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- 1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2634
- 2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 2634 by replacing
- 3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:
- 4 "Section 5. The Children and Family Services Act is
- 5 amended by changing Section 8 as follows:
- (20 ILCS 505/8) (from Ch. 23, par. 5008) 6
- 7 Sec. 8. Scholarships and fee waivers.
- (a) Each year the Department may select from among the
- 9 children under care, or children formerly under care who have
- been adopted or are in the subsidized guardianship program, a 10
- maximum of 48 students (at least 4 of whom shall be children 11
- of veterans) who have completed 4 years in an accredited high 12
- school; the children selected shall be eligible 13 for
- scholarships and fee waivers which will entitle them to 4 14
- consecutive years of community college, university, 15

college education. Selection shall be made on the basis of

at any university or college maintained by the State of

The Department shall provide maintenance and

- scholastic record, aptitude, and general interest in higher 17
- education. In accordance with this Act, tuition scholarships
- and fee waivers shall be available to selected such students
- school expenses, except tuition and fees, during the academic 22

- 1 years to supplement the <u>selected</u> students' earnings or other
- 2 resources so long as they consistently maintain scholastic
- 3 records which are acceptable to their schools and to the
- 4 Department. <u>Selected</u> students may attend other colleges and
- 5 universities, if scholarships are awarded them, and receive
- 6 the same benefits for maintenance and other expenses as those
- 7 <u>selected</u> students attending any Illinois State community
- 8 college, university, or college under this Section.
- 9 (b) If the student is not selected for a scholarship and
- 10 <u>fee waiver under subsection (a) of this Section, the student</u>
- 11 <u>is eligible for a scholarship that entitles the student to 8</u>
- 12 semesters or 12 quarters of full payment of tuition and
- 13 mandatory fees at a public institution of higher education,
- 14 <u>as defined under the Board of Higher Education Act, if the</u>
- 15 <u>student is admitted to the institution.</u>
- 16 (Source: P.A. 90-608, eff. 6-30-98.)".