

HOUSE BILL No. 4837

June 13, 2013, Introduced by Reps. McMillin, Lipton, Hooker, Howrylak, Somerville, Franz, Rendon, Lauwers, Robinson, Genetski, Barnett, Faris, Yonker and McBroom 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 1279h.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 1279H. (1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DO ALL OF THE FOLLOWING
2 WITH RESPECT TO EACH TEST OR ASSESSMENT THAT PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS
3 ARE REQUIRED TO TAKE UNDER STATE LAW:

4 (A) MAKE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION AT THE DEPARTMENT ALL
5 TEST QUESTIONS OR ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS THAT ARE USED AS PART OF
6 THE TEST OR ASSESSMENT FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR, THAT WERE USED
7 AS PART OF THE TEST OR ASSESSMENT FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING
8 SCHOOL YEAR, AND, IF AVAILABLE, ARE EXPECTED TO BE USED AS PART OF
9 THE TEST OR ASSESSMENT THE NEXT TIME IT IS ADMINISTERED.

10 (B) WORK WITH SCHOOL DISTRICTS, PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIES, AND

1 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ENSURE THAT ALL TEST QUESTIONS OR
2 ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS DESCRIBED IN SUBDIVISION (A) ARE MADE
3 AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION BY PARENTS AND LEGAL GUARDIANS AT EACH
4 PUBLIC SCHOOL AT WHICH THE SPECIFIC TEST OR ASSESSMENT IS
5 ADMINISTERED.

6 (2) THE OPPORTUNITY FOR INSPECTION OF TEST QUESTIONS OR
7 ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) SHALL BE AN
8 OPPORTUNITY TO INSPECT THE TEST QUESTIONS OR ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS
9 IN PRIVATE. HOWEVER, THE DEPARTMENT MAY PROHIBIT COPYING OR
10 PHOTOGRAPHING OF THE TEST QUESTIONS OR ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS.