1 AN ACT concerning education.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section 5 2-3.206 as follows:
- 6 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.206 new)
- Sec. 2-3.206. Assessment reporting transparency.
- 8 (a) On or before July 1, 2025 and each fiscal year
- 9 thereafter, the State Board of Education shall report, for
- 10 <u>each assessment contract the State Board of Education enters</u>
- into, all of the following:
- 12 (1) the effective date of the contract and the date
  13 the contract concludes;
- 14 (2) whether the contract includes any renewal options
  15 and, if so, the length and number of renewals;
- 16 (3) the total contract costs on a yearly basis; and
- 17 (4) the notice of communications with the vendor to
  18 exercise renewal options.
- 19 <u>(b) The State Board of Education shall compile the</u>
  20 <u>information required under subsection (a) and make that</u>
  21 information available to the public on its Internet website.
- 22 <u>(c) To further enhance the transparency around</u>
  23 assessments, the State Board of Education shall engage with

- 1 stakeholder groups, such as the committee appointed under
- Section 2-3.64a-5 and the Balanced Accountability Measure 2
- 3 Committee created in Section 2-3.25a, other State Board of
- 4 Education established groups, such as the Technical Advisory
- Committee, and any other relevant entities established after 5
- 6 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 104th General
- 7 Assembly.
- (d) The State Board of Education may adopt any rules 8
- necessary to carry out its responsibilities under this 9
- 10 Section.
- 11 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 12 becoming law.