

# HOUSE BILL No. 4157

January 30, 1997, Introduced by Reps. Rocca, Baird, DeVuyst and Perricone 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, 1997, 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 FIRST AID AND IN CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION APPROVED BY THE  
7 DEPARTMENT AND ISSUED BY THE AMERICAN RED CROSS OR A COMPARABLE  
8 ORGANIZATION OR INSTITUTION APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT. THE CER-  
9 TIFICATION SHALL BE CURRENT DURING THE ENTIRE INTERSCHOLASTIC  
10 SEASON FOR THE ATHLETIC ACTIVITY THE PERSON IS COACHING.