

**THE REVISED SCHOOL CODE (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 451 of 1976**  
**PART 6E**  
**SCHOOLS OF EXCELLENCE**

**380.551 School of excellence; powers; definitions.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.552 Contracts; limitation on issuance; requirements; cyber schools; conversion of public school academy to school of excellence; organization and administration; authorizing body; application; contents; oversight; suspension of power to issue contracts; fee; presumption of legality; oath of office; offerings made by cyber school; final audited membership; enrollment; limitations; definitions; report; parent-student orientation; school of excellence located within community district.**

**Compiler's Notes:** <Paragraph><P>For transfer of state school reform/redesign school district and state school reform/redesign officer from department of education to state school reform office created as an autonomous entity within department of technology, management, and budget, see E.R.O. No. 2015-2, compiled at MCL 18.445.</P></Paragraph><Paragraph><P>For transfer of certain powers and duties of department of education and superintendent of public instruction under MCL 380.1280c and 423.215 to state school reform/redesign office, see E.R.O. No. 2015-2, compiled at MCL 18.445.</P></Paragraph>

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.553 Schools of excellence; issuance of contract; petition to place question of issuing contract on ballot; submission; resolution; contents of contract; compliance with applicable law; governmental immunity; exemption from taxation; acquisition of property; "educational management organization" and primary educational management organization" defined.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.553a Cyber school.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.553c School of excellence; management agreement with educational management organization; definitions.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.554 Contract to operate school of excellence; tax levy; use of revenue.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.555 Liability for debt incurred by school of excellence.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.556 Location; configuration of age or grade levels; operation at more than 1 site; tuition; discrimination; enrollment; selection process; priority; grades and programs offered.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.557 School of excellence; powers.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.558 School district subject to court desegregation order.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.559 Use of certificated teachers; use of noncertificated individuals; development and implementation of new teaching techniques or methods.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.560 Employing or contracting with personnel; method of compensation; publication of salaries.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.560a Medical, optical, or dental benefits provided to employees; compliance with public employees health benefit act.**

**Popular Name:** Act 451

**380.561 School of excellence; authorizing body; contract; agreement; fiscal agent; notice of certain conditions; decision to issue, not issue, or reconstitute contract, or terminate or revoke contract; corrective measures; transition of affected pupils; notice to superintendent of public instruction; reversion of property to state.**

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