

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 3250

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MCGIRL.

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JOSEPH ENGLER, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 160, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to student participation in protest activities.

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

Section A. Chapter 160, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 160.1100, to read as follows:

3       **160.1100. 1. The school board of each school district shall establish a written**  
4 **policy governing student participation in protest activities.**

5       **2. The policy shall provide, at a minimum, that:**

6       **(1) Students shall not be released from classes to participate in protest activities**  
7 **without express parental permission;**

8       **(2) That parental permission shall specify the event for which the student is to be**  
9 **released and the subject matter of the protest activity; and**

10       **(3) That parental permission shall be provided for each protest activity and**  
11 **permission for one protest activity shall not constitute approval for any other protest**  
12 **activity.**

13       **3. A school that violates the provisions of this section shall receive a reduction of**  
14 **funds equivalent to the funds received per pupil for each instance and for each student**  
15 **that is allowed to participate in protest activities without express parental permission.**

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.

14           **4. As used in this section the term "protest activities" shall include, but not be**  
15 **limited to, events not sponsored by the school such as political assemblies and political**  
16 **speeches occurring on or off school district property during school hours.**

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