## **HOUSE BILL No. 4325**

March 11, 2015, Introduced by Rep. Poleski and referred to the Committee on Financial Liability Reform.

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

(MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1219.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 1219. (1) BEFORE JULY 7 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, EACH
- 2 SCHOOL DISTRICT AND PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SHALL TRANSMIT TO CEPI
- 3 THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS USED IN THE PREPARATION OF ITS ANNUAL
- 4 BUDGET PURSUANT TO THE UNIFORM BUDGETING AND ACCOUNTING ACT, 1968
- 5 PA 2, MCL 141.421 TO 141.440A. THE SUBMISSION OF THE BUDGETARY
- 6 ASSUMPTIONS UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE IN THE FORM PRESCRIBED
- 7 BY CEPI AND SHALL INCLUDE AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING
- 8 INFORMATION:
- 9 (A) THE PROJECTED FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 10 OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY USED BY ITS GOVERNING BODY WHEN ADOPTING

- 1 THE BUDGET FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE
- 2 CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR.
- 3 (B) AN INDICATION OF WHETHER THE PROJECTED FOUNDATION
- 4 ALLOWANCE UNDER SUBDIVISION (A) INCREASED, DECREASED, OR REMAINED
- 5 UNCHANGED FROM THE FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 6 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING SCHOOL FISCAL
- 7 YEAR.
- 8 (C) THE PROJECTED MEMBERSHIP OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC
- 9 SCHOOL ACADEMY USED WHEN ADOPTING THE BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 10 OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR.
- 11 (D) AN INDICATION OF WHETHER THE PROJECTED MEMBERSHIP UNDER
- 12 SUBDIVISION (C) INCREASED, DECREASED, OR REMAINED UNCHANGED FROM
- 13 THE MEMBERSHIP REPORTED BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 14 OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IN THE MOST RECENT STATE AID FINANCIAL
- 15 STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.
- 16 (E) THE EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 17 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING SCHOOL FISCAL
- 18 YEAR, CALCULATED BY DIVIDING TOTAL GENERAL FUND OPERATING
- 19 EXPENDITURES FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 20 DURING THAT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR BY THE MEMBERSHIP FOR THE SCHOOL
- 21 DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY REPORTED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE
- 22 MOST RECENT STATE AID FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.
- 23 (F) THE PROJECTED EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL FOR THE SCHOOL
- 24 DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL
- 25 YEAR, CALCULATED BY DIVIDING THE TOTAL GENERAL FUND OPERATING
- 26 EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE SCHOOL
- 27 DISTRICT OR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY WHEN ADOPTING THE BUDGET FOR

- 1 THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR BY THE PROJECTED MEMBERSHIP OF THE
- 2 SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY USED WHEN ADOPTING THE
- 3 BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FOR THE
- 4 CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR.
- 5 (2) BY JULY 21 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, USING THE BUDGETARY
- 6 ASSUMPTIONS RECEIVED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), CEPI SHALL COMPLETE A
- 7 SUMMARY OF THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 8 DISTRICT AND AUTHORIZING BODY IN THIS STATE. A SUMMARY OF THE
- 9 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL
- 10 INCLUDE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTION INFORMATION FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 11 LOCATED WITHIN THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT. A SUMMARY OF THE
- 12 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR AN AUTHORIZING BODY SHALL INCLUDE
- 13 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTION INFORMATION FOR EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 14 AUTHORIZED BY THE AUTHORIZING BODY. BY JULY 21 OF EACH SCHOOL
- 15 FISCAL YEAR, CEPI SHALL TRANSMIT THE SUMMARY OF THE BUDGETARY
- 16 ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO THE
- 17 INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 18 THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, AND THE STATE TREASURER.
- 19 BY JULY 21 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, CEPI SHALL TRANSMIT THE
- 20 SUMMARY OF THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH AUTHORIZING BODY TO
- 21 THE AUTHORIZING BODY, THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, AND
- 22 THE STATE TREASURER. A SUMMARY OF THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SHALL
- 23 INCLUDE AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
- 24 (A) FOR AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING
- 25 FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCATED WITHIN THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 26 DISTRICT:
- 27 (i) THE NAME OF EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT.

- 1 (ii) THE PROJECTED FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE REPORTED UNDER
- 2 SUBSECTION (1)(A) AND THE INDICATION PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION
- 3 (1)(B).
- 4 (iii) THE PROJECTED MEMBERSHIP REPORTED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(C)
- 5 AND THE INDICATION PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(D).
- 6 (iv) THE EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL AMOUNTS FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 7 PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) (E) AND (F).
- 8 (B) FOR AN AUTHORIZING BODY, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING FOR EACH
- 9 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AUTHORIZED BY THE AUTHORIZING BODY:
- 10 (i) THE NAME OF EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 11 (ii) THE PROJECTED FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE REPORTED UNDER
- 12 SUBSECTION (1)(A) AND THE INDICATION PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION
- 13 (1)(B).
- 14 (iii) THE PROJECTED MEMBERSHIP REPORTED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(C)
- 15 AND THE INDICATION PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(D).
- 16 (iv) THE EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL AMOUNTS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 17 ACADEMY PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) (E) AND (F).
- 18 (3) BY JULY 28 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, THE INTERMEDIATE
- 19 SUPERINTENDENT OF EACH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT RECEIVING A
- 20 SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (2) SHALL REVIEW
- 21 THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS INCLUDED IN THE SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY
- 22 ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 23 DISTRICT AND NOTIFY CEPI, ON A FORM PRESCRIBED BY CEPI, WHETHER THE
- 24 INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT CONCURS WITH THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS
- 25 FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT INCLUDED IN THE SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY
- 26 ASSUMPTIONS. BY JULY 28 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, EACH
- 27 AUTHORIZING BODY RECEIVING A SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS UNDER

