

FIRST CONFERENCE REPORT

The Committee of Conference on the matters of difference between the two Houses concerning

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to make appropriations for the department of education for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

Recommends:

First: That the House recede from the Substitute of the House as passed by the House.

Second: That the Senate and House agree to the Substitute of the Senate as passed by the Senate, amended to read as follows:

(attached)

Third: That the Senate and House agree to the title of the bill to read as follows:

A bill to make appropriations for the department of education for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

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SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 196

A bill to make appropriations for the department of education for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 PART 1

2 LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS

3 Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of
4 education for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, from the
5 following funds:

6 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

7 APPROPRIATION SUMMARY

8	Full-time equated unclassified positions.....	6.0
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9	Full-time equated classified positions.....	587.5
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1	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	298,366,000
2	Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
3	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental		
4	transfers		0
5	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	298,366,000
6	Federal revenues:		
7	Total federal revenues.....		211,873,000
8	Special revenue funds:		
9	Total local revenues.....		5,633,700
10	Total private revenues.....		1,933,300
11	Total other state restricted revenues.....		8,032,100
12	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$	70,893,900
13	State general fund/general purpose schedule:		
14	Ongoing state general fund/general		
15	purpose		70,893,900
16	One-time state general fund/general		
17	purpose		0
18	Sec. 102. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION/OFFICE OF THE		
19	SUPERINTENDENT		
20	Full-time equated unclassified positions.....		6.0
21	Full-time equated classified positions.....		11.0
22	State board of education, per diem payments.....	\$	24,400
23	Unclassified positions--6.0 FTE positions.....		775,700
24	State board/superintendent operations--11.0 FTE		
25	positions		<u>2,092,100</u>
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	2,892,200
27	Appropriated from:		

1	Federal revenues:	
2	Federal revenues.....	219,400
3	Special revenue funds:	
4	Private foundations.....	28,100
5	Certification fees.....	852,000
6	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 1,792,700
7	Sec. 103. CENTRAL SUPPORT	
8	Full-time equated classified positions..... 23.6	
9	Central support--23.6 FTE positions.....	\$ 3,575,900
10	Worker's compensation.....	35,000
11	Building occupancy charges - property management	
12	services	3,031,600
13	Training and orientation workshops.....	150,000
14	Terminal leave payments.....	<u>554,700</u>
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 7,347,200
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Federal revenues:	
18	Federal revenues.....	1,453,900
19	Federal indirect funds.....	2,522,900
20	Special revenue funds:	
21	Certification fees.....	563,900
22	Teacher testing fees.....	15,000
23	Training and orientation workshop fees.....	150,000
24	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 2,641,500
25	Sec. 104. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	
26	Information technology operations.....	\$ <u>4,126,500</u>
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 4,126,500

1	Appropriated from:	
2	Federal revenues:	
3	Federal revenues.....	593,200
4	Federal indirect funds.....	1,752,800
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Local cost sharing (schools for deaf/blind)	76,500
7	Certification fees.....	382,300
8	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 1,321,700
9	Sec. 105. SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES	
10	Full-time equated classified positions.....	47.0
11	Special education operations--47.0 FTE positions	\$ <u>8,850,400</u>
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 8,850,400
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Federal revenues:	
15	Federal revenues.....	8,375,100
16	Special revenue funds:	
17	Private foundations.....	110,100
18	Certification fees.....	43,700
19	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 321,500
20	Sec. 106. MICHIGAN SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND	
21	Full-time equated classified positions.....	77.0
22	Michigan schools for the deaf and blind operations--	
23	76.0 FTE positions	\$ 12,485,600
24	Camp Tuhsmeheeta--1.0 FTE position.....	295,100
25	Private gifts - blind.....	200,000
26	Private gifts - deaf.....	<u>50,000</u>
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 13,030,700

