SENATE BILL No. 1004

February 10, 2000, Introduced by Senators JAYE and YOUNG and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code,"

(MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1282a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 1282A. (1) THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR LOCAL ACT
- 2 SCHOOL DISTRICT OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 3 SHALL ENSURE THAT A PUPIL, OTHER THAN A SPECIAL EDUCATION PUPIL,
- 4 IS NOT ADVANCED TO THE NEXT GRADE LEVEL AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL
- 5 YEAR UNLESS THE PUPIL HAS ACHIEVED AT LEAST A GRADE OF C IN ALL
- 6 SUBJECTS, USING AN A TO E SCALE, OR ITS EQUIVALENT ON ANOTHER
- 7 SCALE. HOWEVER, IF THE PUPIL ENROLLS IN SUMMER SCHOOL FOR EACH
- 8 SUBJECT IN WHICH HE OR SHE FAILED TO ACHIEVE THE REOUIRED GRADE
- 9 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION AND ACHIEVES AT LEAST THAT GRADE BY THE END
- 10 OF SUMMER SCHOOL, THE PUPIL MAY BE ADVANCED TO THE NEXT GRADE
- 11 LEVEL AFTER COMPLETING SUMMER SCHOOL.

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- 1 (2) IN ADDITION TO THE MINIMUM GRADE REQUIREMENTS UNDER
- 2 SUBSECTION (1), IF A PUPIL, OTHER THAN A SPECIAL EDUCATION PUPIL,
- 3 IS IN A GRADE LEVEL IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 4 ACADEMY ADMINISTERS A MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSESSMENT PROGRAM TEST
- 5 OR ANOTHER NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED STANDARDIZED TEST, THE PUPIL
- 6 SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ADVANCE TO THE NEXT GRADE LEVEL AT THE
- 7 END OF THAT SCHOOL YEAR UNLESS THE PUPIL'S PERFORMANCE ON THE
- 8 TEST INDICATES THAT THE PUPIL'S ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE IS AT LEAST
- 9 AT THE PUPIL'S CURRENT GRADE LEVEL IN ALL SUBJECTS TESTED.