

HOUSE BILL No. 4490

March 6, 1991, Introduced by Rep. Gubow and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend section 627 of Act No. 451 of the Public Acts of 1976, entitled as amended
"The school code of 1976,"
as amended by Act No. 107 of the Public Acts of 1990, being section 380.627 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 627 of Act No. 451 of the Public Acts of
2 1976, as amended by Act No. 107 of the Public Acts of 1990, being
3 section 380.627 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read
4 as follows:

5 Sec. 627. (1) An intermediate school board shall do all of
6 the following:

7 (a) Upon request of the board of a constituent district,
8 furnish services on a management, consultant, or supervisory
9 basis to the district. The intermediate school board may charge

1 a constituent district for the costs of services furnished under
2 this subdivision.

3 (b) Upon request of the board of a constituent district,
4 direct, supervise, and conduct cooperative educational programs
5 on behalf of the district. The intermediate school board may
6 utilize available funds not otherwise obligated by law and accept
7 contributions from other sources for the purpose of financing the
8 programs. The funds shall be deposited with the treasurer in a
9 cooperative education fund and shall be disbursed as the interme-
10 diate school board directs. The intermediate school board may
11 employ personnel and take other action necessary to direct,
12 supervise, and conduct cooperative educational programs.

13 (c) Conduct cooperative programs mutually agreed upon by 2
14 or more intermediate school boards.

15 (d) Conduct cooperative programs for interactive audiovisual
16 and telecommunications systems; contract with educational insti-
17 tutions, government agencies, or public broadcasting stations or
18 systems in conducting the programs; and acquire and install the
19 antennas, transmitters, receivers, and other equipment necessary
20 for the programs in the manner and at the places the intermediate
21 school board considers appropriate. An intermediate school dis-
22 trict shall obtain the approval of a majority of the constituent
23 districts before entering into a contract for equipment or serv-
24 ices for conducting a program under this subdivision or issuing
25 any obligations to fund such a contract.

26 (E) MAKE APPROPRIATE INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES AVAILABLE TO A
27 HOMEBOUND OR HOSPITALIZED PUPIL WHO RESIDES WITHIN AND IS

1 ENROLLED IN A CONSTITUENT DISTRICT. THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
2 BOARD MAY PROVIDE THE SERVICES OR MAY CONTRACT WITH A HOSPITAL, A
3 CONSTITUENT OR NONCONSTITUENT SCHOOL BOARD, OR ANOTHER INTERMEDI-
4 ATE SCHOOL BOARD TO PROVIDE THE SERVICES. THE CONSTITUENT DIS-
5 TRICT IN WHICH THE PUPIL IS ENROLLED IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING
6 REASONABLE COSTS AS DETERMINED BY THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD
7 FOR SERVICES PROVIDED TO A PUPIL UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION.

8 (2) Upon request of the board of a constituent school dis-
9 trict, an intermediate school board may provide, either solely or
10 as part of a consortium of intermediate school districts, compre-
11 hensive school improvement support services to the district.
12 These services may include, but are not limited to, all of the
13 following:

14 (a) The development of a core curriculum.

15 (b) The evaluation of a core curriculum.

16 (c) The preparation of 1 or more school improvement plans.

17 (d) The dissemination of information concerning 1 or more
18 school improvement plans.

19 (e) The preparation of an annual educational report.

20 (f) Professional development.

21 (g) Educational research.

22 (h) The compilation of instructional objectives, instruc-
23 tional resources, pupil demographics, and pupil academic
24 achievement.

25 (i) Assistance in obtaining school accreditation.

26 (j) The provision of general technical assistance.