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Senate Bill 211 (as introduced 2-2-99) Sponsor: Senator Glenn D. Steil Committee: Education

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## CONTENT

The bill would amend the Revised School Code to specify the public schools of this State would be encouraged to adopt policies requiring pupils to wear school uniforms at school and school-related functions.

Proposed MCL 380.1310

Legislative Analyst: S. Lowe

## FISCAL IMPACT

Depending on the dress code adopted by a local school district, a pupil who could not afford to purchase the required uniform would have to have that uniform provided by the school district. The school district would have to pay for those uniforms from its general operating revenue. Most schools that have adopted uniform policies have adopted liberal policies such that all students can adhere to the school uniform policy regardless of financial circumstances.

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State government.

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