

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 Public Higher Education Act is amended by
5 adding Section 15 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 167/15 new)

7 Sec. 15. National Guard and reservist classwork policy.

8 The governing board of each public institution of higher
9 education shall adopt a policy to allow a student who is a
10 member of the National Guard of any state, the District of
11 Columbia, a commonwealth, or a territory of the United States
12 or any reserve component of the Armed Forces of the United
13 States to submit classwork and complete any other class
14 assignments missed due to the student participating in a drill
15 or other military obligation required as a member of the
16 National Guard or the reserve component.