1	Appropriated from:	
2	Federal revenues:	
3	Federal revenues.....	6,721,500
4	Special revenue funds:	
5	Local cost sharing (schools for deaf/blind)	5,233,000
6	Local school district service fees.....	312,500
7	Gifts, bequests, and donations.....	545,100
8	Student insurance revenue.....	218,600
9	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 0
10	Sec. 107. PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION SERVICES	
11	Full-time equated classified positions.....	34.0
12	Professional preparation operations--34.0 FTE	
13	positions	\$ 5,827,100
14	Department of attorney general.....	<u>66,000</u>
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 5,893,100
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Federal revenues:	
18	Federal revenues.....	1,427,700
19	Special revenue funds:	
20	Certification fees.....	3,836,900
21	Teacher college review fees.....	55,300
22	Teacher testing fees.....	355,100
23	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 218,100
24	Sec. 108. MICHIGAN OFFICE OF GREAT START	
25	Full-time equated classified positions.....	62.0
26	Office of great start operations--61.0 FTE positions .	\$ 22,192,900
27	Child development and care external support	17,491,000

1	Head start collaboration office--1.0 FTE positions ...	305,300
2	Child development care public assistance	<u>136,344,000</u>
3	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 176,333,200
4	Appropriated from:	
5	Federal revenues:	
6	Federal revenues.....	135,821,200
7	Special revenue funds:	
8	Private foundations.....	250,000
9	Certification fees.....	63,500
10	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 40,198,500
11	Sec. 109. STATE AID AND SCHOOL FINANCE SERVICES	
12	Full-time equated classified positions..... 9.5	
13	State aid and school finance operations--9.5 FTE	
14	positions	\$ <u>1,343,300</u>
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 1,343,300
16	Appropriated from:	
17	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 1,343,300
18	Sec. 110. AUDIT SERVICES	
19	Full-time equated classified positions..... 4.5	
20	Audit operations--4.5 FTE positions.....	\$ <u>594,500</u>
21	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$ 594,500
22	Appropriated from:	
23	Federal revenues:	
24	Federal indirect funds.....	472,600
25	Special revenue funds:	
26	Certification fees.....	60,400
27	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$ 61,500

1	Sec. 111. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW SERVICES		
2	Full-time equated classified positions.....	2.0	
3	Administrative law operations--2.0 FTE positions	\$	<u>1,272,100</u>
4	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	1,272,100
5	Appropriated from:		
6	Federal revenues:		
7	Federal revenues.....		551,600
8	Special revenue funds:		
9	Certification fees.....		651,000
10	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$	69,500
11	Sec. 112. BUREAU OF ASSESSMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY		
12	Full-time equated classified positions.....	65.6	
13	Educational assessment operations--65.6 FTE positions	\$	<u>12,494,600</u>
14	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	12,494,600
15	Appropriated from:		
16	Federal revenues:		
17	Federal revenues.....		11,329,100
18	State general fund/general purpose.....	\$	1,165,500
19	Sec. 113. SCHOOL SUPPORT SERVICES		
20	Full-time equated classified positions.....	82.6	
21	Grants coordination and school support services		
22	operations--82.6 FTE positions.....	\$	14,951,700
23	Federal and private grants.....		<u>3,000,000</u>
24	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	17,951,700
25	Appropriated from:		
26	Federal revenues:		
27	Federal revenues.....		16,112,600

1	Special revenue funds:	
2	Local school district service fees	11,700
3	Private foundations	1,000,000
4	Commodity distribution fees	71,700
5	Certification fees	84,800
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 670,900
7	Sec. 114. FIELD SERVICES	
8	Full-time equated classified positions..... 45.0	
9	Field services operations--45.0 FTE positions	\$ <u>8,976,500</u>
10	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 8,976,500
11	Appropriated from:	
12	Federal revenues:	
13	Federal revenues	8,683,400
14	Special revenue funds:	
15	Certification fees	75,400
16	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 217,700
17	Sec. 115. EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT AND INNOVATION	
18	SERVICES	
19	Full-time equated classified positions..... 57.7	
20	Educational improvement and innovation operations--	
21	57.7 FTE positions	\$ <u>8,407,100</u>
22	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 8,407,100
23	Appropriated from:	
24	Federal revenues:	
25	Federal revenues	6,449,400
26	Special revenue funds:	
27	Certification fees	552,500

