AN ACT to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled “An act to make appropriations to aid in the support of the public schools, the intermediate school districts, community colleges, and public universities of the state; to make appropriations for certain other purposes relating to education; to provide for the disbursement of the appropriations; to authorize the issuance of certain bonds and provide for the security of those bonds; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, the state board of education, and certain other boards and officials; to create certain funds and provide for their expenditure; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” by amending sections 6, 8h, 11, 11a, 11g, 11j, 11k, 11m, 12, 15, 17a, 18, 19, 20i, 20d, 20f, 20g, 21i, 22a, 22b, 22c, 22d, 22f, 22g, 22i, 22j, 24, 24a, 24c, 25, 25f, 26a, 26b, 26c, 31a, 31d, 31f, 32d, 32p, 39, 39a, 41, 51a, 51c, 51d, 53a, 54, 56, 61a, 62, 74, 81, 94, 94a, 98, 99, 99b, 101, 104, 104b, 107, 147, 147a, 147c, 152a, 161, 163, 168, 201, 201a, 202a, 206, 207, 209, 210b, 217, 224, 225, 229, 229a, 230, 236, 236a, 236b, 236c, 241, 245, 246, 252, 256, 283, 283a, 284, 285, 285a, 286, 288, 289, 289a, 273, 274, 274a, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, and 284 (MCL 388.1606, 388.1608b, 388.1611, 388.1611a, 388.1611f, 388.1611j, 388.1611k, 388.1611m, 388.1612, 388.1615, 388.1617a, 388.1618, 388.1619, 388.1620, 388.1620d, 388.1620f, 388.1620g, 388.1621b, 388.1621f, 388.1622a, 388.1622b, 388.1622c, 388.1622d, 388.1622f, 388.1622g, 388.1622i, 388.1622j, 388.1624, 388.1624a, 388.1624c, 388.1625e, 388.1625f, 388.1626a, 388.1626b, 388.1626c, 388.1631a, 388.1631d, 388.1631f, 388.1632d, 388.1632p, 388.1639a, 388.1641, 388.1651a, 388.1651c, 388.1651d, 388.1653a, 388.1654, 388.1656, 388.1661a, 388.1662, 388.1664, 388.1665, 388.1674, 388.1675, 388.1676, 388.1677, 388.1678, 388.1679, 388.1680, 388.1681, and 388.1684), sections 6, 20, 24c, 25e, 29a, 34b, 104b, 107, and 147a as amended by 2013 PA 130, section 8b as amended by 2007 PA 92, sections 11, 11m, 20g, 21f, 22a, 22b, 22g, 51a, 51c, 99b, 101, and 147c as amended and sections 25f and 94 as added by 2014 PA 116, sections 11a, 11j, 11k, 12, 15, 18, 19, 20i, 20d, 22f, 22i, 22j, 24a, 24g, 24i, 26b, 26c, 31a, 31f, 32d, 32p, 39, 39a, 41, 51d, 53a, 54, 56, 61a, 62, 81, 94a, 98, 99, 104, 147, 152a, 201, 201a, 206, 209, 224, 225, 229, 229a, 230, 236, 236a, 236b, 241, 245, 246, 252, 256, 283a, 304, 265a, 267, 268, 269, 270, 273, 274, 274a, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, and 282 as amended and sections 20f, 22c, 24b, 26e, and 272a as added by 2013 PA 60, sections 11g and 17a as amended by 2013 PA 97, section 21b as amended by 2004 PA 351, section 161 as amended by 1999 PA 207, section 163 as amended by 2007 PA 137, section 168 as added by 1998 PA 175, and section 202a as added and sections 217, 256, 283, and 284 as amended by 2012 PA 201, and by adding sections 11r, 31g, 43, 64b, 64c, 74a, 96a, 99b, 104c, 147d, 147f, 207a, 207b, 207c, and 271a; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

Sec. 245. (1) A public university shall maintain a public transparency website available through a link on its website homepage. The public university shall update this website within 90 days after the university’s governing board adopts its annual operating budget for the next academic year; or after the governing board adopts a subsequent revision to that budget.