- 1 SUBSECTION (2) SHALL REVIEW THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS INCLUDED IN
- 2 THE SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 3 AND NOTIFY CEPI, ON A FORM PRESCRIBED BY CEPI, WHETHER THE
- 4 AUTHORIZING BODY CONCURS WITH THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR EACH
- 5 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY INCLUDED IN THE SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY
- 6 ASSUMPTIONS. IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO CONCUR WITH BUDGETARY
- 7 ASSUMPTIONS UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, AN INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT
- 8 OR AN AUTHORIZING BODY SHALL CONSIDER ALL OF THE FOLLOWING FACTORS
- 9 FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY:
- 10 (A) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S
- 11 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE AND MEMBERSHIP FOR PRIOR FISCAL YEARS.
- 12 (B) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, PROJECTIONS USED BY OTHER SCHOOL
- 13 DISTRICTS WITHIN THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE SAME
- 14 FISCAL YEAR.
- 15 (C) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, PROJECTIONS USED BY OTHER
- 16 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIES AUTHORIZED BY THE AUTHORIZING BODY FOR THE
- 17 SAME FISCAL YEAR.
- 18 (D) PROJECTIONS RELEASED BY 1 OR MORE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
- 19 TREASURY, THE HOUSE FISCAL AGENCY, THE SENATE FISCAL AGENCY, OR A
- 20 REVENUE ESTIMATING CONFERENCE CONDUCTED UNDER SECTION 367B OF THE
- 21 MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET ACT, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1367B.
- 22 (E) PROJECTIONS BASED ON PENDING OR ENACTED LEGISLATION.
- 23 (4) BY AUGUST 10 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, CEPI SHALL
- 24 PREPARE AND TRANSMIT TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
- 25 AND THE STATE TREASURER A FINAL SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS
- 26 FOR EACH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND AUTHORIZING BODY IN THIS
- 27 STATE. THE FINAL SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SHALL INCLUDE AT

- 1 LEAST ALL OF THE INFORMATION DETAILED IN SUBSECTION (2)(A) AND (B),
- 2 AND ANY CHANGES SUBMITTED TO CEPI BY AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 3 DISTRICT OR AUTHORIZING BODY IN BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS UNDER
- 4 SUBSECTION (2) OR IN INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OR AUTHORIZING
- 5 BODY CONCURRENCE UNDER SUBSECTION (3) AND CONFIRMED BY CEPI BEFORE
- 6 THAT AUGUST 10. WHEN TRANSMITTING THE FINAL SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY
- 7 ASSUMPTIONS TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE
- 8 STATE TREASURER UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, CEPI ALSO SHALL TRANSMIT A
- 9 COPY OF THE FINAL SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR AN
- 10 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO THE INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OF
- 11 THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND A COPY OF THE FINAL SUMMARY OF
- 12 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS FOR AN AUTHORIZING BODY TO THE AUTHORIZING
- 13 BODY. BY AUGUST 20 OF EACH SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, THE STATE TREASURER
- 14 SHALL REVIEW EACH FINAL SUMMARY OF BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS PREPARED
- 15 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. IF THE STATE TREASURER CONCURS WITH A
- 16 DETERMINATION BY AN INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OR AUTHORIZING BODY
- 17 THAT A BUDGETARY ASSUMPTION USED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF A SCHOOL
- 18 DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS UNREASONABLE OR IF THE STATE
- 19 TREASURER DOES NOT CONCUR WITH A DETERMINATION BY AN INTERMEDIATE
- 20 SUPERINTENDENT OR AUTHORIZING BODY THAT A BUDGETARY ASSUMPTION USED
- 21 BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 22 IS REASONABLE, THEN BY THAT AUGUST 20 THE STATE TREASURER SHALL
- 23 NOTIFY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AND PROVIDE A
- 24 COPY OF THE NOTICE TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. FOR
- 25 A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL ALSO PROVIDE A COPY OF
- 26 THE NOTICE TO THE INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE
- 27 SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED AND TO EACH

