## SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 610

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending sections 1535a and 1539b (MCL 380.1535a and 380.1539b), as amended by 2004 PA 51.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1535a. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person who
- 2 holds a teaching certificate that is valid in this state has been
- 3 convicted of a crime described in this subsection, within 10
- 4 working days after receiving notice of the conviction the
- 5 superintendent of public instruction shall notify the person in
- 6 writing that his or her teaching certificate may be suspended
- 7 because of the conviction and of his or her right to a hearing
- 8 before the superintendent of public instruction. The hearing shall
- 9 be conducted as a contested case under the administrative

- 1 procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328. If the
- 2 person does not avail himself or herself of this right to a hearing
- 3 within 15 working days after receipt of this written notification,
- 4 the teaching certificate of that person shall be suspended. If a
- 5 hearing takes place, the superintendent of public instruction shall
- 6 complete the proceedings and make a final decision and order within
- 7 120 working days after receiving the request for a hearing. Subject
- 8 to subsection (2), the superintendent of public instruction may
- 9 suspend the person's teaching certificate based upon the issues and
- 10 evidence presented at the hearing. This subsection applies to any
- 11 of the following crimes:
- 12 (a) Any felony.
- 13 (b) Any of the following misdemeanors:
- 14 (i) Criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree or an attempt
- 15 to commit criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree.
- (ii) Child abuse in the third or fourth degree or an attempt to
- 17 commit child abuse in the third or fourth degree.
- 18 (iii) A misdemeanor involving cruelty, torture, or indecent
- 19 exposure involving a child.
- 20 (iv) A misdemeanor violation of section 7410 of the public
- 21 health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.7410.
- 22 (v) A violation of section 115, 141a, 145a, 335a, or 359 of
- 23 the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.115, 750.141a,
- 24 750.145a, 750.335a, and 750.359, or a misdemeanor violation of
- 25 section 81, 81a, or 145d of the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328,
- 26 MCL 750.81, 750.81a, and 750.145d.
- (vi) A misdemeanor violation of section 701 of the Michigan

- 1 liquor control code of 1998, 1998 PA 58, MCL 436.1701.
- 2 (vii) ANY MISDEMEANOR THAT IS A LISTED OFFENSE.
- 3 (C) A VIOLATION OF A SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR LAW OF ANOTHER
- 4 STATE, OF A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THIS STATE OR ANOTHER STATE,
- 5 OR OF THE UNITED STATES.
- 6 (2) If a person who holds a teaching certificate that is valid
- 7 in this state has been convicted of a crime described in this
- 8 subsection, the superintendent of public instruction shall find
- 9 that the public health, safety, or welfare requires emergency
- 10 action and shall order summary suspension of the person's teaching
- 11 certificate under section 92 of the administrative procedures act
- 12 of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.292, and shall subsequently provide an
- 13 opportunity for a hearing as provided under that section. This
- 14 subsection does not limit the superintendent of public
- 15 instruction's ability to order summary suspension of a person's
- 16 teaching certificate for a reason other than described in this
- 17 subsection. This subsection applies to conviction of any of the
- 18 following crimes:
- 19 (a) Criminal sexual conduct in any degree, assault with intent
- 20 to commit criminal sexual conduct, or an attempt to commit criminal
- 21 sexual conduct in any degree.
- 22 (b) Felonious assault on a child, child abuse in the first
- 23 degree, or an attempt to commit child abuse in the first degree.
- (c) Cruelty, torture, or indecent exposure involving a child.
- 25 (d) A violation of section 7401(2)(a)(i), 7403(2)(a)(i), 7410,
- 26 or 7416 of the public health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.7401,
- 27 333.7403, 333.7410, and 333.7416.

