

HOUSE BILL No. 5509

October 13, 2009, Introduced by Reps. Slezak, Haase, Haugh, Liss, Kennedy, Neumann, Roy Schmidt, Polidori, Corriveau, Leland, Nathan, Durhal, Geiss and DeShazor and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
by amending section 1147 (MCL 380.1147).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1147. (1) ~~A person, resident of a school district not~~
2 ~~maintaining~~ **CHILD WHO RESIDES IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT DOES NOT**
3 **PROVIDE** a kindergarten and **WHO IS** at least 5 years of age on the
4 first day of enrollment of the school year ~~, shall have a right to~~
5 **MAY** attend school in the district.

6 (2) ~~In~~ **EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, IN** a
7 school district ~~where provision is made for kindergarten work~~ **THAT**
8 **PROVIDES KINDERGARTEN,** a child ~~, resident of~~ **WHO RESIDES IN** the
9 **SCHOOL** district ~~, is entitled to~~ **MAY** enroll in the kindergarten if

1 the child is at least 5 years of age on December 1 of the school
2 year of enrollment. **FOR THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR, A CHILD WHO**
3 **RESIDES IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY ENROLL IN KINDERGARTEN IF THE**
4 **CHILD IS AT LEAST 5 YEARS OF AGE ON NOVEMBER 1, 2010. FOR THE 2011-**
5 **2012 SCHOOL YEAR, A CHILD WHO RESIDES IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY**
6 **ENROLL IN KINDERGARTEN IF THE CHILD IS AT LEAST 5 YEARS OF AGE ON**
7 **OCTOBER 1, 2011. FOR THE 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR AND EACH SUCCEEDING**
8 **SCHOOL YEAR, A CHILD WHO RESIDES IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY ENROLL**
9 **IN KINDERGARTEN IF THE CHILD IS AT LEAST 5 YEARS OF AGE ON**
10 **SEPTEMBER 1 OF THE SCHOOL YEAR OF ENROLLMENT.** In a school district
11 ~~which~~ **THAT PROVIDES KINDERGARTEN AND** has semiannual promotions, a
12 child ~~, resident of~~ **WHO RESIDES IN the SCHOOL** district ~~, is~~
13 ~~entitled to~~ **MAY** enroll in kindergarten for the second semester if
14 the child is at least 5 years of age on March 1 of the year of
15 enrollment.

16 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
17 unless Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 5510 (request no.
18 04611'09 a) of the 95th Legislature is enacted into law.