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167	2004, for a ma	ximum of 150 days; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 1891, effective January 24, 2005;	
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       31 Ill. Reg. 7135, effective April 25, 2007; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 9897, effective June 26,
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       2007; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 10229, effective June 30, 2008; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 5448,
       effective March 24, 2009; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 15193, effective October 20, 2009; amended
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       at 34 Ill. Reg. 2959, effective February 18, 2010; emergency amendment at 34 Ill. Reg. 9533,
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       effective June 24, 2010, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 34 Ill. Reg. 17411, effective
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       October 28, 2010; amended at 35 III. Reg. 1056, effective January 3, 2011; amended at 35 III.
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       Reg. 2230, effective January 20, 2011; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 12328, effective July 6, 2011;
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       amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 16743, effective September 29, 2011; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 5580,
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       effective March 20, 2012; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 8303, effective May 21, 2012; amended at 38
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       Ill. Reg. 6127, effective February 27, 2014; amended at 38 Ill. Reg. 11203, effective May 6,
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       2014; amended at 39 III. Reg. 2773, effective February 9, 2015; emergency amendment at 39 III.
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       Reg. 12369, effective August 20, 2015, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 39 Ill. Reg.
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       13411, effective September 24, 2015; amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 1900, effective January 6, 2016;
       amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 2990, effective January 27, 2016; amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 4929, effective
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       March 2, 2016; amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 12276, effective August 9, 2016; emergency amendment
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       at 40 Ill. Reg. 15957, effective November 18, 2016, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 41
       Ill. Reg. 126, effective December 27, 2016; amended at 41 Ill. Reg. 4430, effective April 5,
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       2017; amended at 41 III. Reg. 6924, effective June 2, 2017; emergency amendment at 41 III. Reg.
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       8932, effective June 28, 2017, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 41 Ill. Reg. 14044,
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       effective November 3, 2017; amended at 42 III. Reg. 11512, effective June 8, 2018; amended at
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       43 Ill. Reg. 3792, effective February 28, 2019; amended at 43 Ill. Reg. 10213, effective August
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       30, 2019; amended at 43 Ill. Reg. 10718, effective September 11, 2019; amended at 43 Ill. Reg.
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       13324, effective October 29, 2019; emergency amendment at 43 Ill. Reg. 14305, effective
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       November 20, 2019, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment to emergency rule at
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       43 Ill. Reg. 14941, effective December 4, 2019, for the remainder of the 150 days; emergency
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       amendment to amended emergency rule at 44 Ill. Reg. 4085, effective February 25, 2020, for the
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       remainder of the 150 days; amended at 44 Ill. Reg. 1929, effective January 13, 2020; amended at
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       44 Ill. Reg. 6377, effective April 9, 2020; emergency amendment at 44 Ill. Reg. 7971, effective
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       April 27, 2020, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired September 23, 2020; emergency
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       amendment at 44 Ill. Reg. 8382, effective May 1, 2020, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency
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       expired September 27, 2020; amended at 44 Ill. Reg. 9961, effective May 21, 2020; emergency
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       amendment at 44 Ill. Reg. 13498, effective July 31, 2020, for a maximum of 150 days;
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       emergency expired December 27, 2020; emergency amendment at 44 Ill. Reg. 16860, effective
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       September 29, 2020, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment to emergency rule at
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       44 Ill. Reg. 17816, effective October 23, 2020, for the remainder of the 150 days; emergency
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       rule as amended expired February 25, 2021; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 867, effective January 4,
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       2021; amended at 45 III. Reg. 1644, effective January 22, 2021; emergency amendment at 45 III.
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       Reg. 4543, effective March 24, 2021, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August
       20, 2021; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 5362, effective April 12, 2021; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 5744,
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       effective April 21, 2021; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 8280, effective June 24, 2021; amended at 45
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       Ill. Reg. 9446, effective July 7, 2021; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 9760, effective July 22, 2021;
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       emergency amendment at 45 Ill. Reg. 11212, effective August 26, 2021, for a maximum of 150
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       days; emergency expired January 22, 2022; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 13180, effective October 8,
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217	of 150 days; e	merger	ncy amendment to emergency rule at 45 Ill. Reg. 15344, effective November
218	22, 2021, for t	the rem	ainder of the 150 days; emergency rule as amended expired March 26,
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220			ember 1, 2021; amended at 46 Ill. Reg. 6272, effective April 11, 2022;
221	,		eg. 12736, effective July 13, 2022; amended at 46 Ill. Reg. 17093, effective
222			ended at 46 Ill. Reg. 18472, effective November 7, 2022; amended at 47 Ill.
223			e November 28, 2023; amended at 48 Ill. Reg. 2411, effective February 5,
224	•		Ill. Reg, effective
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226			SUBPART A: RECOGNITION REQUIREMENTS
227228	Section 1 100	Waiv	er and Modification of State Board Rules and School Code Mandates
229	Section 1.100	vv ai v	er and modification of State Board Rules and School Code Mandates
230	a)	As au	thorized in Section 2-3.25g of the School Code [105 ILCS 5], an eligible
231			eant, as defined in 2-3.25g(a), or any Independent Authority established
232			Section 2-3.25f-5 of the School Code may petition for:
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234		1)	Approval of waivers or modifications of State Board of Education rules
235			and of modifications of School Code mandates, which may be requested to
236			meet the intent of the rule or mandate in a more effective, efficient, or
237			economical manner or when necessary to stimulate innovation or to
238			improve student performance (Section 2-3.25g(b) of the School Code); or
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240		2)	Approval of waivers of School Code mandates, which may be requested
241			when necessary to stimulate innovation or to improve student performance
242			or the intent of the mandate in a more effective, efficient, or economical
243			manner (Section 2-3.25g(b) of the School Code).
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245	b)	"The S	School Code" comprises only those statutes compiled at 105 ILCS 5.
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247		1)	Waivers or modifications from State Board rules or School Code mandates
248			pertaining to special education, teacher educator licensure, teacher tenure
249			and seniority, or implementing compliance with the federal Every Student
250			Succeeds Act (20 <u>U.S.C.</u> USC 6301 et seq.) or the Every Student Succeeds
251			Act State Plan are not permitted.
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253		2)	Waivers or modifications of mandates pertaining to the use of student
254			performance data and performance categories for teacher and principal
255			evaluations, as required under Article 24A of the School Code, are not
256			permitted and on September 1, 2014, any previously authorized waiver or
257			modification from such requirements shall terminate (Section 2-3.25g(b)
258			of the School Code).