- 1 (e) A violation of section 83, 89, 91, 145a, 145B, 145C, 316,
- 2 317, **350, 455,** or 529 of the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL
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- 5 section 145d of the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.145d.
- 6 (F) A VIOLATION OF SECTION 158 OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE,
- 7 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.158, IF A VICTIM IS AN INDIVIDUAL LESS THAN 18
- 8 YEARS OF AGE.
- 9 (G) EXCEPT FOR A JUVENILE DISPOSITION OR ADJUDICATION, A
- 10 VIOLATION OF SECTION 338, 338A, OR 338B OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE,
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- 17 THE OFFENSE, A SEXUALLY DELINQUENT PERSON AS DEFINED IN SECTION 10A
- 18 OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.10A.
- 19 (J) AN ATTEMPT OR CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT AN OFFENSE LISTED IN
- 20 SUBDIVISION (A), (E), (F), (G), (H), OR (I).
- 21 (K) A VIOLATION OF A SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR LAW OF ANOTHER
- 22 STATE, OF A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THIS STATE OR ANOTHER STATE,
- 23 OR OF THE UNITED STATES.
- 24 (1) -(f) Any other crime listed in subsection (1), if the
- 25 superintendent of public instruction determines the public health,
- 26 safety, or welfare requires emergency action based on the
- 27 circumstances underlying the conviction.

- 1 (3) The superintendent of public instruction after a hearing
- 2 shall not take action against a person's teaching certificate under
- 3 subsection (1) or (2) unless the superintendent of public
- 4 instruction finds that the conviction is reasonably and adversely
- 5 related to the person's present fitness to serve in an elementary
- 6 or secondary school in this state or that the conviction
- 7 demonstrates that the person is unfit to teach in an elementary or
- 8 secondary school in this state. Further, the superintendent of
- 9 public instruction may take action against a person's teaching
- 10 certificate under subsection (1) or (2) based on a conviction that
- 11 occurred before the effective date of the amendatory act that added
- 12 this subsection if the superintendent of public instruction finds
- 13 that the conviction is reasonably and adversely related to the
- 14 person's present fitness to serve in an elementary or secondary
- 15 school in this state or that the conviction demonstrates that the
- 16 person is unfit to teach in an elementary or secondary school in
- 17 this state.
- 18 (4) IF A PERSON WHO HAS ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILT OR NO CONTEST
- 19 TO OR WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF A FINDING OF GUILT BY A JUDGE OR JURY
- 20 OF A CRIME LISTED IN SUBSECTION (2) HAS BEEN SUSPENDED FROM ACTIVE
- 21 DUTY BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 22 DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL DURING THE PENDENCY OF PROCEEDINGS
- 23 UNDER THIS SECTION, THE PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 24 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYING THE
- 25 PERSON SHALL NOT PAY THE PERSON HIS OR HER WAGES, BUT SHALL INSTEAD
- 26 HOLD THE PERSON'S WAGES IN ESCROW IN ITS OWN ACCOUNTS UNTIL THE
- 27 SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION HAS MADE A FINAL DETERMINATION

- 1 OF WHETHER OR NOT TO SUSPEND OR REVOKE THE PERSON'S TEACHING
- 2 CERTIFICATE. IF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SUSPENDS
- 3 OR REVOKES THE PERSON'S TEACHING CERTIFICATE, THE WAGES HELD IN
- 4 ESCROW ARE FORFEITED TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 5 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL. IF THE
- 6 SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DOES NOT SUSPEND OR REVOKE THE
- 7 PERSON'S TEACHING CERTIFICATE, THE PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 8 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL SHALL PAY THE
- 9 PERSON THE WAGES HELD IN ESCROW, WITHOUT INTEREST. HOWEVER, IF A
- 10 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT IS IN EFFECT AS OF THE EFFECTIVE
- 11 DATE OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR EMPLOYEES OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 12 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, AND IF THE
- 13 TERMS OF THAT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT ARE INCONSISTENT WITH
- 14 THIS SUBSECTION, THEN THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO THAT SCHOOL
- 15 DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 16 UNTIL AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THAT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT.
- 17 (5) -(4) After EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS
- 18 SUBSECTION, AFTER the completion of a person's sentence, the person
- 19 may request a hearing before the superintendent of public
- 20 instruction on reinstatement of his or her teaching certificate.
- 21 Based upon the issues and evidence presented at the hearing, the
- 22 superintendent of public instruction may reinstate, continue the
- 23 suspension of, or permanently revoke the person's teaching
- 24 certificate. The superintendent of public instruction shall not
- 25 reinstate a person's teaching certificate unless the superintendent
- 26 of public instruction finds that the person is currently fit to
- 27 serve in an elementary or secondary school in this state and that

