

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 637

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MORSE.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 21, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to legislative requirements for public schools.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 21, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 21.640, to read as follows:

21.640. 1. As used in this section, the term "bill" means proposed legislation  
2 drafted in the form of an act or joint resolution for introduction into the house of  
3 representatives of the general assembly of Missouri.

4 2. No representative shall request, nor shall any legislative employee draft, any bill  
5 containing any provision expanding any existing or creating any new duty, mandate, or  
6 requirement for any public school without including within the bill an accompanying  
7 provision reducing or eliminating an existing duty, mandate, or requirement for public  
8 schools.

9 3. No bill requested or drafted in violation of subsection 2 of this section shall be  
10 filed with or accepted for filing by the chief clerk of the house of representatives until the  
11 bill is drafted to include an accompanying provision reducing or eliminating an existing  
12 duty, mandate, or requirement for public schools.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.