



**House
Legislative
Analysis
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ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

**Senate Bill 927 with House committee
amendments
Addendum to SFA analysis (5-25-94)**

**Sponsor: Sen. Philip E. Hoffman
Senate Committee: Natural Resources &
Environmental Affairs
House Committee: Conservation,
Environment & Great Lakes**

ADDENDUM TO SENATE FISCAL AGENCY ANALYSIS OF SB 927 DATED 4-14-94

HOUSE COMMITTEE ACTION:

The House Committee on Conservation, Environment and Great Lakes adopted several amendments to the Senate-passed version of the bill. Under the committee amendments, a reference to "agricultural sciences" would be added to the list of elements included in the definition of "environmental education". In addition, the proposed environmental education advisory committee would have to include, in addition to those listed in the Senate-passed version of the bill, individuals with knowledge and experience in the production of food and fiber products. The committee also adopted several amendments that are technical in nature. (For further information, see the Senate Fiscal Agency analysis of Senate Bill 927 dated 4-14-94.)

POSITIONS:

Clean Water Action supports the bill. (5-24-94)

The Michigan United Conservation Clubs supports the bill. (5-24-94)

The Michigan Manufacturers Association supports the bill. (5-24-94)

The Michigan Chemical Council supports the bill. (5-24-94)

The Kalamazoo Nature Center supports the bill. (5-24-94)

The Department of Natural Resources supports the concept of the bill. (5-24-94)

The Department of Management and Budget supports the concept of the bill but does not support diverting funds from the general fund; the department states that "decisions on the relative priority of this activity should be made during the annual appropriations process". (5-24-94)

Senate Bill 927 (5-25-94)