- 1 reinstatement of the person's teaching certificate will not
- 2 adversely affect the health, safety, and welfare of pupils. IF A

- 3 PERSON'S CONVICTION WAS FOR A LISTED OFFENSE, THE PERSON IS NOT
- 4 ENTITLED TO REQUEST A HEARING ON REINSTATEMENT UNDER THIS
- 5 SUBSECTION, AND THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SHALL NOT
- 6 REINSTATE THE PERSON'S TEACHING CERTIFICATE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 7 (6) -(5) All of the following apply to a person described in
- 8 this section whose conviction is reversed upon final appeal:
- 9 (a) The person's teaching certificate shall be reinstated upon
- 10 his or her notification to the superintendent of public instruction
- 11 of the reversal.
- 12 (b) If the suspension of the person's teaching certificate
- 13 under this section was the sole cause of his or her discharge from
- 14 employment, the person shall be reinstated, upon his or her
- 15 notification to the appropriate local or intermediate school board
- 16 of the reversal, with full rights and benefits, to the position he
- 17 or she would have had if he or she had been continuously employed.
- 18 (C) IF ANY WAGES OWED TO THE PERSON WERE FORFEITED UNDER
- 19 SUBSECTION (4), THE PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 20 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL TO WHICH THE WAGES WERE
- 21 FORFEITED SHALL REPAY THE WAGES TO THE PERSON.
- 22 (7) (6) Not later than 15 days after the date of the
- 23 conviction, the IF THE prosecuting attorney in charge of a case
- 24 in which a person who holds a teaching certificate was convicted of
- 25 a crime described in subsection (1) or (2) and the court that
- 26 convicted the person RECEIVES A FORM AS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION
- 27 1230D, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY shall notify the superintendent of

- 1 public instruction, and any public school, school district,
- 2 intermediate school district, or nonpublic school in which the
- 3 person is employed -, of that conviction, of the name and address
- 4 of the person convicted, and of BY FORWARDING A COPY OF THE FORM
- 5 TO EACH OF THEM NOT LATER THAN 7 DAYS AFTER RECEIVING THE FORM. IF
- 6 THE COURT RECEIVES A FORM AS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION 1230D, THE
- 7 COURT SHALL NOTIFY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND ANY
- 8 PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 9 NONPUBLIC SCHOOL IN WHICH THE PERSON IS EMPLOYED BY FORWARDING TO
- 10 EACH OF THEM A COPY OF THE FORM AND INFORMATION REGARDING the
- 11 sentence imposed on the person NOT LATER THAN 7 DAYS AFTER THE DATE
- 12 OF SENTENCING, EVEN IF THE COURT IS MAINTAINING THE FILE AS A
- 13 NONPUBLIC RECORD. A prosecuting attorney in charge of a case in
- 14 which a person is convicted of a crime described in subsection (1)
- or (2) and a court that convicts a person of a crime described in
- 16 subsection (1) or (2) shall inquire whether the person holds a
- 17 teaching certificate.
- 18 (8) -(7) Not later than -5 working 7 days after receiving
- 19 notification -of a person's conviction from the prosecuting
- 20 attorney or the court under subsection  $\frac{-(6)}{-(7)}$  (7) OR LEARNING
- 21 THROUGH AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE THAT A PERSON WHO HOLDS A TEACHING
- 22 CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIME LISTED IN SUBSECTION (1),
- 23 the superintendent of public instruction shall request the court
- 24 that convicted the person to provide a certified copy of the
- 25 judgment of conviction and sentence OR OTHER DOCUMENT REGARDING THE
- 26 DISPOSITION OF THE CASE to the superintendent of public instruction
- 27 and shall pay any fees required by the court. The court shall

- 1 provide this certified copy within -5 working 7 days after
- 2 receiving the request and fees under this section OR AFTER ENTRY OF

