



SENATE BILL No. 55

January 17, 1995, Introduced by Senator DINGELL and referred to the Committee on Local, Urban and State Affairs.

A bill to amend section 7 of Act No. 209 of the Public Acts of 1911, entitled

"An act to adopt and prescribe the design of a state coat-of-arms and state flag, and their use, and to prohibit the use of the same for advertising purposes, and to provide a punishment for such forbidden use,"

being section 2.27 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 7 of Act No. 209 of the Public Acts of
2 1911, being section 2.27 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
3 amended to read as follows:

4 Sec. 7. (1) The flag of the United States and the state
5 flag bearing the arms of the state — shall be displayed upon
6 the capitol building during the daily sessions of the legislature
7 and of the supreme court, and on public occasions. The board of
8 state auditors shall see that the flags are so displayed and that

1 the necessary flag staffs shall be placed and flags supplied.
2 The expense thereof shall be allowed by them and paid by the
3 state treasurer upon proper warrant.

4 (2) THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE STATE FLAG BEARING
5 THE ARMS OF THE STATE SHALL BE DISPLAYED UPON EACH BUILDING OWNED
6 OR OCCUPIED BY THIS STATE DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OF THIS
7 STATE AND ON PUBLIC OCCASIONS. THE DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT AND
8 BUDGET SHALL SEE THAT THE FLAGS ARE SO DISPLAYED AND THAT THE
9 NECESSARY FLAG STAFFS ARE PLACED AND FLAGS SUPPLIED. THE DEPART-
10 MENT OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET SHALL ALLOW FOR THE EXPENSE OF THE
11 FLAGS AND STAFFS, AND THE STATE TREASURER SHALL PAY THE EXPENSE
12 UPON PROPER WARRANT.