SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 781

AN ACT

To amend chapter 167, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to middle school, high school, and college athletics.

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

Section A. Chapter 167, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 167.780, to read as follows:

<u>167.780.</u> 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Save Women's Sports Act".

2. No athletic team or sport designated for females, women, or girls shall be open to students of the male sex as assigned at birth.

3. No governmental entity, licensing or accrediting organization, or athletic association or organization shall entertain a complaint, open an investigation, or take any other adverse action against a school or institution for maintaining separate interscholastic or intramural athletic teams or sports for students of the female sex as assigned at birth.

4. No public school or a private middle school or high school, or a public or private institution of postsecondary education, that has biological males as assigned at birth playing women's sports shall be eligible for any moneys appropriated by the general assembly.

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