- 3 THE JUDGMENT OR OTHER DOCUMENT, WHICHEVER IS LATER, EVEN IF THE
- 4 COURT IS MAINTAINING THE JUDGMENT OR OTHER DOCUMENT AS A NONPUBLIC
- 5 RECORD.
- 6 (9) -(8)— If the superintendent of a school district or
- 7 intermediate school district, the chief administrative officer of a
- 8 nonpublic school, the president of the board of a school district
- 9 or intermediate school district, or the president of the governing
- 10 board of a nonpublic school is notified by a prosecuting attorney
- 11 or court or learns through an authoritative source that a person
- 12 who holds a teaching certificate and who is employed by the school
- 13 district, intermediate school district, or nonpublic school has
- 14 been convicted of a crime described in subsection (1) or (2), the
- 15 superintendent, chief administrative officer, or board president
- 16 shall notify the superintendent of public instruction of that
- 17 conviction within 15 days after learning of the conviction.
- 18 (10) -(9) For the purposes of this section, a certified copy
- 19 of the judgment of conviction and sentence is conclusive evidence
- 20 of conviction of a crime described in this section. For the
- 21 purposes of this section, conviction of a crime described in this
- 22 section is considered to be reasonably and adversely related to the
- 23 ability of the person to serve in an elementary or secondary school
- 24 and is sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the
- 25 person's teaching certificate.
- 26 (11) -(10)— For any hearing under subsection (1), if the
- 27 superintendent of public instruction does not complete the hearing

- 1 procedures and make a final decision and order within 120 working
- 2 days after receiving the request for the hearing, as required under

- 3 subsection (1), the superintendent of public instruction shall
- 4 submit a report detailing the reasons for the delay to the standing
- 5 committees and appropriations subcommittees of the senate and house
- 6 of representatives that have jurisdiction over education and
- 7 education appropriations. The failure of the superintendent of
- 8 public instruction to complete the hearing procedures and make a
- 9 final decision and order within this 120 working day time limit, or
- 10 the failure of any other official or agency to meet a time limit
- 11 prescribed in this section, does not affect the validity of an
- 12 action taken under this section affecting a person's teaching
- 13 certificate.
- 14 (12) —(11)— Beginning —3 months after the effective date of
- 15 the amendatory act that added this subsection—JULY 1, 2004, the
- 16 superintendent of public instruction shall submit to the
- 17 legislature a quarterly report of all final actions he or she has
- 18 taken under this section affecting a person's teaching certificate
- 19 during the preceding quarter. The report shall contain at least all
- 20 of the following with respect to each person whose teaching
- 21 certificate has been affected:
- 22 (a) The person's name, as it appears on the teaching
- 23 certificate.
- 24 (b) The school district, intermediate school district, public
- 25 school academy, or nonpublic school in which the person was
- 26 employed at the time of the conviction, if any.
- 27 (c) The offense for which the person was convicted and the

- 1 date of the offense and date of the conviction.
- 2 (d) Whether the action taken by the superintendent of public

- 3 instruction was a summary suspension, suspension due to failure to
- 4 request a hearing, suspension, revocation, or reinstatement of the
- 5 teaching certificate.
- 6 (12) Not later than 6 months after the effective date of the
- 7 amendatory act that added this subsection, the superintendent of
- 8 public instruction shall submit to the legislature an inventory
- 9 report with information on all final actions taken under this
- 10 section for the time period from March 30, 1988 until the effective
- 11 date of the amendatory act that added this subsection. The report
- 12 shall contain at least all of the information required in the
- 13 quarterly report under subsection (11) with respect to each person
- 14 whose teaching certificate was affected during that time period. If
- 15 the superintendent of public instruction determines that the
- 16 information required for the report is not available for any
- 17 portion of that time period, the superintendent of public
- 18 instruction shall include with the report a detailed explanation of
- 19 the information that is not available and the reasons why the
- 20 information is not available.
- 21 (13) This section does not do any of the following:
- 22 (a) Prohibit a person who holds a teaching certificate from
- 23 seeking monetary compensation from a school board or intermediate
- 24 school board if that right is available under a collective
- 25 bargaining agreement or another statute.
- 26 (b) Limit the rights and powers granted to a school district
- 27 or intermediate school district under a collective bargaining

