

SENATE BILL No. 1168

September 19, 1996, Introduced by Senators BENNETT and NORTH and referred to the Committee on Local, Urban and State Affairs.

A bill to designate an official poem of this state.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 1. (1) "Michigan" by Alphonse V. Tupakavich is desig-1 2 nated as an official poem of this state. (2) The poem "Michigan" reads as follows: 3 "MICHIGAN Deer, Bear, and Wolverine Too, 5 Roam the Forests Serene, While Lakes and Rivers With Fish Do Abound, Some Say They're A Fisherman's Dream. 9 Bright Sandy Beaches 10 11 and Fine Golfing Greens, Wilderness Camping 'Midst Picturesque Scenes.

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1	Boating, Biking, and Ice-Fishing Too,
2	Skiing, Sight-Seeing, A Trip To The Soo.
3	In Cities and Small Towns, Villages Too,
4	There Is Much To Be Seen,
5	Many Fun Things To Do.
6	These Are Just A Few Reasons
7	Why Our State Of Four Seasons
8	Is One Of The Greatest Of All,
9	And To View Nature's Splendor
10	-Wonderous Scenes To Remember,
11	Take A Ride "Up North" In the Fall.
12	It's Beautiful! It's MICHIGAN!".