- 1 MEMBER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT. FOR A PUBLIC
- 2 SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL ALSO PROVIDE A COPY OF
- 3 THE NOTICE TO THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AND
- 4 TO EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 5 ACADEMY. IF THE STATE TREASURER NOTIFIES A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 6 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY OF CONCURRENCE OR NONCONCURRENCE UNDER THIS
- 7 SUBSECTION, WITHIN 5 DAYS AFTER THAT NOTIFICATION THE SCHOOL
- 8 DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SHALL POST A NOTICE ON THE MAIN
- 9 PAGE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S WEBSITE
- 10 INDICATING THAT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY HAS
- 11 ADOPTED A BUDGET THAT RELIES UPON UNREASONABLE BUDGETARY
- 12 ASSUMPTIONS. THE NOTICE SHALL REMAIN ON THE MAIN PAGE OF THE SCHOOL
- 13 DISTRICT'S OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S WEBSITE UNTIL THE EARLIER OF
- 14 THE FOLLOWING:
- 15 (A) THE NEXT JUNE 30.
- 16 (B) THE ADOPTION BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 17 ACADEMY OF AN AMENDED BUDGET FOR THE SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR BASED UPON
- 18 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS THAT THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 19 AUTHORIZING BODY, WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE STATE TREASURER,
- 20 DETERMINES ARE REASONABLE.
- 21 (5) IF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 22 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, OR THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 23 ACADEMY, DETERMINES THAT CONDITIONS OF FISCAL STRESS, A DEFICIT, OR
- 24 CONDITIONS INDICATING A POTENTIAL FINANCIAL EMERGENCY HAVE ARISEN
- 25 OR MAY ARISE FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 26 OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THAT SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 27 DISTRICT, PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, OR AUTHORIZING BODY SHALL NOTIFY

- 1 THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND REQUEST TECHNICAL
- 2 ASSISTANCE FROM THIS STATE IN ADDRESSING THE FISCAL STRESS,
- 3 DEFICIT, OR POTENTIAL FINANCIAL EMERGENCY. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
- 4 PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SHALL NOTIFY THE STATE TREASURER OF ANY REQUEST
- 5 FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 6 (6) A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT REQUESTS ASSISTANCE UNDER
- 7 SUBSECTION (5) SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE NOTICE AND REQUEST TO
- 8 THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE
- 9 SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED. A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY THAT REQUESTS
- 10 ASSISTANCE UNDER SUBSECTION (5) SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE NOTICE
- 11 AND REQUEST TO ITS AUTHORIZING BODY.
- 12 (7) WITHIN 45 DAYS AFTER RECEIVING A REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE
- 13 UNDER SUBSECTION (5), THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONSULT WITH THE
- 14 DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY REGARDING THE PROVISION OF TECHNICAL
- 15 ASSISTANCE TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 16 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY. SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE RESOURCES, THE
- 17 DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY SHALL REVIEW THE
- 18 FINANCIAL CONDITION AND THE BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 19 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, AND, AFTER
- 20 CONSULTATION WITH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 21 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE,
- 22 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DATA ANALYSIS TOOLS, WITH THE
- 23 OBJECTIVE OF ASSISTING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 24 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IN AVOIDING CONDITIONS OF FISCAL
- 25 STRESS, A DEFICIT, OR A POTENTIAL FINANCIAL EMERGENCY BEFORE
- 26 FURTHER STATE INTERVENTION. TO ASSURE GREATER COORDINATION AND
- 27 EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIPS, WHEN ADMINISTERING THIS SUBSECTION FOR A

- 1 SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY
- 2 SHALL CONSULT WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND
- 3 THE INTERMEDIATE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 4 IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED, AND THE INTERMEDIATE
- 5 SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY PROVIDE ASSISTANCE THAT COMPLEMENTS AND
- 6 SUPPORTS THE STATE ASSISTANCE PROVIDED UNDER THIS SECTION. TO
- 7 ASSURE GREATER COORDINATION AND EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIPS, WHEN
- 8 ADMINISTERING THIS SUBSECTION FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE
- 9 DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY SHALL CONSULT WITH THE
- 10 AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, AND THE AUTHORIZING
- 11 BODY MAY PROVIDE ASSISTANCE THAT COMPLEMENTS AND SUPPORTS THE STATE
- 12 ASSISTANCE PROVIDED UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 13 (8) THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE
- 14 TREASURER MAY REQUIRE A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 15 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL
- 16 STATUS REPORTS UNDER SUBSECTION (9) IF EITHER THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
- 17 PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER DETERMINES THAT POTENTIAL
- 18 FINANCIAL STRESS MAY EXIST WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 19 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THAT A DEFICIT IS
- 20 PROJECTED TO ARISE WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 21 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL
- 22 YEAR OR THE FOLLOWING 2 SCHOOL FISCAL YEARS, OR THAT THE SCHOOL
- 23 DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 24 MAY BE UNABLE TO MEET ITS FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS WHILE ALSO
- 25 SATISFYING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S,
- 26 OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S OBLIGATIONS OR ABILITIES TO PROVIDE
- 27 PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL SERVICES IN A MANNER THAT COMPLIES WITH THIS

