

HOUSE BILL NO. 5082

June 22, 2021, Introduced by Reps. Rendon, Steven Johnson, Damoose, Eisen, Howell, Yaroch, Griffin, Bezotte, Hoitenga, Allor, Borton and Outman 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 1146a; and to repeal acts
and parts of acts.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **Sec. 1146a. (1) This section shall be known as the "protecting**
2 **opportunities for women in sports law".**

1 (2) The board of a school district or intermediate school
2 district or board of directors of a public school academy shall
3 ensure that each high school operated by the board or board of
4 directors, as applicable, establishes and maintains a policy that
5 includes both of the following:

6 (a) If the school has a girls' team in an interscholastic
7 athletic activity offered to pupils enrolled at the school, a
8 requirement that each pupil who competes for a position on that
9 team or who is selected to compete on that team must be female
10 based on biological sex.

11 (b) If the school has a boys' team in an interscholastic
12 athletic activity offered to pupils enrolled at the school, a
13 requirement that each pupil who competes for a position on that
14 team or who is selected to compete on that team must be male based
15 on biological sex.

16 (3) This section does not prohibit a school district,
17 intermediate school district, or public school academy from having
18 teams that are comprised of both females and males in any
19 interscholastic athletic activity offered to pupils enrolled at a
20 school operated by the school district, intermediate school
21 district, or public school academy.

22 (4) As used in this section, "biological sex" means the
23 physical condition of being male or female as determined by an
24 individual's chromosomes and anatomy as identified at birth.

25 Enacting section 1. Section 1289 of the revised school code,
26 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1289, is repealed.