SENATE BILL No. 55

January 23, 2003, Introduced by Senator JOHNSON and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending sections 1535a, 1539a, and 1539b (MCL 380.1535a,

380.1539a, and 380.1539b), as amended by 1995 PA 289, and by adding section 1230c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1230c. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person
- 2 employed by a school district, intermediate school district,
- 3 public school academy, or nonpublic school is convicted of a
- 4 crime described in section 1535a(1), the prosecuting attorney
- 5 handling the case shall notify the superintendent of public
- 6 instruction and the person's employing school district,
- 7 intermediate school district, public school academy, or nonpublic
- 8 school of that conviction and of the sentence imposed on the
- 9 person. A prosecuting attorney handling a case in which a person

- 1 is convicted of a crime described in this section shall inquire
- 2 whether the person is employed by a school district, intermediate
- 3 school district, public school academy, or nonpublic school. If
- 4 the prosecution of a crime described in this section was not
- 5 authorized by the prosecuting attorney under section 1 of chapter
- 6 IV of the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 764.1,
- 7 then the court in which the conviction occurs shall fulfill the
- 8 duties of the prosecuting attorney under this subsection.
- 9 (2) This section does not apply to a person who is subject to
- 10 section 1535a, 1539a, or 1539b. Notification concerning
- 11 convictions of those persons shall occur as provided for in those
- 12 sections.
- 13 (3) As used in this section:
- 14 (a) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a
- 15 plea of guilty, guilty but mentally ill, or nolo contendere or
- 16 upon a jury verdict or court finding that a defendant is guilty
- 17 or guilty but mentally ill.
- (b) "Employing school district, intermediate school district,
- 19 public school academy, or nonpublic school" means the governing
- 20 board of the school district, intermediate school district,
- 21 public school academy, or nonpublic school by which the person is
- 22 employed or for which the person is providing services pursuant
- 23 to a contract.
- 24 (c) "Person employed by a school district, intermediate
- 25 school district, public school academy, or nonpublic school"
- 26 means a person employed directly by the governing board of a
- 27 school district, intermediate school district, public school

- 1 academy, or nonpublic school or a person providing services for a
- 2 school district, intermediate school district, public school
- 3 academy, or nonpublic school pursuant to a contract with its
- 4 governing board.
- 5 (d) "Prosecuting attorney" means the prosecuting attorney for
- 6 a county, an assistant prosecuting attorney for a county, the
- 7 attorney general, the deputy attorney general, an assistant
- 8 attorney general, a special prosecuting attorney, or, in
- 9 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 10 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 11 upon which the violation is based.
- 12 Sec. 1535a. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person who
- 13 holds a teaching certificate that is valid in this state is
- 14 convicted of a crime described in this subsection, the -state
- 15 board superintendent of public instruction shall notify the
- 16 person in writing that his or her teaching certificate may be
- 17 suspended because of the conviction and of his or her right to a
- 18 hearing before the -state board superintendent of public
- 19 instruction. If the person does not avail himself or herself of
- 20 this right to a hearing within 30 working days after receipt of
- 21 this written notification, the teaching certificate of that
- **22** person shall be suspended. If a hearing takes place, the state
- 23 board superintendent of public instruction may suspend the
- 24 person's teaching certificate based upon the issues and evidence
- 25 presented at the hearing. This subsection applies to any of the
- 26 following crimes:
- 27 (a) Any felony.

