

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 School Breakfast and Lunch Program Act is
5 amended by adding Section 5.5 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 125/5.5 new)

7 Sec. 5.5. Plant-based school lunch option. As a part of
8 the school lunch program, a school district shall provide a
9 plant-based school lunch option that complies with federal
10 nutritional mandates to those students who submit a prior
11 request to the school district requesting a plant-based school
12 lunch option.

13 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect August
14 1, 2023.