- 1 ACT, THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979, AND APPLICABLE RULES, BASED
- 2 UPON 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 3 (A) FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY THE
- 4 SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 5 ACADEMY TO A STATE DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY.
- 6 (B) FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION INCLUDED WITHIN AN
- 7 AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 8 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 9 (C) FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED TO A STATE
- 10 DEPARTMENT, AGENCY, OR AUTHORITY IN CONNECTION WITH A REQUEST TO
- 11 ISSUE BONDS, NOTES, OR OTHER DEBT OBLIGATIONS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT
- 12 LIMITED TO, INFORMATION RELATING TO A REQUEST FOR A LOAN UNDER THE
- 13 EMERGENCY MUNICIPAL LOAN ACT, 1980 PA 243, MCL 141.931 TO 141.942.
- 14 (D) FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION INCLUDED WITHIN A
- 15 RECOMMENDED BUDGET, BUDGET, OR GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF THE
- 16 SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 17 ACADEMY.
- 18 (E) FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED TO A STATE
- 19 DEPARTMENT, AGENCY, OR AUTHORITY BY AN OFFICER, EMPLOYEE,
- 20 CONTRACTOR, OR AGENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 21 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 22 (F) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, DATA RELATING TO PUPIL ENROLLMENT,
- 23 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, RESIDENTS OF OTHER SCHOOL DISTRICTS
- 24 ENROLLED IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND RESIDENTS OF THE SCHOOL
- 25 DISTRICT ENROLLED IN ANOTHER SCHOOL DISTRICT OR IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 26 NOT OPERATED BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.
- 27 (G) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER INFORMATION

- 1 PROVIDED TO THE DEPARTMENT OR DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY BY THE
- 2 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS
- 3 LOCATED.
- 4 (H) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, FINANCIAL DATA OR OTHER
- 5 INFORMATION PROVIDED TO THE DEPARTMENT OR DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY BY
- 6 THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 7 (I) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN
- 8 WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED DID NOT CONCUR UNDER
- 9 SUBSECTION (3) WITH THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE
- 10 SCHOOL DISTRICT UNDER SUBSECTION (1).
- 11 (J) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S
- 12 AUTHORIZING BODY DID NOT CONCUR UNDER SUBSECTION (3) WITH THE
- 13 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY UNDER
- 14 SUBSECTION (1).
- 15 (9) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, NOT LESS THAN 14 DAYS BEFORE
- 16 DETERMINING UNDER SUBSECTION (8) THAT POTENTIAL FINANCIAL STRESS
- 17 MAY EXIST FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 18 INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER SHALL NOTIFY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 19 AND THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE SCHOOL IS LOCATED
- 20 OF A POTENTIAL DETERMINATION UNDER SUBSECTION (8). FOR AN
- 21 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, NOT LESS THAN 14 DAYS BEFORE
- 22 DETERMINING UNDER SUBSECTION (8) THAT POTENTIAL FINANCIAL STRESS
- 23 MAY EXIST FOR THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE SUPERINTENDENT
- 24 OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER SHALL NOTIFY THE
- 25 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF A POTENTIAL DETERMINATION UNDER
- 26 SUBSECTION (8). FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, NOT LESS THAN 14 DAYS
- 27 BEFORE DETERMINING UNDER SUBSECTION (8) THAT POTENTIAL FINANCIAL

- 1 STRESS MAY EXIST FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE SUPERINTENDENT
- 2 OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER SHALL NOTIFY THE
- 3 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AND THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 4 ACADEMY OF A POTENTIAL DETERMINATION UNDER SUBSECTION (8). IF THE
- 5 SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER
- 6 DETERMINES UNDER SUBSECTION (8) THAT POTENTIAL FINANCIAL STRESS MAY
- 7 EXIST FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 8 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, AFTER MAKING THE NOTIFICATION REQUIRED UNDER
- 9 THIS SUBSECTION, EITHER THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR
- 10 THE STATE TREASURER MAY REQUIRE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 11 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO SUBMIT TO THAT OFFICER
- 12 A PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT ON A PERIODIC BASIS DETERMINED
- 13 BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER
- 14 UNDER SUBSECTION (10) IF 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING ARE APPLICABLE:
- 15 (A) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 16 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FAILED TO MAKE A REQUIRED PAYMENT TO THE
- 17 MICHIGAN PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM UNDER THE
- 18 PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ACT OF 1979, 1980 PA 300, MCL
- 19 38.1301 TO 38.1437.
- 20 (B) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 21 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FAILED TO MAKE A REQUIRED PAYMENT TO THE
- 22 MICHIGAN UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY.
- 23 (C) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 24 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FAILED TO TIMELY TRANSMIT TO THE DEPARTMENT
- 25 OF TREASURY A REQUIRED PAYMENT OF TAX WITHHELD FROM PAYMENTS TO
- 26 EMPLOYEES OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 27 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.