- 1 (b) Any of the following misdemeanors:
- 2 (i) Criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree or an
- 3 attempt to commit criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree.
- 4 (ii) Child abuse in the third or fourth degree, -or an
- **5** attempt to commit child abuse in the third or fourth degree, **or**
- 6 domestic violence involving a child.
- 7 (iii) A misdemeanor involving -cruelty, Any of the
- 8 following:
- 9 (A) Cruelty or torture -, or indecent exposure involving a
- 10 child.
- 11 (B) Indecent exposure or other lewd behavior.
- 12 (C) Use or possession of marihuana or another controlled
- 13 substance.
- (D) Operating a vehicle under the influence of, or impaired
- 15 by, a controlled substance.
- 16 (iv) A misdemeanor violation of section 7410 of the public
- 17 health code, Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being
- 18 section 333.7410 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1978 PA 368,
- 19 MCL 333.7410.
- 20 (v) A violation of section 115, 141a, 145a, -or 167(1)(b),
- 21 167(1)(c), 167(1)(i), 359 or 448 of the Michigan penal code, -Act
- 22 No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being sections 750.115,
- 23 750.141a, 750.145a, and 750.359 of the Michigan Compiled Laws
- 24 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.115, 750.141a, 750.145a, 750.167, 750.359,
- 25 and 750.448, or a misdemeanor violation of section 81, 81a, or
- 26 145c of Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being
- 27 sections 750.81, 750.81a, and 750.145c of the Michigan Compiled

- 1 Laws the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.81, 750.81a,
- 2 and 750.145c.
- 3 (vi) A misdemeanor violation of section $\frac{33 \text{ of the Michigan}}{3}$
- 4 liquor control act, Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra
- 5 Session of 1933, being section 436.33 of the Michigan Compiled
- 6 Laws 701 of the Michigan liquor control code of 1998, 1998 PA
- 7 58, MCL 436.1701.
- 8 (2) If a person who holds a teaching certificate that is
- 9 valid in this state is convicted of a crime described in this
- 10 subsection, the <u>state board</u> superintendent of public
- 11 instruction shall find that the public health, safety, or welfare
- 12 requires emergency action and shall order summary suspension of
- 13 the person's teaching certificate under section 92 of the
- 14 administrative procedures act of 1969, Act No. 306 of the Public
- 15 Acts of 1969, being section 24.292 of the Michigan Compiled Laws
- 16 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.292. However, if a person convicted of a
- **17** crime described in this subsection is incarcerated in -a state
- 18 correctional facility secure confinement, the -state board
- 19 superintendent of public instruction may delay ordering the
- 20 summary suspension until not later than 10 work days after the
- 21 person is released from secure confinement. This subsection does
- 22 not limit the <u>state board's</u> superintendent of public
- 23 instruction's ability to order summary suspension of a person's
- 24 teaching certificate for a reason other than described in this
- 25 subsection. This subsection applies to conviction of any of the
- 26 following crimes:
- 27 (a) Criminal sexual conduct in any degree, assault with

- 1 intent to commit criminal sexual conduct, or an attempt to commit
- 2 criminal sexual conduct in any degree.
- 3 (b) Felonious assault on a child, child abuse in any degree,
- 4 or an attempt to commit child abuse in any degree.
- 5 (c) Cruelty, torture, or indecent exposure involving a
- 6 child.
- 7 (d) A violation of section 7401(2)(a)(i), 7403(2)(a)(i),
- 8 7410, or 7416 of the public health code, -Act No. 368 of the
- 9 Public Acts of 1978, being sections 333.7401, 333.7403, 333.7410,
- 10 and 333.7416 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1978 PA 368,
- 11 MCL 333.7401, 333.7403, 333.7410, and 333.7416.
- 12 (e) A violation of section 83, 89, 91, 316, 317, or 529 of
- 13 the Michigan penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931,
- 14 being sections 750.83, 750.89, 750.91, 750.316, 750.317, and
- 15 750.529 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.83,
- 16 750.89, 750.91, 750.316, 750.317, and 750.529.
- 17 (3) After the completion of a person's sentence, the person
- 18 may request a hearing before the -state board superintendent of
- 19 public instruction on reinstatement of his or her teaching
- 20 certificate. Based upon the issues and evidence presented at the
- 21 hearing, the -state board superintendent of public instruction
- 22 may reinstate, continue the suspension of, or permanently revoke
- 23 the person's teaching certificate.
- 24 (4) All of the following apply to a person described in this
- 25 section whose conviction is reversed upon final appeal:
- 26 (a) The person's teaching certificate shall be reinstated
- 27 upon his or her notification to the -state board superintendent

