

HOUSE BILL No. 5629

March 4, 1998, Introduced by Reps. Willard, Baird, Martinez, Ciaramitaro, Vaughn, LaForge, Middaugh and Sikkema 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 1523.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 1523. BEGINNING AUGUST 1, 1998, THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL
2 DISTRICT, LOCAL ACT SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
3 SHALL REQUIRE EACH PERSON IT EMPLOYS AS A COACH OF AN INTERSCHO-
4 LASTIC ATHLETIC ACTIVITY, OR ASSIGNS TO SERVE AS A COACH OF AN
5 INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ACTIVITY, TO HOLD VALID CERTIFICATION IN
6 SPORT SAFETY TRAINING. THIS REQUIREMENT MAY BE MET BY SUCCESSFUL
7 COMPLETION OF THE SPORT SAFETY TRAINING COURSE OFFERED BY THE
8 AMERICAN RED CROSS AND DEVELOPED WITH THE UNITED STATES OLYMPIC
9 COMMITTEE OR BY SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF AN EQUIVALENT COURSE
10 APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT. THE CERTIFICATION SHALL BE CURRENT

1 DURING THE ENTIRE INTERSCHOLASTIC SEASON FOR THE ATHLETIC
2 ACTIVITY THE PERSON IS COACHING.