

SENATE BILL No. 133

January 31, 2007, Introduced by Senators STAMAS, CHERRY, BIRKHOLZ, JACOBS, CLARKE, BRATER, WHITMER, SCHAUER, SCOTT, CASSIS, OLSHOVE, HUNTER, McMANUS, THOMAS, PRUSI, KAHN, GEORGE, VAN WOERKOM, GLEASON and CLARK-COLEMAN and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
by amending section 1177 (MCL 380.1177), as amended by 2000 PA 91.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1177. (1) ~~A~~**THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A** child
2 enrolling in a public or nonpublic school for the first time or ~~7~~
3 ~~beginning in the 2002-2003 school year,~~ enrolling in grade 6 for
4 the first time shall submit 1 of the following:

5 (a) A statement signed by a physician that the child has been
6 tested for and immunized or protected against diseases specified by
7 the director of the department of community health.

8 (b) A statement signed by a parent or guardian to the effect
9 that the child has not been immunized because of religious

convictions or other objection to immunization.

(c) A statement signed by a physician that certifies that the child is in the process of complying with all immunization requirements.

(2) ~~In addition, the~~ **THE** parent or guardian of each child enrolling in kindergarten for the first time shall submit a statement signed by a district, county, or city health department director stating that the child has been administered the department of community health preschool vision screening test, or signed by a licensed medical or osteopathic physician or a licensed optometrist stating that the child's eyes have been examined during the preschool years after age 3 and before initial ~~entrance~~ **ENROLLMENT IN KINDERGARTEN**. A vision test is not required if there is a statement signed by a parent or guardian to the effect that the child cannot be ~~submitted to the test~~ **TESTED** because of religious convictions.

(3) **BEGINNING WITH THE 2008 SCHOOL YEAR, THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A FEMALE CHILD ENROLLING IN GRADE 6 FOR THE FIRST TIME IN A PUBLIC OR NONPUBLIC SCHOOL SHALL SUBMIT TO SCHOOL OFFICIALS 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:**

(A) A STATEMENT SIGNED BY A PHYSICIAN THAT THE CHILD HAS RECEIVED THE HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS VACCINE.

(B) A STATEMENT SIGNED BY THE CHILD'S PARENT OR GUARDIAN TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN HAS RECEIVED THE INFORMATION ON THE CONNECTION BETWEEN THE HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS AND CERVICAL CANCER, AS REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 9205B OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH CODE, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.9205B, AND THAT THE PARENT OR

1 **LEGAL GUARDIAN HAS ELECTED FOR THE CHILD TO NOT RECEIVE THE HUMAN**
2 **PAPILLOMAVIRUS VACCINE.**

3 (4) ~~(3)~~—Not later than November 1 of each year, the
4 administrator of each school shall provide the director of the
5 department of community health with the immunization status of each
6 pupil in grades K through 12 who enrolled in the school for the
7 first time, or ~~, beginning in the 2002-2003 school year,~~ enrolled
8 in grade 6 in the school for the first time, between the
9 immediately preceding January 1 and the immediately preceding
10 September 30, as well as a vision report of each child entering
11 kindergarten during that time period. This information shall be
12 transmitted through the approved local full-time health department,
13 if available, and shall be on forms provided by the director of
14 community health or otherwise reported in a manner approved by the
15 director of the department of community health. Not later than
16 February 1 of each year, the administrator of each school shall
17 provide an update to the report due the previous November 1 to show
18 the immunization status of each pupil in grades K through 12 who
19 enrolled in the school for the first time, or ~~, beginning in the~~
20 ~~2002-2003 school year,~~ enrolled in grade 6 in the school for the
21 first time, during the calendar year ending the immediately
22 preceding December 31. This information shall be transmitted in the
23 same manner as the report due the previous November 1.

24 (5) ~~(4)~~—The department of community health shall promulgate
25 rules, including rules identifying the diseases specified under
26 subsection (1)(a), for the implementation of this section.

27 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect

1 unless Senate Bill No. 132

2 of the 94th Legislature is enacted into law.