## **HOUSE BILL No. 5331**

October 19, 2005, Introduced by Reps. Ball, Gaffney and Hune and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled

"The revised school code,"

by amending section 1178 (MCL 380.1178), as amended by 2000 PA 9.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1178. (1) Subject to subsection (2), a school
- 2 administrator, teacher, or other school employee designated by the
- 3 school administrator, who in good faith administers medication to a
- 4 pupil in the presence of another adult or in an emergency that
- 5 threatens the life or health of the pupil, pursuant to written
- 6 permission of the pupil's parent or guardian, and in compliance
- 7 with the instructions of a physician OR CERTIFIED NURSE
- 8 PRACTITIONER is not liable in a criminal action or for civil
- 9 damages as a result of an act or omission in the administration of

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- 1 the medication, except for an act or omission amounting to gross
- 2 negligence or willful and wanton misconduct.
- 3 (2) If a school employee is a licensed registered professional
- 4 nurse, subsection (1) applies to that school employee regardless of
- 5 whether the medication is administered in the presence of another
- 6 adult.