- 1 (D) INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY A VENDOR OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 2 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY INDICATES
- 3 THAT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC
- 4 SCHOOL ACADEMY IS MORE THAN 90 DAYS IN ARREARS ON A PAYMENT OWED TO
- 5 THE VENDOR AS REQUIRED UNDER A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE VENDOR AND THE
- 6 SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 7 ACADEMY.
- 8 (E) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS
- 9 EXPENDED TAX REVENUE FOR AN UNAUTHORIZED PURPOSE OR THE SCHOOL
- 10 DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS TRANSFERRED OR
- 11 DEPOSITED TAX REVENUE IN AN UNAUTHORIZED MANNER.
- 12 (F) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS
- 13 FAILED TO DISTRIBUTE TAX REVENUE AS REQUIRED BY LAW OR TO MAKE
- 14 TIMELY REFUNDS OF TAX REVENUES AS REQUIRED BY LAW.
- 15 (G) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 16 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY HAS FAILED TO PAY EMPLOYEES OF THE SCHOOL
- 17 DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 18 WITHIN THE TIME PERIOD REQUIRED BY LAW.
- 19 (H) THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 20 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY HAS FAILED TO COMPLY WITH A MATERIAL
- 21 REQUIREMENT IN THE UNIFORM BUDGETING AND ACCOUNTING ACT, 1968 PA 2,
- 22 MCL 141.421 TO 141.440A, AND THE MATERIAL VIOLATION WAS NOTED IN AN
- 23 AUDIT OR AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 24 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 25 (I) THE GENERAL FUND BALANCE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 26 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, EXPRESSED
- 27 AS A PERCENTAGE OF CURRENT OPERATING EXPENDITURES, HAS DECLINED BY

- 1 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS OR MORE EACH YEAR OVER 3 CONSECUTIVE SCHOOL
- 2 FISCAL YEARS.
- 3 (J) THE EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 4 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY HAVE
- 5 INCREASED BY 5% OR MORE IN THE MOST RECENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR, AS
- 6 COMPARED TO THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR. AS USED
- 7 IN THIS SUBDIVISION, "EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL" MEANS THE QUOTIENT OF
- 8 DIVIDING THE TOTAL GENERAL FUND OPERATING EXPENDITURES FOR A SCHOOL
- 9 FISCAL YEAR BY THE FINAL AUDITED NUMBER OF PUPILS IN MEMBERSHIP FOR
- 10 THE STATE FISCAL YEAR IN WHICH THAT SCHOOL YEAR ENDED.
- 11 (K) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, PUPIL
- 12 ENROLLMENT IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY HAS
- 13 DECLINED BY 5% OR MORE IN A SINGLE SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR OR BY 15% OR
- 14 MORE OVER A PERIOD OF 3 CONSECUTIVE SCHOOL FISCAL YEARS AND THE
- 15 SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FAILED TO REDUCE
- 16 EXPENDITURES IN A MANNER THAT ADDRESSES THE DECLINE IN ENROLLMENT.
- 17 (l) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, A REQUEST FOR A DETERMINATION UNDER
- 18 THIS SUBSECTION IS SUBMITTED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 19 INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER BY THE BOARD OF THE SCHOOL
- 20 DISTRICT OR THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT.
- 21 (M) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, A REQUEST FOR A DETERMINATION
- 22 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION IS SUBMITTED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 23 INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER BY THE BOARD OF THE PUBLIC
- 24 SCHOOL ACADEMY OR THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 25 ACADEMY.
- 26 (N) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, BASED UPON THE FACTORS DESCRIBED IN
- 27 THIS SUBSECTION AND SUBSECTION (8) OR INFORMATION PROVIDED BY AN

- 1 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 2 INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER DETERMINES THAT A DEFICIT IS
- 3 LIKELY TO ARISE FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE CURRENT OR NEXT
- 4 SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR AND THE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS NOT TAKEN ACTION
- 5 NECESSARY TO PREVENT THE DEFICIT FROM ARISING.
- 6 (O) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, BASED UPON THE FACTORS
- 7 DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBSECTION AND SUBSECTION (8) OR INFORMATION
- 8 PROVIDED BY THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE
- 9 SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OR THE STATE TREASURER
- 10 DETERMINES THAT A DEFICIT IS LIKELY TO ARISE FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 11 ACADEMY IN THE CURRENT OR NEXT FISCAL YEAR AND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 12 ACADEMY HAS NOT TAKEN ACTION NECESSARY TO PREVENT THE DEFICIT FROM
- 13 ARISING.
- 14 (P) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS APPLIED FOR
- 15 A LOAN UNDER THE EMERGENCY MUNICIPAL LOAN ACT, 1980 PA 243, MCL
- 16 141.931 TO 141.942.
- 17 (Q) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN
- 18 WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED DID NOT CONCUR UNDER
- 19 SUBSECTION (3) WITH THE BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE
- 20 SCHOOL DISTRICT UNDER SUBSECTION (1).
- 21 (R) FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S
- 22 AUTHORIZING BODY DID NOT CONCUR UNDER SUBSECTION (3) WITH THE
- 23 BUDGETARY ASSUMPTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY UNDER
- 24 SUBSECTION (1).
- 25 (10) IF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 26 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL
- 27 STATUS REPORTS UNDER SUBSECTION (9), THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,

