

## **CAMPAIGN SIGN REMOVAL**

**House Bill 5539** 

**Sponsor: Rep. Eileen DeHart Committee: Transportation** 

Complete to 2-5-98

## A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5539 AS INTRODUCED 2-4-98

House Bill 5539 would amend the act that prohibits obstructions and encroachments on public highways (Public Act 368 of 1925). The bill would allow the state transportation department or the county road commission board to remove "a memorial or a campaign sign or signs" if: removal was requested in writing by a private landowner; the road authority had an easement on the landowner's property; and, the sign had been placed on the landowner's property without prior consent.

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