1	State general fund/general purpose	\$	1,405,200
2	Sec. 116. CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION		
3	Full-time equated classified positions.....	27.0	
4	Career and technical education operations--27.0 FTE		
5	positions	\$	<u>4,704,500</u>
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	4,704,500
7	Appropriated from:		
8	Federal revenues:		
9	Federal revenues		3,782,900
10	State general fund/general purpose	\$	921,600
11	Sec. 117. LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN		
12	Full-time equated classified positions.....	33.0	
13	Library of Michigan operations--32.0 FTE positions ...	\$	4,308,200
14	Library services and technology program--1.0 FTE		
15	positions		5,603,700
16	State aid to libraries		8,876,000
17	Michigan eLibrary		1,750,000
18	Renaissance zone reimbursements		<u>1,500,000</u>
19	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	22,037,900
20	Appropriated from:		
21	Federal revenues:		
22	IMLS, library services and technology act		5,603,700
23	State general fund/general purpose	\$	16,434,200
24	Sec. 118. SCHOOL REFORM OFFICE		
25	Full-time equated classified positions.....	6.0	
26	School reform office operations--6.0 FTE positions ...	\$	<u>2,110,500</u>
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION.....	\$	2,110,500

1 Appropriated from:

2 State general fund/general purpose \$ 2,110,500

3 PART 2

4 PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

5 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014

6 GENERAL SECTIONS

7 Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state
 8 constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources
 9 under part 1 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014 is
 10 \$78,926,000.00 and state spending from state resources to be paid
 11 to local units of government for the fiscal year ending September
 12 30, 2014 is \$10,376,000.00. The itemized statement below identifies
 13 appropriations from which spending to local units of government
 14 will occur:

15 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

16 State aid to libraries..... \$ 8,876,000
 17 Renaissance zone reimbursements..... \$ 1,500,000
 18 Total department of education..... \$ 10,376,000

19 Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are
 20 subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101
 21 to 18.1594.

22 Sec. 203. As used in this act:

23 (a) "Department" means the Michigan department of education.

24 (b) "District" means a local school district as defined in
 25 section 6 of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.6, or a

1 public school academy as defined in section 5 of the revised school
2 code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.5.

3 (c) "FTE" means full-time equated.

4 (d) "HHS" means the United States department of health and
5 human services.

6 (e) "IMLS" means institute of museum and library services.

7 Sec. 204. The state superintendent of public instruction shall
8 take all reasonable steps to ensure businesses in deprived and
9 depressed communities compete for and perform contracts to provide
10 services or supplies, or both. The state superintendent of public
11 instruction shall strongly encourage firms with which the
12 department contracts to subcontract with certified businesses in
13 depressed and deprived communities for services, supplies, or both.

14 Sec. 205. The departments and agencies shall use the Internet
15 to fulfill the reporting requirements of this act. This requirement
16 may include transmission of reports via electronic mail to the
17 recipients identified for each reporting requirement, or it may
18 include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet site.

19 Sec. 206. The department shall provide through the Internet
20 the state board of education agenda and all supporting documents,
21 and shall notify the state budget director and the senate and house
22 fiscal agencies that the agenda and supporting documents are
23 available on the Internet, at the time the agenda and supporting
24 documents are provided to state board of education members.

25 Sec. 207. The department shall cooperate with the department
26 of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable
27 website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is

1 not limited to, all of the following for each department or agency:

2 (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.

3 (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.

4 (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
5 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
6 payment description.

7 (d) The number of active department employees by job
8 classification.

9 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.

10 Sec. 208. The department shall require all public school
11 districts to maintain complete records within the personnel file of
12 a teacher or school employee of any disciplinary actions taken by
13 the local school board against the teacher or employee for sexual
14 misconduct. The records shall not be destroyed or removed from the
15 teacher's or employee's personnel file except as required by a
16 court order.

17 Sec. 211. To the extent the state continues to identify
18 schools as meeting proficiency targets, before publishing a list of
19 schools or districts determined to have failed to make adequate
20 yearly progress as required by the no child left behind act of
21 2001, Public Law 107-110, the department shall allow a school or
22 district to appeal that determination. The department shall
23 consider and act upon the appeal within 30 days after it is
24 submitted and shall not publish the list until after all appeals
25 have been considered and decided.