- 1 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SHALL SUBMIT
- 2 A PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT IN THE FORM AND MANNER AND ON
- 3 THE PERIODIC BASIS PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY, AFTER
- 4 CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT AND CEPI. THE REPORT SHALL INCLUDE
- 5 FINANCIAL DATA AND OTHER INFORMATION THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF
- 6 TREASURY, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT, ORGANIZATIONS
- 7 REPRESENTING PUBLIC SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS AND BUSINESS OFFICIALS,
- 8 AND CEPI, DETERMINES CAN ASSIST THE STATE IN DEVELOPING AN EARLY
- 9 WARNING SYSTEM OF FINANCIAL STRESS OR DEFICITS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS,
- 10 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIES.
- 11 (11) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC
- 12 FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS UNDER SUBSECTION (10), THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 13 SHALL TRANSMIT A COPY OF THE PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT TO
- 14 THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND THE
- 15 SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE
- 16 SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED BEFORE TRANSMITTING THE PERIODIC
- 17 FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT TO THE STATE TREASURER. FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 18 ACADEMY REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS UNDER
- 19 SUBSECTION (10), THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY SHALL TRANSMIT A COPY OF
- 20 THE PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF
- 21 THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AND TO THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC
- 22 SCHOOL ACADEMY BEFORE TRANSMITTING THE PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS
- 23 REPORT TO THE STATE TREASURER. FOR AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 24 REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS UNDER
- 25 SUBSECTION (10), THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL TRANSMIT A
- 26 COPY OF THE PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE
- 27 BOARD OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT BEFORE TRANSMITTING THE

- 1 PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT TO THE STATE TREASURER.
- 2 (12) A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 3 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS
- 4 REPORTS UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL DO ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 5 (A) PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY OR THE DEPARTMENT WITH
- 6 OTHER FINANCIAL DATA OR INFORMATION RELATING TO THE FINANCIAL
- 7 CONDITION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 8 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AS REQUESTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY OR
- 9 THE DEPARTMENT.
- 10 (B) ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY OR THE DEPARTMENT TO
- 11 EXAMINE ALL FINANCIAL RECORDS AND BOOKS OF ACCOUNT OF THE SCHOOL
- 12 DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 13 (C) PROMPTLY AND FULLY PROVIDE THE ASSISTANCE AND INFORMATION
- 14 NECESSARY AND PROPERLY REQUESTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY OR
- 15 THE DEPARTMENT IN THE EFFECTUATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY'S
- 16 OR THE DEPARTMENT'S DUTIES UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 17 (13) IF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 18 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY FAILS TO SUBMIT A PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS
- 19 REPORT REQUIRED UNDER THIS SECTION, OR IF THE STATE TREASURER
- 20 DETERMINES OR IS NOTIFIED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 21 INSTRUCTION OR OTHER PUBLIC SCHOOL OFFICIAL THAT INFORMATION
- 22 INCLUDED ON A PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT INDICATES THAT
- 23 FINANCIAL STRESS EXISTS WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 24 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THAT A DEFICIT HAS
- 25 OCCURRED, OR THAT A DEFICIT IS PROJECTED TO OCCUR WITHIN THE SCHOOL
- 26 DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 27 WITHIN THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR OR THE NEXT SCHOOL FISCAL

- 1 YEAR THAT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 2 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY LACKS THE CAPACITY TO ADDRESS WITHOUT STATE
- 3 ASSISTANCE, THE STATE TREASURER MAY REQUIRE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 4 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO SUBMIT AN
- 5 ENHANCED DEFICIT ELIMINATION PLAN UNDER SECTION 1220. BEFORE
- 6 REQUIRING A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO SUBMIT AN ENHANCED DEFICIT
- 7 ELIMINATION PLAN UNDER SECTION 1220, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL
- 8 FIRST NOTIFY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, THE BOARD OF
- 9 THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, AND THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INTERMEDIATE
- 10 SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED. BEFORE
- 11 REOUIRING A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO SUBMIT AN ENHANCED DEFICIT
- 12 ELIMINATION PLAN UNDER SECTION 1220, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL
- 13 FIRST NOTIFY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, THE BOARD OF
- 14 THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, AND THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC
- 15 SCHOOL ACADEMY. BEFORE REQUIRING AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO
- 16 SUBMIT AN ENHANCED DEFICIT ELIMINATION PLAN UNDER SECTION 1220, THE
- 17 STATE TREASURER SHALL FIRST NOTIFY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 18 INSTRUCTION AND THE BOARD OF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT. THE
- 19 FAILURE OF AN OFFICER OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
- 20 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A PERIODIC
- 21 FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT AS PROVIDED UNDER THIS SECTION CONSTITUTES
- 22 MALFEASANCE AND IS GROUNDS FOR REMOVAL OF THE OFFICER FROM OFFICE.
- 23 (14) A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 24 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS NOT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL
- 25 STATUS REPORTS UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 26 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS REQUIRED
- 27 TO SUBMIT A DEFICIT ELIMINATION PLAN OR AN ENHANCED DEFICIT

