HOUSE BILL No. 6379

August 30, 2006, Introduced by Reps. Moore, Emmons, Mortimer, Farhat and Nitz and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Preparation.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled

"The revised school code,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 380.3), as amended by 2004 PA 303.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 3. (1) "Area" as used in the phrase "area vocational-
- 2 technical education program" means the geographical territory, both
- 3 within and without the boundaries of either a K to 12 school
- 4 district or a community college district, that is designated by the
- 5 state board SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION as the service
- 6 area for the operation of an area vocational-technical education

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- 1 program.
- 2 (2) "Area vocational-technical education program" means a
- 3 program of organized, systematic instruction designed to prepare
- 4 the following persons for useful employment in recognized
- 5 occupations:
- **6** (a) Persons enrolled in high school.
- 7 (b) Persons who have completed or left high school and who are
- 8 available for full-time study in preparation for entering the labor
- 9 market.
- 10 (c) Persons who have entered the labor market and who need
- 11 training or retraining to achieve stability or advancement in
- **12** employment.
- 13 (3) "Board" or "school board" means the governing body of a
- 14 local school district or a local act school district unless clearly
- 15 otherwise stated. Except in part 5a or part 6, for a school
- 16 district organized as a first class school district, if the
- 17 question under section 410 is approved in the school district, then
- 18 beginning on the next January 1 occurring at least 1 year after the
- 19 question under section 410 is presented to the school electors in
- 20 the school district, "board" or "school board" means the chief
- 21 executive officer of the first class school district.
- 22 (4) "Boarding school" means a place accepting for board, care,
- 23 and instruction 5 or more children under 16 years of age.
- 24 (5) "Constituent district" means a local school district or
- 25 special act school district the territory of which is entirely
- 26 within and is an integral part of an intermediate school district.
- 27 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act is intended to

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- 1 transfer back to the superintendent of public instruction certain
- 2 powers, duties, and functions that were transferred to the former
- 3 department of career development by Executive Reorganization Order
- 4 No. 1999-7, MCL 388.995.