- 1 of public instruction of the reversal.
- 2 (b) If the suspension of the person's teaching certificate
- 3 under this section was the sole cause of his or her discharge
- 4 from employment, the person shall be reinstated, upon his or her
- 5 notification to the appropriate local or intermediate school
- 6 board of the reversal, with full rights and benefits, to the
- 7 position he or she would have had if he or she had been
- 8 continuously employed.
- 9 (5) The prosecuting attorney of the county handling a case
- 10 in which a person who holds a teaching certificate was convicted
- 11 of a crime described in subsection (1) shall notify the -state
- 12 board superintendent of public instruction, and any public
- 13 school, school district, intermediate school district, or
- 14 nonpublic school in which the person is employed, of that
- 15 conviction and of the sentence imposed on the person. —The—A
- 16 prosecuting attorney of each county shall inquire of each person
- 17 convicted in the county handling a case in which a person is
- 18 convicted of a crime described in subsection (1) shall inquire
- 19 whether the person holds a teaching certificate. If the
- 20 prosecution of a crime described in subsection (1) was not
- 21 authorized by the prosecuting attorney under section 1 of chapter
- 22 IV of the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 764.1,
- 23 then the court in which the conviction occurs shall fulfill the
- 24 duties of the prosecuting attorney under this subsection.
- (6) If the superintendent of a school district or
- 26 intermediate school district, the chief administrative officer of
- 27 a nonpublic school, the president of the board of a school

- 1 district or intermediate school district, or the president of the
- 2 governing board of a nonpublic school is notified by a
- 3 prosecuting attorney or learns through an authoritative source
- 4 that a person who holds a teaching certificate and who is
- 5 employed at the time by the school district, intermediate school
- 6 district, or nonpublic school has been convicted of a crime
- 7 described in subsection (1), the superintendent, chief
- 8 administrative officer, or board president shall notify the
- 9 state board superintendent of public instruction of that
- 10 conviction.
- 11 (7) If a person convicted of a crime described in subsection
- 12 (2) is incarcerated in -a state correctional facility secure
- 13 confinement and the -state board superintendent of public
- 14 instruction delays summary suspension as described in subsection
- 15 (2), the <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction shall
- 16 contact the department of corrections correctional agency and
- 17 request to be notified before the person is released from secure
- 18 confinement. Upon receipt of that request, the department of
- 19 corrections correctional agency shall notify the state board
- 20 superintendent of public instruction at least 30 work days before
- 21 the person is released from secure confinement.
- 22 (8) For the purposes of this section, a certified copy of the
- 23 court record is conclusive evidence of conviction of a crime
- 24 described in this section. For the purposes of this section,
- 25 conviction of a crime described in this -subsection section is
- 26 considered to be reasonably and adversely related to the ability
- 27 of the person to serve in an elementary or secondary school and

- 1 is sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the
- 2 person's teaching certificate.
- 3 (9) This section does not do any of the following:
- 4 (a) Prohibit a person who holds a teaching certificate from
- 5 seeking monetary compensation from a school board or intermediate
- 6 school board if that right is available under a collective
- 7 bargaining agreement or another statute.
- 8 (b) Limit the rights and powers granted to a school district
- 9 or intermediate school district under a collective bargaining
- 10 agreement, this act, or another statute to discipline or
- 11 discharge a person who holds a teaching certificate.
- 12 (c) Exempt a person who holds a teaching certificate from the
- 13 operation of section 1539a if the person also holds a school
- 14 administrator's certificate.
- 15 (10) The <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction
- 16 may promulgate, as necessary, rules to implement this section
- 17 pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, Act
- 18 No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being sections 24.201 to
- 19 24.328 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
- 20 24.328.
- 21 (11) As used in this section:
- 22 (a) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a
- 23 plea of guilty, guilty but mentally ill, or nolo contendere or
- 24 upon a jury verdict or court finding that a defendant is guilty
- 25 or guilty but mentally ill.
- 26 (b) "State correctional facility" means a correctional
- 27 facility under the jurisdiction of the department of