26 Sec. 212. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for
27 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if

1 competitively priced and comparable quality American goods or
2 services, or both, are available. Preference shall be given to
3 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan
4 businesses if they are competitively priced and of comparable
5 quality. In addition, preference should be given to goods or
6 services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses
7 owned and operated by veterans if they are competitively priced and
8 of comparable quality.

9 Sec. 214. The department and agencies receiving appropriations
10 in part 1 shall prepare a report on out-of-state travel expenses
11 not later than January 1 of each year. The travel report shall be a
12 listing of all travel by classified and unclassified employees
13 outside this state in the immediately preceding fiscal year that
14 was funded in whole or in part with funds appropriated in the
15 department's budget. The report shall be submitted to the senate
16 and house appropriations committees, the house and senate fiscal
17 agencies, and the state budget director. The report shall include
18 the following information:

19 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.

20 (b) The transportation and related costs of each travel
21 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
22 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state
23 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
24 and the proportion funded with other revenues.

25 Sec. 216. The department shall not take disciplinary action
26 against an employee who communicates truthfully and factually with
27 a member of the legislature or his or her staff.

1 Sec. 218. The department and agencies receiving appropriations
2 in part 1 shall receive and retain copies of all reports funded
3 from appropriations in part 1. Federal and state guidelines for
4 short-term and long-term retention of records shall be followed.
5 The department may electronically retain copies of reports unless
6 otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.

7 Sec. 219. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
8 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00 for
9 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
10 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
11 in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
12 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

13 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
14 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$700,000.00 for state
15 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
16 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
17 in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
18 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

19 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
20 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 for local
21 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
22 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
23 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
24 MCL 18.1393.

25 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
26 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000.00 for private
27 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure

1 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
2 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
3 MCL 18.1393.

4 Sec. 220. (1) The department shall provide data requested by a
5 member of the legislature, his or her staff, or the house and
6 senate fiscal agencies in a timely manner. If the department fails
7 to provide reasonably requested data within 30 days after the
8 request, the state money appropriated in part 1 for state
9 board/superintendent operations shall be reduced by 1%.

10 (2) If the department fails to provide to the legislature
11 reports and other data required by boilerplate or statute within 30
12 days after the date the information is due, the state money
13 appropriated in part 1 for state board/superintendent operations
14 shall be reduced by 1%.

15 Sec. 221. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a
16 principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire
17 a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of
18 the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal
19 services for bonding activities and for those activities that the
20 attorney general authorizes.

21 Sec. 222. The department shall maintain, on a publicly
22 accessible website, a department scorecard that identifies, tracks,
23 and regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and
24 improve the agency's performance.

25 Sec. 226. Not later than November 30, the state budget office
26 shall prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of
27 the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the

1 close of the fiscal year. This report shall summarize the projected
2 year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses by major
3 departmental program or program areas. The report shall be
4 transmitted to the office of the state budget, the chairpersons of
5 the senate and house appropriations committees, and the senate and
6 house fiscal agencies.

7 Sec. 227. Within 14 days after the release of the executive
8 budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the
9 state budget office to provide the senate and house appropriations
10 chairs, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees
11 responsible for the department budget, respectively, and the senate
12 and house fiscal agencies with an annual report on estimated state
13 restricted fund balances, state restricted fund projected revenues,
14 and state restricted fund expenditures for the fiscal years ending
15 September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2014.

16 Sec. 230. The department may assist the department of
17 community health, other departments, and local school districts to
18 secure reimbursement for eligible services provided in Michigan
19 schools from the federal Medicaid program. The department may
20 submit reports of direct expenses related to this effort to the
21 department of community health for reimbursement.

22 Sec. 231. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used to
23 fund implementation of common core state standards or smarter
24 balanced assessments unless an affirmative action of the
25 legislature authorizing implementation of said standards or
26 assessments is provided.

27 Sec. 232. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,

1 there is appropriated up to \$180,000.00 from payments for sub-
2 recipient monitoring services provided to other departments.

3 (2) The funds may be expended for all expenses necessary to
4 provide the required subrecipient monitoring services to other
5 departments.

