SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5006

A bill to amend 1986 PA 268, entitled "Legislative council act," by amending section 204 (MCL 4.1204).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 204. (1) The council may provide access to computer-
- 2 ized council legislative data bases DATABASES and information
- 3 to individuals and organizations that are not a part of the leg-
- 4 islative branch of government. The council may establish rules
- 5 to implement this subsection. -, including a system of fees and
- 6 charges for access and services. The council shall impose such
- 7 conditions and restrictions upon nonlegislative access and serv-
- 8 ices as determined necessary by the council.
- 9 (2) The legislative computer information fund is created in 10 the state treasury and shall be administered by the council.

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- 1 -The- MONEY FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COMPUTER INFORMATION fund shall
- 2 be expended only as provided in this section.
- (3) The money received from the sale of access and related 3
- 4 services pursuant to subsection (1), along with fees charged for
- 5 training and the sale of user manuals and other money made avail-
- 6 able for -such THESE purposes, by appropriation or otherwise,
- 7 shall be deposited with the state treasurer and credited to the
- 8 legislative computer information fund.
- 9 (4) The council shall utilize the legislative computer
- 10 information fund to pay for all of the following which THAT are
- 11 directly related to computerized council legislative data bases
- 12 DATABASES and information:
- (a) Research and development. 13
- 14 (b) Training.
- (c) Additional hardware, software, and facilities. 15
- 16 (d) