

HOUSE BILL No. 6119

September 25, 1996, Introduced by Rep. Law and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 148 of the Revised Statutes of 1846, entitled

"General provisions relating to jails, and the confinement of prisoners therein,"

being sections 801.119 and 801.120 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Sections 19 and 20 of chapter 148 of the Revised
- 2 Statutes of 1846, being sections 801.119 and 801.120 of the
- 3 Michigan Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 19. Any sheriff or other officer, who shall have
- 5 arrested any prisoner, may pass over, across and through such
- 6 parts of any other county or counties as shall be in the ordinary
- 7 route of travel from the place where such prisoner shall have
- 8 been arrested, to the place where he is to be conveyed and

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- 1 delivered, according to the command of the process by which such
- 2 arrest shall have been made. A PEACE OFFICER OF A COUNTY, CITY,
- 3 VILLAGE, OR TOWNSHIP WHO HAS LAWFUL CUSTODY OF A PRISONER MAY
- 4 TRANSPORT OR CONVEY THE PRISONER THROUGH ANY PART OF THIS STATE
- 5 IF NECESSARY TO BRING THE PRISONER BEFORE A COURT OR TO DELIVER
- 6 THE PRISONER TO A PRISON OR JAIL OR TO ANOTHER PERSON AS REQUIRED
- 7 OR PERMITTED BY LAW. WHILE TRANSPORTING OR CONVEYING A PRISONER
- 8 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION, THE PEACE OFFICER HAS THE SAME RIGHTS,
- 9 POWERS, PRIVILEGES, AND IMMUNITIES WITH RESPECT TO THE PRISONER
- 10 AS POSSESSED BY A SHERIFF.
- 11 Sec. 20. Such TRANSPORTATION OR conveyance shall not be
- 12 deemed PURSUANT TO SECTION 19 IS NOT an escape. ; nor shall
- 13 the THE prisoner -so conveyed, or the officers AND THE PEACE
- 14 OFFICER having them in their THE PRISONER IN LAWFUL custody
- 15 be ARE NOT liable to arrest on any civil process while pass-
- 16 ing through such other county or counties ANY PART OF THIS
- 17 STATE PURSUANT TO SECTION 19.