6 Sec. 233. No state department or agency shall issue a request
7 for proposal (RFP) for a contract in excess of \$5,000,000.00,
8 unless the department or agency has first considered issuing a
9 request for information (RFI) or a request for qualification (RFQ)
10 relative to that contract to better enable the department or agency
11 to learn more about the market for the products or services that
12 are the subject of the future RFP. The department or agency shall
13 notify the department of technology, management, and budget of the
14 evaluation process used to determine if an RFI or RFQ was not
15 necessary prior to issuing the RFP.

16 **STATE BOARD/OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT**

17 Sec. 301. (1) The appropriations in part 1 may be used for per
18 diem payments to the state board for meetings at which a quorum is
19 present or for performing official business authorized by the state
20 board. The per diem payments shall be at a rate as follows:

21 (a) State board of education - president - \$110.00 per day.

22 (b) State board of education - member other than president -
23 \$100.00 per day.

24 (2) A state board of education member shall not be paid a per
25 diem for more than 30 days per year.

26 Sec. 302. From the amount appropriated in part 1 to the state

1 board of education, not more than \$35,000.00 shall be expended for
2 in-state travel and out-of-state travel directly related to the
3 duties of the state board of education.

4 **MICHIGAN SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND**

5 Sec. 402. For each student enrolled at the Michigan schools
6 for the deaf and blind, the department shall assess the
7 intermediate school district of residence 100% of the cost of
8 operating the student's instructional program. The amount shall
9 exclude room and board related costs and the cost of weekend
10 transportation between the school and the student's home.

11 Sec. 406. (1) The Michigan schools for the deaf and blind may
12 promote its residential program as a possible appropriate option
13 for children who are deaf or hard of hearing or who are blind or
14 visually impaired. The Michigan schools for the deaf and blind
15 shall distribute information detailing its services to all
16 intermediate school districts in the state.

17 (2) Upon knowledge of or recognition by an intermediate school
18 district that a child in the district is deaf or hard of hearing or
19 blind or visually impaired, the intermediate school district shall
20 provide to the parents of the child the literature distributed by
21 the Michigan schools for the deaf and blind to intermediate school
22 districts under subsection (1).

23 (3) Parents will continue to have a choice regarding the
24 educational placement of their deaf or hard-of-hearing children.

25 Sec. 407. Revenue received by the Michigan schools for the
26 deaf and blind from gifts, bequests, and donations that is

1 unexpended at the end of the state fiscal year may be carried over
2 to the succeeding fiscal year and shall not revert to the general
3 fund.

4 **PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION SERVICES**

5 Sec. 501. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
6 professional preparation services, the department shall maintain
7 the professional personnel register and certificate
8 revocation/felony conviction files.

9 Sec. 502. The department shall authorize teacher preparation
10 institutions to provide an alternative program by which up to 1/2
11 of the required student internship or student teaching credits may
12 be earned through substitute teaching. The department shall require
13 that teacher preparation institutions collaborate with school
14 districts to ensure that the quality of instruction provided to
15 student teachers is comparable to that required in a traditional
16 student teaching program.

17 Sec. 506. Revenue received from teacher testing fees that is
18 unexpended at the end of the state fiscal year may be carried over
19 to the succeeding fiscal year and shall not revert to the general
20 fund.

21 **LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN**

22 Sec. 801. In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, the
23 funds collected by the department for document reproduction and
24 services; conferences, workshops, and training classes; and the use
25 of specialized equipment, facilities, and software are appropriated

1 for all expenses necessary to provide the required services. These
2 funds are available for expenditure when they are received and may
3 be carried forward into the next succeeding fiscal year.

4 Sec. 803. It is the intent of the legislature that the library
5 of Michigan and the component programs currently within the library
6 of Michigan with the exception of the genealogical collections
7 shall be kept together in a state department.

8 Sec. 804. (1) The funds appropriated in part 1 for renaissance
9 zone reimbursements shall be used to reimburse public libraries
10 pursuant to section 12 of the Michigan renaissance zone act, 1996
11 PA 376, MCL 125.2692, for taxes levied in 2013. The allocations
12 shall be made not later than 60 days after the department of
13 treasury certifies to the department and to the state budget
14 director that the department of treasury has received all necessary
15 information to properly determine the amounts due to each eligible
16 recipient.