- 3) Waivers of mandates contained in Section 5-1 of the School Code or in Section 5-2.1 of the School Code also shall not be requested.
- c) As used in this Section, "waiver" means a petition to discontinue the implementation of a mandate and "modification" means a petition to partially implement a mandate.
- d) Each application for a waiver or modification shall provide the following, on a form supplied by the State Board of Education.
 - 1) Identification of the rules or mandates involved, either by quoting the exact language of or by providing a citation to the rules or mandates at issue. Applicants unable to determine the exact language or citation may obtain a copy of, or citation to, the rules or mandates involved by contacting the State Board of Education Legislative Affairs Department by mail at 100 North First Street, Springfield, Illinois, 62777-0001, by email at waivercorrespondence@isbe.net, or by telephone at 217-782-6510.
 - 2) Identification as to the specific waivers or modifications sought. For modifications, the specific modified wording of the rules or mandates must be stated.
 - 3) Identification as to whether the request is for an initial waiver or modification or for the renewal of a previously approved request.
 - 4) For requests based upon meeting the intent of the rule or mandate in a more effective, efficient, or economical manner, a narrative description that sets forth:
 - A) the intent of the rule or mandate to be achieved;
 - B) the manner in which the applicant will meet that intent;
 - C) how the manner proposed by the applicant will be more effective, efficient, or economical; and
 - D) if the applicant proposes a more economical manner, a fiscal analysis showing current expenditures related to the request and the projected savings that would result from approval of the request.
 - 5) If the request is necessary for stimulating innovation or improving student

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performance, the request must include the specific plan for improved student performance and school improvement upon which the request is based. This plan must include a description of how the applicant will determine success in the stimulation of innovation or the improvement of student performance.