(2) The website required under subsection (1) shall include all of the following concerning the public university:

(a) The annual operating budget and subsequent budget revisions.
(b) A summary of current expenditures for the most recent fiscal year for which they are available, expressed as pie charts in the following 2 categories:

(i) A chart of personnel expenditures, broken into the following subcategories:

(A) Earnings and wages.

(B) Employee benefit costs, including, but not limited to, medical, dental, vision, life, disability, and long-term care benefits.

(C) Retirement benefit costs.

(D) All other personnel costs.

(ii) A chart of all current expenditures the public university reported as part of its higher education institutional data inventory data under section 241(2), broken into the same subcategories in which it reported those data.

(c) Links to all of the following for the public university:

(i) The current collective bargaining agreement for each bargaining unit.

(ii) Each health care benefits plan, including, but not limited to, medical, dental, vision, disability, long-term care, or any other type of benefits that would constitute health care services, offered to any bargaining unit or employee of the public university.

(iii) Audits and financial reports for the most recent fiscal year for which they are available.

(iv) Campus security policies and crime statistics pursuant to the student right-to-know and campus security act, Public Law 101-542, 104 Stat. 2381. Information shall include all material prepared pursuant to the public information reporting requirements under the crime awareness and campus security act of 1990, title II of the student right-to-know and campus security act, Public Law 101-542, 104 Stat. 2381.

(d) A list of all positions funded partially or wholly through institutional general fund revenue that includes the position title and annual salary or wage amount for each position.

(e) General fund revenue and expenditure projections for the current fiscal year and the next fiscal year.

(f) A listing of all debt service obligations, detailed by project, anticipated fiscal year payment for each project, and total outstanding debt for the current fiscal year.

(g) The institution's policy regarding the transferability of core college courses between community colleges and the university.

(h) A listing of all community colleges that have entered into reverse transfer agreements with the university.

(3) On the website required under subsection (1), a public university shall provide a dashboard or report card demonstrating the university's performance in several "best practice" measures. The dashboard or report card shall include at least all of the following for the 3 most recent academic years for which the data are available:

(a) Enrollment.

(b) Student retention rate.

(c) Six-year graduation rates.

(d) Number of Pell grant recipients and graduating Pell grant recipients.

(e) Geographic origination of students, categorized as in-state, out-of-state, and international.

(f) Faculty to student ratios and total university employee to student ratios.

(g) Teaching load by faculty classification.

(h) Graduation outcome rates, including employment and continuing education.

(4) For statewide consistency and public visibility, public universities must use the icon badge provided by the department of technology, management, and budget consistent with the icon badge developed by the department of education for K-12 school districts. It must appear on the front of each public university's homepage. The size of the icon may be reduced to 150 x 150 pixels. The font size and style for this reporting must be consistent with other documents on each university's website.

(5) The state budget director shall determine whether a public university has complied with this section. The state budget director may withhold a public university's monthly installments described in section 241 until the public university complies with this section.

(6) By November 15 of each year, a public university shall report the following information to the center for educational performance and information and post the information on its website under the budget transparency icon badge:

(a) Opportunities for earning college credit through the following programs:

(i) State approved career and technical education or a tech prep articulated program of study.

(ii) Direct college credit or concurrent enrollment.
(iii) Dual enrollment.

(iv) An early college/middle college program.

(b) For each program described in subdivision (a) that the public university offers, all of the following information:

(i) The number of high school students participating in the program.

(ii) The number of school districts that participate in the program with the public university.

(iii) Whether a university professor, qualified local school district employee, or other individual teaches the course or courses in the program.

(iv) The total cost to the public university to operate the program.

(v) The cost per credit hour for the course or courses in the program.

(vi) The location where the course or courses in the program are held.

(vii) Instructional resources offered to the program instructors.

(viii) Resources offered to the student in the program.

(ix) Transportation services provided to students in the program.