- 1 corrections. "Correctional agency" means the city, county,
- 2 state, or federal agency responsible for providing the secure
- 3 confinement.
- 4 (c) "Prosecuting attorney" means the prosecuting attorney for
- 5 a county, an assistant prosecuting attorney for a county, the
- 6 attorney general, the deputy attorney general, an assistant
- 7 attorney general, a special prosecuting attorney, or, in
- 8 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 9 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 10 upon which the violation is based.
- 11 Sec. 1539a. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person who
- 12 holds a school administrator's certificate that is valid in this
- 13 state is convicted of a crime described in this subsection, the
- 14 -state board superintendent of public instruction shall notify
- 15 the person in writing that his or her school administrator's
- 16 certificate may be suspended because of the conviction and of his
- 17 or her right to a hearing before the -state board superintendent
- 18 of public instruction. If the person does not avail himself or
- 19 herself of this right to a hearing within 30 working days after
- 20 receipt of this written notification, the school administrator's
- 21 certificate of that person shall be suspended. If a hearing
- 22 takes place, the -state board superintendent of public
- 23 instruction may suspend the person's school administrator's
- 24 certificate based upon the issues and evidence presented at the
- 25 hearing. This subsection applies to any of the following
- 26 crimes:
- 27 (a) Any felony.

- 1 (b) Any of the following misdemeanors:
- 2 (i) Criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree or an
- 3 attempt to commit criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree.
- 4 (ii) Child abuse in the third or fourth degree, -or an
- 5 attempt to commit child abuse in the third or fourth degree, or
- 6 domestic violence involving a child.
- 7 (iii) A misdemeanor involving cruelty, any of the
- 8 following:
- 9 (A) Cruelty or torture -, or indecent exposure involving a
- 10 child.
- 11 (B) Indecent exposure or other lewd behavior.
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- 13 substance.
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- 18 section 333.7410 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1978 PA 368,
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- **8** (2) If a person who holds a school administrator's
- 9 certificate that is valid in this state is convicted of a crime
- 10 described in this subsection, the state board superintendent of
- 11 public instruction shall find that the public health, safety, or
- 12 welfare requires emergency action and shall order summary
- 13 suspension of the person's school administrator's certificate
- 14 under section 92 of the administrative procedures act of 1969,
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- 20 instruction may delay ordering the summary suspension until not
- 21 later than 10 work days after the person is released from secure
- 22 confinement. This subsection does not limit the -state-board's
- 23 superintendent of public instruction's ability to order summary
- 24 suspension of a person's school administrator's certificate for a
- 25 reason other than described in this subsection. This subsection
- 26 applies to conviction of any of the following crimes:
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- 1 intent to commit criminal sexual conduct, or an attempt to commit
- 2 criminal sexual conduct in any degree.
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- 18 may request a hearing before the -state board superintendent of
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- 21 presented at the hearing, the -state board superintendent of
- 22 public instruction may reinstate, continue the suspension of, or
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- 24 certificate.
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- 26 section whose conviction is reversed upon final appeal:
- 27 (a) The person's school administrator's certificate shall be

- 1 reinstated upon his or her notification to the -state board
- 2 superintendent of public instruction of the reversal.
- 3 (b) If the suspension of the person's school administrator's
- 4 certificate under this section was the sole cause of his or her
- 5 discharge from employment, the person shall be reinstated, upon
- 6 his or her notification to the appropriate local or intermediate
- 7 school board of the reversal, with full rights and benefits, to
- 8 the position he or she would have had if he or she had been
- 9 continuously employed.
- 10 (5) The prosecuting attorney -of the county handling a case
- 11 in which a person who holds a school administrator's certificate
- 12 was convicted of a crime described in subsection (1) shall notify
- 13 the state board superintendent of public instruction, and any
- 14 public school, school district, intermediate school district, or
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- 23 IV of the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 764.1,
- 24 then the court in which the conviction occurs shall fulfill the
- 25 duties of the prosecuting attorney under this subsection.
- (6) If the superintendent of a school district or
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- 1 a nonpublic school, the president of the board of a school
- 2 district or intermediate school district, or the president of the
- 3 governing board of a nonpublic school is notified by a
- 4 prosecuting attorney or learns through an authoritative source
- 5 that a person who holds a school administrator's certificate and
- 6 who is employed at the time by the school district, intermediate
- 7 school district, or nonpublic school has been convicted of a
- 8 crime described in subsection (1), the superintendent, chief
- 9 administrative officer, or board president shall notify the
- 10 <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction of that
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- 12 (7) If a person convicted of a crime described in subsection
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- 27 considered to be reasonably and adversely related to the ability