- 1 ELIMINATION PLAN UNDER SECTION 1220 OR, FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 2 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF A FINANCIAL EMERGENCY HAS BEEN
- 3 DECLARED FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 4 UNDER THE LOCAL FINANCIAL STABILITY AND CHOICE ACT, 2012 PA 436,
- 5 MCL 141.1541 TO 141.1575, OR A SUCCESSOR STATUTE. IF A SCHOOL
- 6 DISTRICT IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS
- 7 UNDER THIS SECTION AND A LOAN IS ISSUED TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 8 UNDER THE EMERGENCY LOAN ACT, 1980 PA 243, MCL 141.931 TO 141.942,
- 9 THE STATE TREASURER SHALL REQUIRE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO SUBMIT
- 10 PERIODIC FINANCIAL REPORTS UNDER THIS SECTION FOR AT LEAST 4 YEARS
- 11 AFTER THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OF THE LOAN.
- 12 (15) A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 13 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS NO LONGER REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PERIODIC
- 14 FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE STATE TREASURER,
- 15 AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
- 16 DETERMINES THAT THE PERIODIC FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS SUBMITTED BY
- 17 A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 18 ACADEMY INDICATE THAT POTENTIAL FINANCIAL STRESS DOES NOT EXIST
- 19 WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC
- 20 SCHOOL ACADEMY; THAT A DEFICIT IS NOT PROJECTED TO ARISE WITHIN THE
- 21 SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 22 ACADEMY WITHIN THE CURRENT SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR OR THE FOLLOWING 2
- 23 SCHOOL FISCAL YEARS; AND THAT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 24 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY WILL BE ABLE TO MEET ITS
- 25 FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS WHILE ALSO SATISFYING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S,
- 26 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY'S
- 27 OBLIGATIONS OR ABILITIES TO PROVIDE PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL SERVICES IN

- 1 A MANNER THAT COMPLIES WITH THIS ACT, THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF
- 2 1979, AND APPLICABLE RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 3 (16) IF THE STATE TREASURER MAKES A DETERMINATION UNDER
- 4 SUBSECTION (15) THAT THE CONDITIONS UNDER THAT SUBSECTION APPLY TO
- 5 A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 6 ACADEMY, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL NOTIFY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 7 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY. THE
- 8 SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION MAY NOTIFY THE STATE TREASURER
- 9 THAT THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION HAS DETERMINED THAT
- 10 CONDITIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (15) APPLY TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 11 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 12 (17) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- 13 IN WHICH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOCATED MAY ADVISE THE STATE
- 14 TREASURER REGARDING THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF PERIODIC
- 15 FINANCIAL REPORTS FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR A
- 16 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE AUTHORIZING BODY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 17 ACADEMY MAY ADVISE THE STATE TREASURER REGARDING THE DEVELOPMENT
- 18 AND IMPLEMENTATION OF PERIODIC FINANCIAL REPORTS FOR THE PUBLIC
- 19 SCHOOL ACADEMY UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 20 (18) WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION,
- 21 THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE TREASURER
- 22 SHALL CONVENE A JOINT WORKGROUP TO ASSIST THE DEPARTMENT AND
- 23 DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY IN DEVELOPING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE
- 24 CREATION OF AN INFORMATION SYSTEM OR PROCESSES THAT WILL PROVIDE
- 25 EARLIER ACCESS TO FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND OTHER DATA THAT WILL
- 26 ALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS, AND PUBLIC
- 27 SCHOOL ACADEMIES TO ADDRESS BUDGETARY AND OTHER FINANCIAL

- 1 DIFFICULTIES EARLIER. THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE CREATION OF AN
- 2 INFORMATION SYSTEM OR PROCESSES SHOULD ADDRESS ALL OF THE
- 3 FOLLOWING:
- 4 (A) CREATING AN INFORMATION SYSTEM OR PROCESSES THAT USE OR
- 5 OTHERWISE EXPAND UPON EXISTING DATA COLLECTION PROCESSES AND
- 6 REQUIREMENTS AND PROVIDE MORE TIMELY ACCESS AND ANALYSIS OF DATA AT
- 7 THE STATE LEVEL WHILE ALSO FACILITATING LOCAL AND REGIONAL
- 8 COLLABORATION.
- 9 (B) ALLOWING THE UPLOADING OF SCHOOL BUDGET AND CURRENT YEAR-
- 10 TO-DATE FINANCIAL INFORMATION ON A PERIODIC BASIS USING THE
- 11 FINANCIAL INFORMATION DATABASE MAINTAINED BY CEPI.
- 12 (C) PERMITTING THE UPLOAD OF YEAR-TO-DATE EXPENDITURE DATA ON
- 13 AT LEAST A QUARTERLY BASIS.
- 14 (D) PROVIDING THE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY
- 15 WITH ACCESS TO DATA AVAILABLE THROUGH THE INFORMATION SYSTEM OR
- 16 PROCESSES.
- 17 (E) REDUCING OR CONSOLIDATING, OR BOTH, REPORTING REQUIREMENTS
- 18 UNDER CURRENT LAW AND REGULATIONS.
- 19 (F) ESTIMATING THE COST OF THE INFORMATION SYSTEM OR
- 20 PROCESSES.
- 21 (19) THE WORKGROUP CONVENED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 22 INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE TREASURER UNDER SUBSECTION (18) SHALL
- 23 INCLUDE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE DEPARTMENT, THE DEPARTMENT OF
- 24 TREASURY, THE DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY, MANAGEMENT, AND BUDGET,
- 25 CEPI, SCHOOL DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS, PUBLIC
- 26 SCHOOL ACADEMIES, AUTHORIZING BODIES, SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICIALS,
- 27 AND CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS. THE WORKGROUP SHALL COMPLETE ITS

