutions and sectors of
11 higher education.

12 (4) The metrics shall focus on the fundamental goal of
13 increasing completion of college courses, certificates,
14 and degrees. Performance metrics shall recognize the
15 unique and broad mission of public community colleges
16 through consideration of additional factors including, but
17 not limited to, enrollment, progress through key academic
18 milestones, transfer to a baccalaureate institution, and
19 degree completion.

20 (5) The metrics must be designed to maintain the
21 quality of degrees, certificates, courses, and programs.

22 In devising performance metrics, the Board may be guided by the
23 report of the Higher Education Finance Study Commission.

24 Each state supported institution within the application of
25 this Act must submit its plan for capital improvements of
26 non-instructional facilities that use State funds in whole or

1 in part to the Board for approval before final commitments are
2 made if the total cost of the project as approved by the
3 institution's board of control is in excess of \$2 million.
4 Non-instructional uses shall include but not be limited to
5 dormitories, union buildings, field houses, stadium, other
6 recreational facilities and parking lots. The Board shall
7 determine whether or not any project submitted for approval is
8 consistent with the master plan for higher education and with
9 instructional buildings that are provided for therein. If the
10 project is found by a majority of the Board not to be
11 consistent, such capital improvement shall not be constructed.
12 (Source: P.A. 97-290, eff. 8-10-11; 97-320, eff. 1-1-12;
13 97-610, eff. 1-1-12; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12.)

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
15 becoming law.