

Williams School has a history of probation status. Williams was placed on probation in

October 1990. Williams' probation was terminated in 1991. Williams was receiving from

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10 At Ward Elementary, the following percentage of students met or exceeded State Standards as the

1999-2000	37.2
2000-2001	48.3

The following percentages arrested Ward students for the academic school years 1995-1996 through

1995-1996	49%
1996-1997	37.0
1997-1998	60.9
1998-1999	63.7
1999-2000	50.3
2000-2001	67.2

the 50% level, the State's goal for the ISRT and has consistently had gain scores in Ward is above excess of one year.

13.3 The system-wide attendance rate for 2000-2001 was 90.4% and at Williams it was 90.4%.

13.4 The system-wide mobility rate for 2000-2001 was 25.2% and at Williams it was 28.9%.

14. The evidence demonstrated that fewer than 17% of the children at Williams met or exceeded Illinois Standards for Reading in 2001. The evidence demonstrated that the students at Williams are not only failing to make progress, but

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no that the selection of Williams School for closure was contrary to the allegations made at the hearing. Considerations such as the socioeconomic condition of the community and base upon requirements

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