- 1 of the person to serve in an elementary or secondary school and
- 2 is sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the
- 3 person's school administrator's certificate.
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- 5 (a) Prohibit a person who holds a school administrator's
- 6 certificate from seeking monetary compensation from a school
- 7 board or intermediate school board if that right is available
- 8 under a collective bargaining agreement or another statute.
- 9 (b) Limit the rights and powers granted to a school district
- 10 or intermediate school district under a collective bargaining
- 11 agreement, this act, or another statute to discipline or
- 12 discharge a person who holds a school administrator's
- 13 certificate.
- 14 (c) Exempt a person who holds a school administrator's
- 15 certificate from the operation of section 1535a.
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- 9 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 10 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 11 upon which the violation is based.
- Sec. 1539b. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a person who
- 13 holds state board approval is convicted of a crime described in
- 14 this subsection, the state board superintendent of public
- 15 instruction shall notify the person in writing that his or her
- 16 state board approval may be suspended because of the conviction
- 17 and of his or her right to a hearing before the -state board
- 18 superintendent of public instruction. If the person does not
- 19 avail himself or herself of this right to a hearing within 30
- 20 working days after receipt of this written notification, the
- 21 person's state board approval shall be suspended. If a hearing
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- 8 of a crime described in this subsection, the -state board
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- 10 (e) A violation of section 83, 89, 91, 316, 317, or 529 of
- 11 the Michigan penal code, -Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931,
- 12 being sections 750.83, 750.89, 750.91, 750.316, 750.317, and
- 13 750.529 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.83,
- 14 750.89, 750.91, 750.316, 750.317, and 750.529.
- 15 (3) After the completion of the person's sentence, the person
- 16 may request a hearing before the -state board superintendent of
- 17 public instruction on reinstatement of his or her state board
- 18 approval. Based upon the issues and evidence presented at the
- 19 hearing, the <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction
- 20 may reinstate, continue the suspension of, or permanently revoke
- 21 the person's state board approval.
- 22 (4) All of the following apply to a person described in this
- 23 section whose conviction is reversed upon final appeal:
- (a) The person's state board approval shall be reinstated
- 25 upon his or her notification to the -state board superintendent
- 26 of public instruction of the reversal.
- 27 (b) If the suspension of the state board approval was the

- 1 sole cause of his or her discharge from employment, the person
- 2 shall be reinstated upon his or her notification to the
- 3 appropriate local or intermediate school board of the reversal,
- 4 with full rights and benefits, to the position he or she would
- 5 have had if he or she had been continuously employed.
- 6 (5) The prosecuting attorney -of the county handling a case
- 7 in which a person who holds state board approval was convicted of
- 8 a crime described in subsection (1) shall notify the -state
- 9 board superintendent of public instruction, and any public
- 10 school, school district, intermediate school district, or
- 11 nonpublic school in which the person is employed, of that
- 12 conviction and of the sentence imposed on the person. The A
- 13 prosecuting attorney -of each county shall inquire of each person
- 14 convicted in the county handling a case in which a person is
- 15 convicted of a crime described in subsection (1) shall inquire
- 16 whether the person holds state board approval. If the
- 17 prosecution of a crime described in subsection (1) was not
- 18 authorized by the prosecuting attorney under section 1 of chapter
- 19 IV of the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 764.1,
- 20 then the court in which the conviction occurs shall fulfill the
- 21 duties of the prosecuting attorney under this subsection. The
- 22 <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction shall make
- 23 available to prosecuting attorneys and courts a list of school
- 24 occupations that commonly require state board approval.
- (6) If the superintendent of a school district or
- 26 intermediate school district, the chief administrative officer of
- 27 a nonpublic school, the president of the board of a school

