

# SENATE BILL No. 531

November 4, 1987, Introduced by Senators CROPSEY, ENGLER, SMITH, BARCIA, FREDRICKS, NICHOLS, DILLINGHAM, CARL, POSTHUMUS, DE GROW, GEAKE, BINSFELD, CRUCE, MACK, WELBORN, EHLERS, ARTHURHULTZ, DI NELLO and SHINKLE and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill to amend the title of Act No. 83 of the Public Acts of 1980, entitled  
"Vehicle emissions inspection and maintenance act,"  
being sections 257.1051 to 257.1074 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; to add sections 25 and 26; and to repeal the act on a specific date.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Section 1. The title of Act No. 83 of the Public Acts of  
2 1980, being sections 257.1051 to 257.1074 of the Michigan  
3 Compiled Laws, is amended and sections 25 and 26 are added to  
4 read as follows:

### TITLE

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6       An act to provide for a mandatory motor vehicle emissions  
7 inspection and maintenance program in specified areas of the  
8 state; TO CREATE AN OXYGENATED FUELS TASK FORCE; to prescribe the

1 powers and duties of certain state ~~departments~~ AGENCIES; to  
2 provide for the promulgation of rules; ~~and~~ to provide penal-  
3 ties; AND TO REPEAL THIS ACT ON A SPECIFIC DATE.

4 SEC. 25. (1) IN ORDER TO AID IN BRINGING THE STATE INTO  
5 COMPLIANCE WITH NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS; TO PRO-  
6 VIDE FOR A MORE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT ALTERNATIVE TO THE  
7 INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM PROVIDED IN THIS ACT; AND TO  
8 INSTITUTE A PROGRAM THAT MINIMIZES THE REGULATORY IMPACT ON  
9 MOTORISTS IN THIS STATE, THE OXYGENATED FUELS TASK FORCE IS  
10 CREATED. THE TASK FORCE SHALL CONSIST OF THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

11 (A) ONE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTED BY THE SENATE MAJORITY LEADER  
12 AS AN EX OFFICIO NONVOTING MEMBER.

13 (B) ONE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF  
14 REPRESENTATIVES AS AN EX OFFICIO NONVOTING MEMBER.

15 (C) THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OR HIS OR  
16 HER DESIGNEE.

17 (D) THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES OR  
18 HIS OR HER DESIGNEE.

19 (E) THE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT OR  
20 HIS OR HER DESIGNEE.

21 (F) THE SECRETARY OF STATE OR HIS OR HER DESIGNEE.

22 (2) THE TASK FORCE SHALL DEVELOP A PLAN TO ESTABLISH AND  
23 IMPLEMENT A PROGRAM REQUIRING THE USE OF OXYGENATED FUELS IN  
24 AFFECTED AREAS.

25 (3) IN DEVELOPING THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN, THE TASK FORCE  
26 SHALL CONSULT WITH PERSONS IN THE AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY AND THE  
27 PETROLEUM INDUSTRY AND WITH GASOLINE VENDORS IN THE STATE

1 CONCERNING THE SUPPLY OF OXYGENATED FUELS AVAILABLE IN THE  
2 STATE. IF THE SUPPLY OF OXYGENATED FUELS IN AFFECTED AREAS IS  
3 DETERMINED BY THE TASK FORCE TO BE INSUFFICIENT, THE TASK FORCE  
4 SHALL INCLUDE IN THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN RECOMMENDATIONS OF  
5 WAYS TO INCREASE THE SUPPLY OF OXYGENATED FUELS AND SHALL INCOR-  
6 PORATE INTO THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN A TIMETABLE FOR PHASING IN  
7 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE OXYGENATED FUELS PROGRAM CONSISTENT WITH  
8 PROJECTED OXYGENATED FUEL SUPPLIES.

9 (4) THE TASK FORCE SHALL INCLUDE IN THE OXYGENATED FUELS  
10 PLAN AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM TO EDUCATE MOTORISTS IN THE STATE AS  
11 TO THE BENEFITS OF OXYGENATED FUELS.

12 (5) THE TASK FORCE SHALL SUBMIT THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN TO  
13 THE LEGISLATURE NOT LATER THAN JULY 1, 1988.

14 (6) THE TASK FORCE SHALL SERVE AS THE LIAISON BETWEEN THE  
15 STATE AND THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY ON  
16 MATTERS CONCERNING THE STATE'S IMPLEMENTATION PLAN SUBMITTED  
17 UNDER SECTION 110 OF PART A OF TITLE I OF THE CLEAN AIR ACT,  
18 42 U.S.C. 7410. ADDITIONALLY, THE TASK FORCE SHALL ACTIVELY  
19 ADVOCATE THAT THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
20 ACCEPT THE TASK FORCE'S OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN IN LIEU OF THE  
21 INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM PROVIDED IN THIS ACT AS A  
22 MEANS TO MEET THE NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS.

23 (7) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:

24 (A) "TASK FORCE" MEANS THE OXYGENATED FUELS TASK FORCE CRE-  
25 ATED IN SUBSECTION (1).

26 (B) "OXYGENATED FUELS" MEANS BLENDS OF UNLEADED GASOLINE AND  
27 ETHANOL OR METHYL TERBUTYL-ETHER.

1 (C) "OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN" MEANS THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN  
2 DEVELOPED BY THE TASK FORCE PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

3 SEC. 26. THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES SHALL INCOR-  
4 PORATE THE OXYGENATED FUELS PLAN PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 25 INTO  
5 THE STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN SUBMITTED TO THE ADMINISTRATOR OF  
6 THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY UNDER  
7 SECTION 110 OF PART A OF TITLE I OF THE CLEAN AIR ACT,  
8 42 U.S.C. 7410.

9 Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless  
10 Senate Bill No. 420  
11 of the 84th Legislature is enacted into law.