- 1 WORK BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2015. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
- 2 INSTRUCTION AND STATE TREASURER SHALL SUBMIT JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS
- 3 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION AND SUBSECTION (20) BY DECEMBER 31, 2015 TO
- 4 THE GOVERNOR, THE SENATE AND HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEES ON
- 5 EDUCATION, AND THE SENATE AND HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEES ON
- 6 SCHOOL AID.
- 7 (20) IN ADDITION TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (18),
- 8 THE WORKGROUP CONVENED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
- 9 AND THE STATE TREASURER UNDER SUBSECTION (18) SHALL MAKE
- 10 RECOMMENDATIONS ON CHANGES IN STATE LAW RELATING TO PERIODIC
- 11 FINANCIAL STATUS REPORTS UNDER THIS SECTION AND DEFICIT ELIMINATION
- 12 REPORTS AND ENHANCED DEFICIT ELIMINATION PLANS UNDER SECTION 1220,
- 13 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, NEW DATA ANALYSIS TOOLS, AND
- 14 RECOMMENDATIONS ON CHANGES TO WARNING SIGNS, DATA NEEDS, AND PROPER
- 15 TIMING OF REPORTING IN A MANNER THAT REDUCES ADMINISTRATIVE
- 16 BUREAUCRACY.
- 17 (21) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 18 (A) "AUTHORIZING BODY" MEANS AN AUTHORIZING BODY FOR A PUBLIC
- 19 SCHOOL ACADEMY UNDER THIS ACT.
- 20 (B) "CEPI" MEANS THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND
- 21 INFORMATION CREATED IN SECTION 94A OF THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF
- 22 1979, MCL 388.1694A.
- 23 (C) "DEFICIT" MEANS A CONDITION PROHIBITED UNDER SECTION 15(2)
- 24 OF THE UNIFORM BUDGETING AND ACCOUNTING ACT, 1968 PA 2, MCL
- 25 141.435, OR UNDER SECTION 102(1) OF THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF
- 26 1979, MCL 388.1702. DEFICIT ALSO INCLUDES 1 OR BOTH OF THE
- 27 FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

- 1 DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY:
- 2 (i) THE TOTAL GENERAL FUND BALANCE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.
- 3 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS NEGATIVE
- 4 OR IS PROJECTED TO BE NEGATIVE AT THE END OF THE CURRENT SCHOOL
- 5 FISCAL YEAR.
- 6 (ii) ONE OR MORE OF THE FUNDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 7 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY OTHER THAN
- 8 THE GENERAL FUND HAVE A NEGATIVE BALANCE OR PROJECTED NEGATIVE
- 9 BALANCE THAT IS GREATER THAN THE TOTAL GENERAL FUND BALANCE.
- 10 (D) "FINANCIAL EMERGENCY" MEANS THAT 1 OR MORE OF THE
- 11 CONDITIONS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 5(3)(A) TO (M) OF THE LOCAL
- 12 FINANCIAL STABILITY AND CHOICE ACT, 2012 PA 436, MCL 141.1545,
- 13 EXIST OR ARE LIKELY TO OCCUR WITHIN A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE
- 14 SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IN THE CURRENT OR NEXT
- 15 SCHOOL FISCAL YEAR AND THREATEN THE ABILITY OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
- 16 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY TO PROVIDE
- 17 NECESSARY GOVERNMENTAL SERVICES ESSENTIAL TO PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY,
- 18 AND WELFARE.
- 19 (E) "FISCAL STRESS" MEANS 1 OR BOTH OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 20 (i) THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR
- 21 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY IS UNABLE TO MEET ITS SHORT-TERM OR LONG-TERM
- 22 FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS AS THOSE OBLIGATIONS ARISE.
- 23 (ii) THAT 1 OR MORE OF THE CONDITIONS DESCRIBED IN SECTION
- 24 4(1)(A) TO (S) OF THE LOCAL FINANCIAL STABILITY AND CHOICE ACT,
- 25 2012 PA 436, MCL 141.1544, EXIST OR ARE LIKELY TO OCCUR WITHIN A
- 26 SCHOOL DISTRICT, INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 27 ACADEMY.

- 1 (F) "FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE" MEANS, FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE
- 2 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AS CALCULATED UNDER
- 3 SECTION 20 OF THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979, MCL 388.1620, AND,
- 4 FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE PER-PUPIL ALLOCATION FOR THE
- 5 PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY AS CALCULATED UNDER SECTION 20(6) OF THE
- 6 STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979, MCL 388.1620.
- 7 (G) "GOVERNING BODY" MEANS, FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE SCHOOL
- 8 BOARD OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND, FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY, THE
- 9 BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY.
- 10 (H) "MEMBERSHIP" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 6 OF
- 11 THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979, MCL 388.1606.
- 12 (I) "PUPIL" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 6 OF THE
- 13 STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979, MCL 388.1606.
- 14 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 15 after the date it is enacted into law.
- 16 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 17 unless all of the following bills of the 98th Legislature are
- 18 enacted into law:
- 19 (a) Senate Bill No. \_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 4327 (request no.
- 20 00280'15).
- 21 (b) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 4328 (request no.
- 22 00282'15).
- (c) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 4330 (request no.
- 24 00415'15).

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