- 1 agreement, this act, or another statute to discipline or discharge
- 2 a person who holds a teaching certificate.
- 3 (14) The superintendent of public instruction may promulgate,
- 4 as necessary, rules to implement this section pursuant to the
- 5 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
- 6 24.328.
- 7 (15) THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SHALL WORK WITH
- 8 THE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE TO DEVELOP AND
- 9 IMPLEMENT AN AUTOMATED PROGRAM THAT DOES A QUARTERLY COMPARISON OF
- 10 THE DEPARTMENT'S LIST OF INDIVIDUALS HOLDING A TEACHING CERTIFICATE
- 11 OR STATE BOARD APPROVAL WITH THE CONVICTION INFORMATION RECEIVED BY
- 12 THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE, INCLUDING CONVICTIONS CONTAINED IN
- 13 A NONPUBLIC RECORD.
- 14 (16)  $\frac{(15)}{}$  As used in this section:
- 15 (a) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a
- 16 plea of guilty, guilty but mentally ill, or nolo contendere or upon
- 17 a jury verdict or court finding that a defendant is guilty or
- 18 guilty but mentally ill.
- 19 (B) "LISTED OFFENSE" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2
- 20 OF THE SEX OFFENDERS REGISTRATION ACT, 1994 PA 295, MCL 28.722.
- 21 (C) (b)— "Prosecuting attorney" means the prosecuting
- 22 attorney for a county, an assistant prosecuting attorney for a
- 23 county, the attorney general, the deputy attorney general, an
- 24 assistant attorney general, a special prosecuting attorney, or, in
- 25 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 26 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 27 upon which the violation is based.

- 1 Sec. 1539b. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person who
- 2 holds state board approval has been convicted of a crime described

- 3 in this subsection, within 10 working days after receiving notice
- 4 of the conviction the superintendent of public instruction shall
- 5 notify the person in writing that his or her state board approval
- 6 may be suspended because of the conviction and of his or her right
- 7 to a hearing before the superintendent of public instruction. The
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- 25 instruction on reinstatement of his or her state board approval.
- 26 Based upon the issues and evidence presented at the hearing, the
- 27 superintendent of public instruction may reinstate, continue the

- 1 suspension of, or permanently revoke the person's state board
- 2 approval. The superintendent of public instruction shall not
- 3 reinstate a person's state board approval unless the superintendent
- 4 of public instruction finds that the person is currently fit to
- 5 serve in an elementary or secondary school in this state and that
- 6 reinstatement of the person's state board approval will not
- 7 adversely affect the health, safety, and welfare of pupils. IF A
- 8 PERSON'S CONVICTION WAS FOR A LISTED OFFENSE, THE PERSON IS NOT
- 9 ENTITLED TO REQUEST A HEARING ON REINSTATEMENT UNDER THIS
- 10 SUBSECTION, AND THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SHALL NOT
- 11 REINSTATE THE PERSON'S STATE BOARD APPROVAL UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 12 (6) -(5) All of the following apply to a person described in
- 13 this section whose conviction is reversed upon final appeal:
- 14 (a) The person's state board approval shall be reinstated upon
- 15 his or her notification to the superintendent of public instruction
- 16 of the reversal.
- 17 (b) If the suspension of the state board approval was the sole
- 18 cause of his or her discharge from employment, the person shall be
- 19 reinstated upon his or her notification to the appropriate local or
- 20 intermediate school board of the reversal, with full rights and
- 21 benefits, to the position he or she would have had if he or she had
- 22 been continuously employed.
- 23 (C) IF ANY WAGES OWED TO THE PERSON WERE FORFEITED UNDER
- 24 SUBSECTION (4), THE PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 25 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL TO WHICH THE WAGES WERE
- 26 FORFEITED SHALL REPAY THE WAGES TO THE PERSON.
- 27 (7) (6) Not later than 15 days after the date of the

- 1 conviction, the IF THE prosecuting attorney in charge of a case
- 2 in which a person who holds state board approval was convicted of a

