



# SENATE BILL No. 356

February 9, 1993, Introduced by Senators CONROY, SCHWARZ, ARTHURHULTZ, CHERRY, BERRYMAN, STABENOW, HONIGMAN, HART, KELLY, KOIVISTO and FAXON and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Urban Development.

A bill to amend the title of Act No. 293 of the Public Acts of 1966, entitled as amended

"An act to provide for the establishment of charter counties; to provide for the election of charter commissioners; to prescribe their powers and duties; to prohibit certain acts of a county board of commissioners after the approval of the election of a charter commission; and to prescribe the mandatory and permissive provisions of a charter,"

as amended, being sections 45.501 to 45.521 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to add section 15a.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Section 1. The title of Act No. 293 of the Public Acts of  
2 1966, as amended, being sections 45.501 to 45.521 of the Michigan  
3 Compiled Laws, is amended and section 15a is added to read as  
4 follows:

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scribe their powers and duties; to prohibit certain acts of a  
county board of commissioners after the approval of the election  
of a charter commission; ~~and~~ to prescribe the mandatory and  
permissive provisions of a charter; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXER-  
CISE BY A CHARTER COUNTY OF CERTAIN POWERS WHETHER OR NOT AUTHO-  
RIZED BY ITS CHARTER.

SEC. 15A. WHETHER OR NOT AUTHORIZED BY THE COUNTY CHARTER,  
THE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF A CHARTER COUNTY MAY MAKE A  
VIOLATION OF AN ORDINANCE A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION. A VIOLA-  
TION OF AN ORDINANCE IS A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION ONLY IF THE  
ORDINANCE EXPLICITLY STATES THAT A VIOLATION IS A MUNICIPAL CIVIL  
INFRACTION. IF A VIOLATION OF AN ORDINANCE IS A MUNICIPAL CIVIL  
INFRACTION, THE ORDINANCE MAY PROVIDE A CIVIL FINE FOR ITS  
VIOLATION. AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION"  
MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 113 OF THE REVISED JUDICA-  
TURE ACT OF 1961, ACT NO. 236 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1961, BEING  
SECTION 600.113 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless  
Senate Bill No. 348  
of the 87th Legislature is enacted into law.