17 (2) If the amount appropriated under this section is not
18 sufficient to fully pay obligations under this section, payments
19 shall be prorated on an equal basis among all eligible public
20 libraries.

21 **SCHOOL SUPPORT SERVICES**

22 Sec. 901. Within 10 days of the receipt of a grant
23 appropriated in the federal and private grants line item in part 1,
24 the department shall notify the house and senate chairpersons of
25 the appropriations subcommittees responsible for the department
26 budget, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget

1 director of the receipt of the grant, including the funding source,
2 purpose, and amount of the grant.

3 **MICHIGAN OFFICE OF GREAT START**

4 Sec. 1001. By November 1, 2013, the department shall submit a
5 report to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on the
6 department of education budget and the house and senate fiscal
7 agencies on the number of eligible child care providers by type
8 receiving payment for child care services from the department on
9 October 1, 2013.

10 Sec. 1003. (1) The department shall provide the house and
11 senate appropriations subcommittees on the department budget with
12 an annual report on all funding appropriated to the early childhood
13 investment corporation (ECIC) by the state for fiscal year 2012-
14 2013. The report is due by February 15 and shall contain at least
15 the following information:

16 (a) Total funding appropriated to the early childhood
17 investment corporation by the state for fiscal year 2012-2013.

18 (b) The amount of funding for each grant awarded.

19 (c) The grant recipients.

20 (d) The activities funded by each grant.

21 (e) An analysis of each grant recipient's success in
22 addressing the development of a comprehensive system of early
23 childhood services and supports.

24 (2) All department contracts for early childhood comprehensive
25 systems planning shall be bid out through a statewide request-for-
26 proposal process.

1 Sec. 1004. (1) Not later than the 2014-2015 fiscal year, all
2 head start center-based program providers shall ensure that where
3 there is a great start readiness program requirement, policy, or
4 regulation that is more rigorous than the corresponding head start
5 requirement, policy, or regulation, all head start center-based
6 programs will meet the more rigorous great start readiness program
7 requirement, policy, or regulation, in addition to any federal
8 requirements with which head start center-based programs must
9 comply. This shall include, but is not limited to, meeting the
10 current great start readiness program classroom staff
11 qualifications whereby the lead teacher must have a Michigan
12 teaching certificate with an early childhood specialist endorsement
13 or, if subcontracted, the lead teacher must have a valid Michigan
14 teaching certificate with a childhood specialist endorsement; or a
15 valid Michigan teaching certificate with a child development
16 associate credential; or a bachelor's degree in child development
17 with a focus on teaching preschool.

18 (2) A head start center-based program may continue to employ
19 as a lead teacher an individual who does not meet the requirements
20 in subsection (1) if the individual meets both of the following
21 requirements:

22 (a) The lead teacher is annually and continually enrolled and
23 completing credit in an approved teacher preparation program
24 leading to a provisional teaching certificate as described in
25 subsection (1) or enrolled in a program leading to a bachelor's
26 degree in child development with a focus on teaching preschool.

27 (b) The lead teacher has on file with the employing entity,

1 his or her teacher preparation institution, and the department of
2 education a planned program leading to teacher certification or a
3 bachelor's degree in child development with a focus on teaching
4 preschool.

5 PART 2A

6 PROVISIONS CONCERNING ANTICIPATED APPROPRIATIONS

7 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015

8 **GENERAL SECTIONS**

9 Sec. 1201. It is the intent of the legislature to provide
10 appropriations for the fiscal year ending on September 30, 2015 for
11 the line items listed in part 1. The fiscal year 2014-2015
12 appropriations are anticipated to be the same as those for fiscal
13 year 2013-2014, except that the line items will be adjusted for
14 changes in caseload and related costs, federal fund match rates,
15 economic factors, and available revenue. These adjustments will be
16 determined after the January 2014 consensus revenue estimating
17 conference.

18 Sec. 1202. It is the intent of the legislature that the
19 department identify the amounts for normal retirement costs and
20 legacy retirement costs for the fiscal year ending on September 30,
21 2015 for the line items listed in part 1.