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To: Board of Education  
From: Dr. Robert Schiffbauer  
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Subject: Legislative Update

**SB 2914-** SB 2914 (Cappel; D-Joliet) has passed both houses of the legislature and is awaiting the Governor's signature. This legislation will change how school districts manage employee discipline by adding binding arbitration at the "notice to remedy" stage. While this may appear procedural, it introduces new costs, delays, and limitations on a district's ability to address ongoing performance concerns early.

**SB 2427-** SB 2427 (Castro; D-Elgin) has passed both houses of the legislature and is awaiting the Governor's signature. This legislation is known as the "school cell phone ban." The legislation sets parameters for school districts to develop a cell phone policy that complies with the legislation. This legislation goes into effect for the 2027-2028 school year.