- 3 crime described in subsection (1) or (2) and the court that
- 4 convicted the person RECEIVES A FORM AS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION
- 5 1230D, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY shall notify the superintendent of
- 6 public instruction, and any public school, school district,
- 7 intermediate school district, or nonpublic school in which the
- 8 person is employed -, of that conviction, of the name and address
- 9 of the person convicted, and of BY FORWARDING A COPY OF THE FORM
- 10 TO EACH OF THEM NOT LATER THAN 7 DAYS AFTER RECEIVING THE FORM. IF
- 11 THE COURT RECEIVES A FORM AS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION 1230D, THE
- 12 COURT SHALL NOTIFY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND ANY
- 13 PUBLIC SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 14 NONPUBLIC SCHOOL IN WHICH THE PERSON IS EMPLOYED BY FORWARDING TO
- 15 EACH OF THEM A COPY OF THE FORM AND INFORMATION REGARDING the
- 16 sentence imposed on the person NOT LATER THAN 7 DAYS AFTER THE DATE
- 17 OF THE SENTENCING, EVEN IF THE COURT IS MAINTAINING THE FILE AS A
- 18 NONPUBLIC RECORD. A prosecuting attorney in charge of a case in
- 19 which a person is convicted of a crime described in subsection (1)
- 20 or (2), and a court that convicts a person of a crime described in
- 21 subsection (1) or (2) shall inquire whether the person holds state
- 22 board approval. The superintendent of public instruction shall make
- 23 available to prosecuting attorneys and courts a list of school
- 24 occupations that commonly require state board approval.
- 25 (8) -(7)— Not later than -5 working— 7 days after receiving
- 26 notification -of a person's conviction from the prosecuting
- 27 attorney or the court under subsection  $\frac{-(6)}{-}$  (7) OR LEARNING

1 THROUGH AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE THAT A PERSON WHO HOLDS STATE BOARD

- 2 APPROVAL HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIME LISTED IN SUBSECTION (1),
- 3 the superintendent of public instruction shall request the court
- 4 that convicted the person to provide a certified copy of the
- 5 judgment of conviction and sentence OR OTHER DOCUMENT REGARDING THE
- 6 DISPOSITION OF THE CASE to the superintendent of public instruction
- 7 and shall pay any fees required by the court. The court shall
- 8 provide this certified copy within -5 working 7 days after
- 9 receiving the request and fees under this section OR AFTER ENTRY OF
- 10 THE JUDGMENT OR OTHER DOCUMENT, WHICHEVER IS LATER, EVEN IF THE
- 11 COURT IS MAINTAINING THE JUDGMENT OR OTHER DOCUMENT AS A NONPUBLIC
- 12 RECORD.
- 13 (9)  $\frac{(8)}{(8)}$  If the superintendent of a school district or
- 14 intermediate school district, the chief administrative officer of a
- 15 nonpublic school, the president of the board of a school district
- 16 or intermediate school district, or the president of the governing
- 17 board of a nonpublic school is notified by a prosecuting attorney
- 18 or court or learns through an authoritative source that a person
- 19 who holds state board approval and who is employed by the school
- 20 district, intermediate school district, or nonpublic school has
- 21 been convicted of a crime described in subsection (1) or (2), the
- 22 superintendent, chief administrative officer, or board president
- 23 shall notify the superintendent of public instruction of that
- 24 conviction within 15 days after learning of the conviction.
- 25 (10) -(9) For the purposes of this section, a certified copy
- 26 of the judgment of conviction and sentence is conclusive evidence
- 27 of conviction of a crime described in this section. For the

- 1 purposes of this section, conviction of a crime described in this
- 2 section is considered to be reasonably and adversely related to the

- 3 ability of the person to serve in an elementary or secondary school
- 4 and is sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the
- 5 person's state board approval.
- 6 (11) -(10) For any hearing under subsection (1), if the
- 7 superintendent of public instruction does not complete the hearing
- 8 procedures and make a final decision and order within 120 working
- 9 days after receiving the request for the hearing, as required under
- 10 subsection (1), the superintendent of public instruction shall
- 11 submit a report detailing the reasons for the delay to the standing
- 12 committees and appropriations subcommittees of the senate and house
- 13 of representatives that have jurisdiction over education and
- 14 education appropriations. The failure of the superintendent of
- 15 public instruction to complete the hearing procedures and make a
- 16 final decision and order within this 120 working day time limit, or
- 17 the failure of any other official or agency to meet a time limit
- 18 prescribed in this section, does not affect the validity of an
- 19 action taken under this section affecting a person's state board
- 20 approval.
- 21 (12) —(11)— Beginning —3 months after the effective date of
- 22 the amendatory act that added this subsection JULY 1, 2004, the
- 23 superintendent of public instruction shall submit to the
- 24 legislature a quarterly report of all final actions he or she has
- 25 taken under this section affecting a person's state board approval
- 26 during the preceding quarter. The report shall contain at least all
- 27 of the following with respect to each person whose state board

