

**LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY
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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

LS 6948
BILL NUMBER: SB 200

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 18, 2026
BILL AMENDED: Feb 18, 2026

SUBJECT: Public School Matters.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Raatz
FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. Bascom

BILL STATUS: CR Adopted - 2nd House

FUNDS AFFECTED: X **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill provides that certain:

- (1) indemnity;
- (2) choice of law; and
- (3) automatic renewal;

provisions contained in contracts entered into, amended, or renewed after June 30, 2026, between the governing body of a school corporation or the equivalent authority for a charter school and a vendor are against public policy and are void and unenforceable.

The bill provides that certain youth organizations may submit a grievance to the Department of Education if a public school refuses to allow the organization to provide information to students under certain conditions. It also provides that, if a public school allows a postsecondary educational institution to provide certain information to students, the public school shall allow military personnel to provide certain information to students.

Effective Date: July 1, 2026.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Public schools will need to ensure their vendor contracts are in compliance with the bill's provisions. This will be completed with existing staff and resources.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Public schools.

Information Sources:

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