

# Legislative Analysis



## REMOVE REFERENCES TO REPEALED SCHOOL CODE SECTION

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**House Bill 4288 as reported from committee**  
**Sponsor: Rep. Matt Koleszar**  
**Committee: Education**  
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### SUMMARY:

House Bill 4288 would amend section 15 of 1947 PA 336 to remove references to a repealed section of the Revised School Code (section 1280c)<sup>1</sup> that, among other things, affected how districts designated as low performing under certain state metrics engaged in collective bargaining and entered into collective bargaining agreements.

The bill is tie-barred to HB 4166, which means that it will not take effect unless HB 4166 is also enacted into law.

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### BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION:

House Bill 4288 serves as a companion bill to HB 4166,<sup>2</sup> which would repeal a requirement that the Michigan Department of Education issue A-to-F grades for public schools based on certain metrics and issue rankings based on those grades. While section 1280c of the Revised School Code has already been repealed, the A-to-F system that would be repealed by HB 4166 is referenced indirectly in the provisions amended by HB 4288, as the low performing schools were determined through the A-to-F grades and rankings.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill would have no fiscal impact on the state or on school districts, intermediate school districts (ISDs), or public school academies (PSAs, or charter schools).

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<sup>1</sup> Section 1280c was repealed by 2018 PA 601 (see <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2018-HB-5526>). It had been enacted in 2009 as part of the state's "Race to the Top" reforms (see <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2009-HB-4787>) and amended in 2011 (<http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2011-SB-0157>).

<sup>2</sup> <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2023-HB-4166>