



SENATE BILL No. 1143

May 5, 1994, Introduced by Senators HOFFMAN, WELBORN,
CARL and KOIVISTO and referred to the Committee on
Education

A bill to amend Act No 451 of the Public Acts of 1976,
entitled as amended

"The school code of 1976,"

as amended, being sections 380 1 to 380 1852 of the Michigan
Compiled Laws, by adding section 1166a

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT

1 Section 1 Act No 451 of the Public Acts of 1976, as
2 amended, being sections 380 1 to 380 1852 of the Michigan
3 Compiled Laws, is amended by adding section 1166a to read as
4 follows

5 SEC 1166A (1) THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR LOCAL ACT
6 SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY ALLOW AND ENCOURAGE A TEACHER OR SCHOOL
7 ADMINISTRATOR EMPLOYED IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO READ ALOUD OR TO
8 POST IN A SCHOOL BUILDING OR CLASSROOM OR AT A SCHOOL EVENT ALL
9 OR PART OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS

- 1 (A) THE PREAMBLE TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION OF 1963
2 (B) THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE
3 (C) THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION
4 (D) THE MAYFLOWER COMPACT
5 (E) THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL MOTTO
6 (F) THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL ANTHEM
7 (G) THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
8 (H) ANY WRITING, SPEECH, DOCUMENT, OR PROCLAMATION OF ANY OF
9 THE FOUNDING FATHERS OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF ANY PRESIDENT OF
10 THE UNITED STATES
11 (I) ANY ORGANIC DOCUMENT FROM THE PRECOLONIAL, COLONIAL,
12 REVOLUTIONARY, FEDERALIST, OR POSTFEDERALIST ERA OF UNITED STATES
13 HISTORY
14 (J) ANY PUBLISHED OPINION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED
15 STATES OR A PUBLISHED CONCURRING OR DISSENTING OPINION OF A JUS-
16 TICE OF THE SUPREME COURT
17 (K) ANY ACT OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS
18 (1) THE PUBLISHED TEXT OF THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD
19 (2) THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR LOCAL ACT SCHOOL DIS-
20 TRICT SHALL ENSURE THAT THERE IS NO CENSORSHIP OF THE CONTENT OF
21 ANY DOCUMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) IN THE UNITED STATES
22 HISTORY OR HERITAGE CURRICULUM OR INSTRUCTION IN THE SCHOOL DIS-
23 TRICT BASED ON RELIGIOUS OR OTHER REFERENCES IN THE DOCUMENT
24 (3) NOT LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
25 SECTION, THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SHALL PROVIDE
26 TO THE BOARD OF EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT OR LOCAL ACT SCHOOL DISTRICT
27 SUFFICIENT COPIES OF THIS SECTION FOR DISTRIBUTION TO EACH

- 1 TEACHER AND SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR EMPLOYED BY THE SCHOOL
- 2 DISTRICT UPON RECEIPT OF THE COPIES, A SCHOOL BOARD SHALL DIS-
- 3 TRIBUTE A COPY OF THIS SECTION TO EACH OF ITS TEACHERS AND SCHOOL
- 4 ADMINISTRATORS