- 6) If the request is for a waiver of the administrative expenditure limitation established by Section 17-1.5 of the School Code, the request must include the amount, nature, and reason for the requested relief and all remedies that have been exhausted to comply with the administrative expenditure limitation and shall otherwise comply with Section 17-1.5(d) of the School Code.
- 7) The time period for which the waiver or modification is sought. Pursuant to Section 2-3.25g of the School Code, this time period may not exceed five years, except for requests made pursuant to subsection (c)(6)-of this Section, which may not exceed one year (see Section 17-1.5(d) of the School Code).
- 8) A description of the public hearing held to take testimony about the request from educators, parents, and students, which shall include the information required by Section 2-3.25g of the School Code.
- An assurance stating the date of the public hearing conducted to consider the application and, if applicable, the specific plan for improved student performance and school improvement; affirming that the hearing was held before a quorum of the board or before the regional superintendent, as applicable, and that it was conducted as prescribed in Section 2-3.25g of the School Code; and stating the date the application (and, if applicable, the plan) was approved by the local governing board or regional superintendent.
- e) Each applicant must attach to the application a dated copy of the notice of the public hearing that was published in a newspaper of general circulation, a dated copy of the written notifications about the public hearing provided to the applicant's collective bargaining agent and to those State legislators representing the applicant, and a dated copy of the notice of the public hearing posted on the applicant's website, each of which must comply with the requirements of Section 2-3.25g of the School Code. Those State legislators representing the applicant must be notified of the public hearing at least seven days prior to the date of the hearing.
- f) Applications must be sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, and

345 addressed as specified on the application form. 346 347 g) Applications must be postmarked no later than 15 calendar days following the local governing board's approval. (See Section 2-3.25g(d) of the School Code.) 348 349 Applications addressed other than as specified on the application form shall not be 350 processed. 351 352 Applications for the waiver or modification of State Board rules or for the h) 353 modification of School Code mandates shall be deemed approved and effective 46 calendar days after the date of receipt by the State Board of Education unless 354 355 disapproved in writing. Receipt by the State Board shall be determined by the 356 date of receipt shown on the return receipt form, except in the case of an 357 incomplete application. 358 359 1) An applicant submitting an incomplete application shall be contacted by staff of the State Board regarding the need for additional information and 360 the date by which the information must be received in order to avoid the 361 362 application's return as ineligible for consideration. 363 The 45-day response time referred to in this subsection (h) shall not 364 2) 365 commence until the applicant submits the additional material requested by the State Board. 366 367 368 3) Each application that has not been made complete by the date identified in accordance with subsection (h)(1) shall be ineligible for consideration and 369 shall be returned to the applicant with an explanation as to the 370 371 deficiencies. 372 373 i) The State Board may disapprove a request for the waiver or modification of State 374 Board rules or for the modification of School Code mandates if the request: 375 376 1) is not based upon sound educational practices; 377 378 2) endangers the health or safety of students or staff; 379 380 3) compromises equal opportunities for learning; or 381 382 4) does not address the intent of the rule or mandate in a more effective, 383 efficient or economical manner or does not have improved student 384 performance as a primary goal. (Section 2-3.25g(d) of the School Code). 385 386 j) Disapproval of an application for a waiver or modification of a State Board rule or 387 for a modification of a School Code mandate shall be sent by certified mail to the

388		applicant no later than 45 calendar days after receipt of the application by the
389		State Board. An applicant wishing to appeal the denial of a request may do so
390		within 30 calendar days after receipt of the denial letter by sending a written
891		appeal by certified mail to the Illinois State Board of Education, Legislative
392		Affairs Department, 100 North First Street, S-404, Springfield, Illinois 62777-
393		0001 or by email to waiverscorrespondence@isbe.net. The written appeal shall
394		include the date the local governing board approved the original request, the
395		citation of the rule or School Code section involved, and a brief description of the
396		issue. Appeals of denials shall be submitted to the General Assembly in the
397		semiannual report required under Section 2-3.25g of the School Code.
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399	k)	Applications shall be postmarked by <u>July</u> August 15 to be considered for the fall
100		waiver report and December January 15 to be considered for the spring waiver
101		report. The State Superintendent of Education shall periodically notify school
102		districts and other potential applicants of the date by which applications must be
103		postmarked to be processed for inclusion in the next report to the General
104		Assembly. Each application will be reviewed for completeness. Complete
105		applications shall be submitted to the General Assembly in the next report.
106		Incomplete applications shall be treated as discussed in subsections (h)(1) and
107		(h)(3).
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109	1)	The State Superintendent shall notify Regional Superintendents of Schools and
110		Intermediate Service Centers of the disposition of requests for waivers or
111		modifications submitted by school districts located within their regions.
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113	(Source	e: Amended at 48 Ill. Reg, effective)