

Act No. 203  
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Introduced by Reps. Galloway, McBryde, Jamian, Hammerstrom, Byl, Weeks, Rhead, Walberg, Porreca, Baade, Curtis, Munsell, Lowe and Llewellyn

# **ENROLLED HOUSE BILL No. 5489**

AN ACT to amend section 3a of Act No. 317 of the Public Acts of 1968, entitled as amended "An act relating to the conduct of public servants in respect to governmental decisions and contracts with public entities; to provide penalties for the violation of this act; to repeal certain acts and parts of acts; and to validate certain contracts," as added by Act No. 9 of the Public Acts of 1992, being section 15.323a of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

*The People of the State of Michigan enact:*

Section 1. Section 3a of Act No. 317 of the Public Acts of 1968, as added by Act No. 9 of the Public Acts of 1992, being section 15.323a of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3a. Section 2 shall not be construed to do any of the following:

(a) Prohibit public servants of a city, village, township, or county with a population of less than 25,000 from serving, with or without compensation, as emergency medical services personnel as defined in section 20904 of the public health code, Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being section 333.20904 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

(b) Prohibit public servants of a city, village, township, or county with a population of less than 25,000 from serving, with or without compensation, as a firefighter in that city, village, township, or county if that firefighter is not any of the following:

(i) A full-time firefighter.

(ii) A fire chief.

(iii) A person who negotiates with the city, village, township, or county on behalf of the firefighters.

(c) Limit the authority of the governing body of a city, village, township, or county with a population of less than 25,000 to authorize a public servant to perform, with or without compensation, other additional services for the unit of local government.

(d) Prohibit public servants of this state from purchasing at a tax sale lands returned as delinquent for taxes under the general property tax act, Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, being sections 211.1 to 211.157 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, unless otherwise prohibited by the rules of the Michigan civil service commission or the department or agency of which that public servant is an employee.

Section 2. Act No. 258 of the Public Acts of 1861, being sections 322.271 to 322.272 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is repealed.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

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Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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Secretary of the Senate.

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Governor.