- 1 approval has been affected:
- 2 (a) The person's name, as it appears on the state board
- 3 approval.
- 4 (b) The school district, intermediate school district, public
- 5 school academy, or nonpublic school in which the person was
- 6 employed at the time of the conviction, if any.
- 7 (c) The offense for which the person was convicted and the
- 8 date of the offense and date of the conviction.
- 9 (d) Whether the action taken by the superintendent of public
- 10 instruction was a summary suspension, suspension due to failure to
- 11 request a hearing, suspension, revocation, or reinstatement of the
- 12 state board approval.
- 13 (12) Not later than 6 months after the effective date of the
- 14 amendatory act that added this subsection, the superintendent of
- 15 public instruction shall submit to the legislature an inventory
- 16 report with information on all final actions taken under this
- 17 section for the time period from June 23, 1992 until the effective
- 18 date of the amendatory act that added this subsection. The report
- 19 shall contain at least all of the information required in the
- 20 quarterly report under subsection (11) with respect to each person
- 21 whose state board approval was affected during that time period. If
- 22 the superintendent of public instruction determines that the
- 23 information required for the report is not available for any
- 24 portion of that time period, the superintendent of public
- 25 instruction shall include with the report a detailed explanation of
- 26 the information that is not available and the reasons why the
- 27 information is not available.

- 1 (13) This section does not do any of the following:
- 2 (a) Prohibit a person who holds state board approval from
- 3 seeking monetary compensation from a school board or intermediate

- 4 school board if that right is available under a collective
- 5 bargaining agreement or another statute.
- 6 (b) Limit the rights and powers granted to a school district
- 7 or intermediate school district under a collective bargaining
- 8 agreement, this act, or another statute to discipline or discharge
- 9 a person who holds state board approval.
- 10 (c) Exempt a person who holds state board approval from the
- 11 operation of section 1535a if the person holds a certificate
- 12 subject to that section.
- 13 (d) Limit the ability of a state licensing body to take action
- 14 against a person's license or registration for the same conviction.
- 15 (14) The superintendent of public instruction may promulgate,
- 16 as necessary, rules to implement this section pursuant to the
- 17 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
- **18** 24.328.
- 19 (15) THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SHALL WORK WITH
- 20 THE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE TO DEVELOP AND
- 21 IMPLEMENT AN AUTOMATED PROGRAM THAT DOES A QUARTERLY COMPARISON OF
- 22 THE DEPARTMENT'S LIST OF INDIVIDUALS HOLDING A TEACHING CERTIFICATE
- 23 OR STATE BOARD APPROVAL WITH THE CONVICTION INFORMATION RECEIVED BY
- 24 THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE, INCLUDING CONVICTIONS CONTAINED IN
- 25 A NONPUBLIC RECORD.
- 26 (16) -(15) As used in this section:
- 27 (a) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a

- 1 plea of guilty, guilty but mentally ill, or nolo contendere or upon
- 2 a jury verdict or court finding that a defendant is guilty or
- 3 guilty but mentally ill.
- 4 (B) "LISTED OFFENSE" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2
- 5 OF THE SEX OFFENDERS REGISTRATION ACT, 1994 PA 295, MCL 28.722.
- 6 (C) —(b)— "Prosecuting attorney" means the prosecuting
- 7 attorney for a county, an assistant prosecuting attorney for a
- 8 county, the attorney general, the deputy attorney general, an
- 9 assistant attorney general, a special prosecuting attorney, or, in
- 10 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 11 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 12 upon which the violation is based.
- 13 (D) -(c) "State board approval" means a license, certificate,
- 14 approval not requiring a teaching certificate, or other evidence of
- 15 qualifications to hold a particular position in a school district
- 16 or intermediate school district or in a nonpublic school, other
- 17 than a teacher's certificate subject to section 1535a, that is
- 18 issued to a person by the state board or the superintendent of
- 19 public instruction under this act or a rule promulgated under this
- 20 act.
- 21 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect October
- **22** 15, 2005.
- 23 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 24 unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are
- 25 enacted into law:
- 26 (a) Senate Bill No. 601.
- 27 (b) Senate Bill No. 609.

1 (c) Senate Bill No. 612.