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NO SMOKING IN SCHOOLS

House Bill 4940 Sponsor: Rep. John D. Bennett Committee: Public Health

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4940 AS INTRODUCED 6-11-91

The Michigan Clean Indoor Air Act (added to the Public Health Code by Public Act 198 of 1986, and amended and named by Public Act 296 of 1988) generally prohibited smoking in certain public gathering places and in governmental buildings except in designated smoking areas. The act also allows people who believe the smoking prohibition has been violated in a public place, child care institution or center, health facility, or physician's office to sue for injunctive relief.

The bill would amend this section of the Public Health Code to prohibit all smoking (that is, without allowing any designated smoking areas) in school buildings or on school grounds. The bill also would allow someone who believed the smoking prohibition had been violated in a school (or on school grounds) to sue for injunctive relief.

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