

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 66

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
(MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1278c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 1278C. (1) IF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
2 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY REQUESTS INFORMATION FROM THE
3 DEPARTMENT ON CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS OR OTHER
4 PROGRAMS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 1278B THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE OR THAT
5 MAY BE USED TO HELP FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS 1278A AND
6 1278B, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE THAT INFORMATION WITHIN A
7 REASONABLE TIME. IN ADDITION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL COMPILE AND POST
8 ON ITS WEBSITE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CONCERNING BEST
9 PRACTICES IN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION:

Senate Bill No. 66 (S-8) as amended June 12, 2014

1 (A) A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE WAYS THAT CAREER AND
2 TECHNICAL EDUCATION MAY BE USED TO HELP FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS OF
3 SECTIONS 1278A AND 1278B, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE ROLE
4 OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN A PERSONAL CURRICULUM UNDER
5 SECTION 1278B.

6 (B) INFORMATION HIGHLIGHTING AND DESCRIBING SUCCESSFUL CAREER
7 AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS BEING OPERATED BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS
8 AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

9 (C) A LISTING AND DESCRIPTION OF THE VARIOUS TYPES OF CAREER
10 AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS THAT ARE PROVIDED AROUND THIS
11 STATE AND THE SUBJECT AREAS AND DISCIPLINES THAT ARE COVERED BY
12 THESE PROGRAMS.

13 (D) ILLUSTRATIONS OF HOW SCHOOL DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
14 DISTRICTS, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIES CAN AND DO WORK WITH LOCAL
15 BUSINESS ENTITIES, [PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS,] TRADE ORGANIZATIONS,
16 [NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS,] STATE LICENSED PROPRIETARY
17 SCHOOLS, UNIVERSITIES, OR COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO PROVIDE QUALITY
18 CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

19 (E) THE VARIOUS WAYS IN WHICH SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND PUBLIC
20 SCHOOL ACADEMIES HAVE EMBEDDED THE COURSE CONTENT FROM CREDITS
21 REQUIRED UNDER THE MICHIGAN MERIT STANDARD UNDER SECTIONS 1278A AND
22 1278B INTO CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND OTHER ALTERNATIVE
23 INSTRUCTIONAL DELIVERY METHODS IN ORDER TO DELIVER THE CURRICULAR
24 REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS 1278A AND 1278B.

25 (2) AS PART OF THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING AN EDUCATIONAL
26 DEVELOPMENT PLAN UNDER SECTION 1278B, THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL
27 DISTRICT OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SHALL
ENSURE THAT PUPILS ARE PROVIDED WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HOW THEY CAN

1 FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS 1278A AND 1278B WITH CAREER
2 AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION OR ANOTHER PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE
3 DEPARTMENT.

4 (3) SCHOOL DISTRICTS, PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIES, AND
5 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ESTABLISH
6 PROGRAMS IN WHICH, UPON COMPLETION OF THE PROGRAM AND GRADUATION
7 FROM HIGH SCHOOL, THE COMPLETION OF THE PROGRAM IS CREDITED TOWARD
8 ACHIEVEMENT OF A PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE, TRAINING,
9 APPRENTICESHIP, OR COLLEGE CREDIT IN A SPECIFIC CAREER AND
10 TECHNICAL FIELD.

11 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "STATE LICENSED PROPRIETARY
12 SCHOOL" MEANS A PROPRIETARY SCHOOL LICENSED UNDER THE PROPRIETARY
13 SCHOOLS ACT, 1943 PA 148, MCL 395.101 TO 395.103.