

HOUSE BILL No. 4281

February 20, 2007, Introduced by Rep. Gaffney and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
by amending section 6 (MCL 380.6), as amended by 2003 PA 299.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 6. (1) "School district" or "local school district" means
2 a general powers school district organized under this act,
3 regardless of previous classification, or a school district of the
4 first class.

5 (2) "School district filing official" means the school
6 district election coordinator as defined in section 4 of the
7 Michigan election law, MCL 168.4, or an authorized agent of the
8 school district election coordinator.

9 (3) "School elector" means a person qualified as an elector

1 under section 492 of the Michigan election law, MCL 168.492, and
2 resident of the school district, local act school district, or
3 intermediate school district on or before the thirtieth day before
4 the next ensuing regular or special school election. **FOR PURPOSES**
5 **OF REGISTERING TO VOTE AND VOTING AT AN ELECTION OR SPECIAL**
6 **ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF IMPOSING A NEW MILLAGE OR INCREASING OR**
7 **RENEWING AN EXISTING MILLAGE ON REAL PROPERTY ONLY, A PERSON IS**
8 **CONSIDERED A RESIDENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, LOCAL ACT SCHOOL**
9 **DISTRICT, OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO BE AFFECTED BY THE**
10 **RESULT OF THAT ELECTION IF THAT PERSON OWNS REAL PROPERTY LOCATED**
11 **IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, LOCAL ACT SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR INTERMEDIATE**
12 **SCHOOL DISTRICT.**

13 (4) "School month" means a 4-week period of 5 days each unless
14 otherwise specified in the teacher's contract.

15 (5) "Special education building and equipment" means a
16 structure or portion of a structure or personal property accepted,
17 leased, purchased, or otherwise acquired, prepared, or used for
18 special education programs and services.

19 (6) "Special education personnel" means persons engaged in and
20 having professional responsibility for the training, care, and
21 education of handicapped persons in special education programs and
22 services including, but not limited to, teachers, aides, school
23 social workers, diagnostic personnel, physical therapists,
24 occupational therapists, audiologists, teachers of speech and
25 language, instructional media-curriculum specialists, mobility
26 specialists, teacher consultants, supervisors, and directors.

27 (7) "Special education programs and services" means

1 educational and training services designed for handicappers and
2 operated by local school districts, local act school districts,
3 intermediate school districts, the Michigan school for the deaf and
4 blind, the department of community health, the ~~family independence~~
5 ~~agency~~ **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**, or a combination of these, and
6 ancillary professional services for handicappers rendered by
7 agencies approved by the state board. The programs shall include
8 vocational training, but need not include academic programs of
9 college or university level.

10 (8) "Special school election" or "special election" means a
11 school district election to fill a vacancy on the school board or
12 submit a ballot question to the school electors that is held on a
13 regular election date established under section 641 of the Michigan
14 election law, MCL 168.641.

15 (9) "State approved nonpublic school" means a nonpublic school
16 that complies with 1921 PA 302, MCL 388.551 to 388.558.

17 (10) "State board" means the state board of education unless
18 clearly otherwise stated.

19 (11) "Department" means the department of education created
20 and operating under sections 300 to 305 of the executive
21 organization act of 1965, 1965 PA 380, MCL 16.400 to 16.405.

22 (12) "State school aid" means allotments from the general
23 appropriating act for the purpose of aiding in the support of the
24 public schools of the state.

25 (13) "The state school aid act of 1979" means the state school
26 aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1601 to 388.1772.