- 1 district or intermediate school district, or the president of the
- 2 governing board of a nonpublic school is notified by a
- 3 prosecuting attorney or learns through an authoritative source
- 4 that a person who holds state board approval and who is employed
- 5 at the time by the school district, intermediate school district,
- 6 or nonpublic school has been convicted of a crime described in
- 7 subsection (1), the superintendent, chief administrative officer,
- 8 or board president shall notify the -state board superintendent
- 9 of public instruction of that conviction.
- 10 (7) If a person convicted of a crime described in subsection
- 11 (2) is incarcerated in -a state correctional facility secure
- 12 confinement and the -state board superintendent of public
- 13 instruction delays summary suspension as described in subsection
- 14 (2), the <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction shall
- 15 contact the department of corrections correctional agency and
- 16 request to be notified before the person is released from secure
- 17 confinement. Upon receipt of that request, the department of
- 18 corrections correctional agency shall notify the -state board
- 19 superintendent of public instruction at least 30 work days before
- 20 the person is released from secure confinement.
- 21 (8) For the purposes of this section, a certified copy of the
- 22 court record is conclusive evidence of conviction of a crime
- 23 described in this section. For the purposes of this section,
- 24 conviction of a crime described in this -subsection section is
- 25 considered to be reasonably and adversely related to the ability
- 26 of the person to serve in an elementary or secondary school and
- 27 is sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the

- 1 person's state board approval.
- 2 (9) This section does not do any of the following:
- 3 (a) Prohibit a person who holds state board approval from
- 4 seeking monetary compensation from a school board or intermediate
- 5 school board if that right is available under a collective
- 6 bargaining agreement or another statute.
- 7 (b) Limit the rights and powers granted to a school district
- 8 or intermediate school district under a collective bargaining
- 9 agreement, this act, or another statute to discipline or
- 10 discharge a person who holds state board approval.
- 11 (c) Exempt a person who holds state board approval from the
- 12 operation of section 1535a or 1539a, or both, if the person holds
- 13 a certificate subject to 1 or both of those sections.
- 14 (d) Limit the ability of a state licensing body to take
- 15 action against a person's license or registration for the same
- 16 conviction.
- 17 (10) The <u>state board</u> superintendent of public instruction
- 18 may promulgate, as necessary, rules to implement this section
- 19 pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, Act
- 20 No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being sections 24.201 to
- 21 24.328 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
- 22 24.328.
- 23 (11) As used in this section:
- (a) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a
- 25 plea of guilty, guilty but mentally ill, or nolo contendere or
- 26 upon a jury verdict or court finding that a defendant is guilty
- 27 or guilty but mentally ill.

- 1 (b) "Correctional agency" means the city, county, state, or
- 2 federal agency responsible for providing the secure confinement.
- 3 (c) "Prosecuting attorney" means the prosecuting attorney for
- 4 a county, an assistant prosecuting attorney for a county, the
- 5 attorney general, the deputy attorney general, an assistant
- 6 attorney general, a special prosecuting attorney, or, in
- 7 connection with the prosecution of an ordinance violation, an
- 8 attorney for the political subdivision that enacted the ordinance
- 9 upon which the violation is based.
- 10 (d) -(b) "State board approval" means a license,
- 11 certificate, endorsement, permit, approval, or other evidence of
- 12 qualifications to hold a particular position in a school district
- 13 or intermediate school district or in a nonpublic school, other
- 14 than a teacher's certificate subject to section 1535a or a school
- 15 administrator's certificate subject to section 1539a, that is
- 16 issued to a person by the state board or the superintendent of
- 17 public instruction under this act or a rule promulgated under
- 18 this act.
- 19 (c) "State correctional facility" means a correctional
- 20 facility under the jurisdiction of the department of
- 21 corrections.

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