

SENATE BILL No. 895

November 10, 2005, Introduced by Senator JOHNSON and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
by amending section 632 (MCL 380.632) and by adding sections 506a,
527a, 633, 1255, and 1311m.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 506A. IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL
2 ACADEMY PROVIDES MEDICAL, OPTICAL, AND DENTAL BENEFITS TO EMPLOYEES
3 AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL PROVIDE THOSE
4 BENEFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCHOOL EMPLOYEES HEALTH BENEFIT ACT
5 AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THAT ACT.

6 SEC. 527A. IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AN URBAN HIGH SCHOOL
7 ACADEMY PROVIDES MEDICAL, OPTICAL, AND DENTAL BENEFITS TO EMPLOYEES
8 AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL PROVIDE THOSE

1 **BENEFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCHOOL EMPLOYEES HEALTH BENEFIT ACT**
2 **AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THAT ACT.**

3 Sec. 632. (1) In the process of establishing salaries or
4 determining other working conditions, the intermediate school board
5 may provide other related benefits of an economic nature on a joint
6 participating or nonparticipating basis with intermediate school
7 district employees. ~~The~~ **SUBJECT TO SECTION 633, THE** benefits may
8 include health and accident insurance coverage, group life
9 insurance, annuity contracts, and reimbursement for credit hours
10 earned during employment for professional improvement.

11 (2) After a teacher has been employed at least 7 consecutive
12 years by the intermediate school board, and at the end of each
13 additional period of 7 or more consecutive years of employment, the
14 intermediate school board may grant the teacher a sabbatical leave
15 for professional improvement for not to exceed 2 semesters at 1
16 time, if the teacher holds a permanent, life, or continuing
17 certificate. During the sabbatical leave, the teacher shall be
18 considered to be in the employ of the intermediate school board,
19 shall have a contract, and may be paid compensation under the
20 regulations of the intermediate school board. The intermediate
21 school board shall not be held liable for death or injuries
22 sustained by a teacher while on sabbatical leave.

23 **SEC. 633. IF THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD OF AN INTERMEDIATE**
24 **SCHOOL DISTRICT PROVIDES MEDICAL, OPTICAL, AND DENTAL BENEFITS TO**
25 **EMPLOYEES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD SHALL**
26 **PROVIDE THOSE BENEFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCHOOL EMPLOYEES**
27 **HEALTH BENEFIT ACT AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THAT ACT.**

1 SEC. 1255. IF THE BOARD OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT PROVIDES MEDICAL,
2 OPTICAL, AND DENTAL BENEFITS TO EMPLOYEES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE
3 BOARD SHALL PROVIDE THOSE BENEFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCHOOL
4 EMPLOYEES HEALTH BENEFIT ACT AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THAT ACT.

5 SEC. 1311M. IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A STRICT DISCIPLINE
6 ACADEMY PROVIDES MEDICAL, OPTICAL, AND DENTAL BENEFITS TO EMPLOYEES
7 AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL PROVIDE THOSE
8 BENEFITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCHOOL EMPLOYEES HEALTH BENEFIT ACT
9 AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THAT ACT.

10 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
11 unless Senate Bill No. 896
12 of the 93rd Legislature is enacted into law.