

1 AN ACT relating to public school building renovations.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 162.062 is amended to read as follows:

4 (1) The chief state school officer shall not approve the plans and specifications for
5 a new public school building contemplated by a board of education~~[or for any addition or~~
6 ~~alteration of old buildings]~~, as required by KRS 162.060, unless the plans and
7 specifications provide for:

8 (a) A minimum of two (2) water bottle filling stations in each school;

9 (b) A minimum of one (1) drinking fountain or water bottle filling station on each
10 floor and wing of each school building; and

11 (c) A minimum of one (1) drinking fountain or water bottle filling station for
12 every seventy-five (75) students projected to attend the school upon
13 completion of the proposed construction.

14 (2) Any water bottle filling station installed in a public school building shall:

15 (a) Dispense filtered, clean drinking water;

16 (b) Be regularly cleaned and maintained; and

17 (c) If there is no drinking fountain on the same floor and wing as the water bottle
18 filling station, be accompanied by a cup dispenser.

19 (3) Any drinking fountain installed in a public school building shall:

20 (a) Be equipped with a protective cowl;

21 (b) Be equipped with a water spout at least one (1) inch above the overflow rim of
22 the drinking fountain;

23 (c) Dispense filtered, clean drinking water; and

24 (d) Be regularly cleaned and maintained.