

SENATE BILL No. 549

May 25, 2007, Introduced by Senators JELINEK, CROPSEY, GARCIA, KUIPERS and BISHOP 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 1284a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 1284A. (1) NOT LATER THAN JULY 1, 2007, AN INTERMEDIATE
2 SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN COOPERATION WITH ITS CONSTITUENT DISTRICTS,
3 SHALL ADOPT A COMMON SCHOOL CALENDAR TO APPLY TO ALL OF ITS
4 CONSTITUENT DISTRICTS AND TO ITS INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
5 PROGRAMS. THE COMMON SCHOOL CALENDAR SHALL MEET ALL OF THE
6 FOLLOWING:

7 (A) SHALL BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTIONS 1284 AND 1284B.

8 (B) SHALL IDENTIFY THE DATES FOR EACH SCHOOL YEAR WHEN SCHOOL
9 WILL NOT BE IN SESSION FOR AT LEAST A WINTER BREAK, A SPRING BREAK,
10 AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS. THE COMMON SCHOOL CALENDAR SHALL

1 IDENTIFY THESE DATES SPECIFICALLY FOR AT LEAST THE NEXT 10 SCHOOL
2 YEARS, BUT MAY DESCRIBE THESE DATES MORE GENERALLY FOR SCHOOL YEARS
3 THEREAFTER AS LONG AS THE DATES MAY BE READILY DETERMINED.

4 (2) BEGINNING WITH THE 2007-2008 SCHOOL YEAR, EXCEPT AS
5 OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION, THE BOARD OF EACH CONSTITUENT
6 DISTRICT AND THE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD SHALL ENSURE THAT ITS
7 SCHOOL CALENDAR COMPLIES WITH THE COMMON SCHOOL CALENDAR ADOPTED
8 UNDER SUBSECTION (1).

9 (3) IF A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT THAT PROVIDES A
10 COMPLETE SCHOOL CALENDAR IS IN EFFECT FOR EMPLOYEES OF A SCHOOL
11 DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT AS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE
12 OF THIS SECTION, AND IF THAT SCHOOL CALENDAR IS NOT IN COMPLIANCE
13 WITH THE COMMON SCHOOL CALENDAR ADOPTED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), THEN
14 SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT APPLY TO THAT SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
15 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT UNTIL AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THAT
16 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT.