

HOUSE BILL No. 4546

April 6, 1989, Introduced by Reps. O'Connor, Pridnia, Middaugh, DeLange, Walberg, Jaye and Willis Bullard and referred to the Committee on Colleges and Universities.

A bill to prohibit certain competition with the private sector by public institutions of higher education.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. The legislature finds that it is the public policy
2 of this state that public institutions of higher education shall
3 not unfairly compete with the private sector.

4 Sec. 2. As used in this act, "public institution of higher
5 education" means a college, university, community college, or
6 junior college described in section 4, 5, or 6 of article VIII of
7 the state constitution of 1963 or established under section 7 of
8 article VIII of the state constitution of 1963.

9 Sec. 3. A public institution of higher education shall not
10 engage in the sale of retail goods at a substantially lower price
11 than the general market for similar goods in the area in which
12 the public institution of higher education is located.