

The following chart summarizes by topic the action on all waiver and modification requests that the State Board of Education (SBE) has received since March 1995, showing action by SBE and the General Assembly (GA). This chart is generally updated around June and January of each year.

Summary of Waiver/Modification Requests (March 1995 through October 2011 [report #33]; last revised April 12, 2012.)

Topic	Code Citation*	# of Requests	Approved – ISBE	Approved – GA	Denied – SBE	Denied – GA	Returned**
Academic Watch List	/2-3.25d	2	0	2	0	0	0
Accountability	Various	26	11	2	0	8	5
Administrative Certificate	Various	16	5	2	4	1	4
Administrative Expenditure Limits	/17-1.5	330	0	259	0	29	42
Administrative Expenditure Limits	/34-43.1(c)	1	1	0	0	0	0
Assessment	/2-3.64	3	0	0	0	2	1
Alternative Schools	/Art. 13A	1	1	0	0	0	0
Attendance Procedures	Rules	3	1	0	0	0	2
Bid Limits	/34-21	4	3	1	0	0	0
Bonds	/5-22	3	0	2	0	0	1
Certificates	Various	14	3	2	0	1	8
Charter Schools	/27A-9(f)	6	0	0	0	3	3
Consolidation	Various	6	0	4	0	1	1
Contracts (employment)	/10-23.8, 23.8a	2	0	1	0	1	0
Corporal Punishment	/22-24	4	0	0	0	3	1
Course Requirements	Various	13	9	1	0	0	3
Criminal Background Checks	/10-21.9	4	3	0	0	0	1
Debt Limit	/19-1	10	0	7	0	3	0
Debt Service Grants	105 ILCS 230; rules	2	0	0	0	0	2
Driver Education	/27-24.2, 24.3, rules	470	52	391	0	5	22
ESC Administration	/2-3.62	4	1	3	0	0	0
Evaluation Process	/24A-5	85	1	72	0	2	10
Fiscal Year Change	Various	3	0	1	0	2	0
Funds (use of/transfers/interest)	Various	32	0	27	0	1	4
General State Aid Calculations	/18-8.05	19	0	11	0	5	3
Gifted Education	/Art. 14A	1	0	0	0	0	1
Graduation Requirements	27-22	1	0	1	0	0	0

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Grant Programs	/1C-2(b), 2-3.51	2	0	0	1	0	1
Health Education	/27-5	30	9	5	0	0	16
Health/Life Safety	Various	12	1	1	0	1	9
Holidays	/24-2	3,348	3,128	6	0	2	212
Immunizations	/27-8.1	34	0	19	0	0	15
Inservice Training	/18-8.05	209	20	172	0	1	16
Instructional Time (year/day)	/18-8.05; Various	16	0	4	0	8	4
Instructional Time (PSAE)	/18-8.-05(F)(2)	130	115	0	0	1	14
Interim Superintendent	/10-21.4	8	0	6	0	0	2
Kindergarten	/10-20.19a, 22.18	5	0	4	0	0	1
Lease of School Property	/10-22.11(c)	1	0	1	0	0	0
Local School Councils	/34--2.1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Medication Administration	/10-22.21b	8	2	5	0	0	1
Parent-Teacher Conferences	/18-8.05	214	20	170	0	1	23
Physical Education	/27-6	703	158	506	0	7	32
Principal's Duties	10-21.4a	2	0	1	0	0	1
Protection from Suit	/34-18.1	1	1	0	0	0	0
RIF Notices	/24-12, 10-23.5	13	0	7	0	0	6
RIF (Chicago only)	/34-84	1	0	1	0	0	0
ROEs	/3-14.2	2	0	2	0	0	0
Salary	/10-23.8	1	0	0	0	0	1
School Food Program	Rules	6	5	0	0	0	1
School Nurse	/10-22.23	110	15	77	0	3	15
School Report Card	/10-17a	1	0	1	0	0	0
Special Education	Rules	4	0	0	0	0	4
Sprinklers	/22-23	38	1	25	0	4	8
Statement of Affairs	/10-17	14	0	9	0	4	1
Substitute Teachers	/21-9	106	9	42	0	48	7
Superintendent's Duties	10-21.4, Rules	6	2	2	0	0	2
Tax Caps	35 ILCS 200/18-190	4	0	0	0	0	4
Tax Rates, Levies	/17-2, 17-6.1	2	0	2	0	0	0
Teacher Aides	/10-22.34, Rules	8	4	2	0	0	2
Technology	None	2	0	0	0	0	2
Tenure	Various	6	0	0	0	0	6

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Titles I & X (federal)	Titles I & X	2	0	0	0	0	2
Transportation, Reimbursement	/29-5, Rules	5	1	1	1	1	1
Treasurer - Appointment	/5-1	6	0	4	0	1	1
Treasurer - Qualifications	/8-1(c) & (e)	1	0	1	0	0	0
Treasurer - Residency	/8-1	12	0	9	0	0	3
Tuition	/10-20.12a	150	0	137	0	1	12
Union Dues	/34-18	1	0	0	0	0	1
Vocational Education	Rules	5	5	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		6,295	3,588	2,011	6	150	540

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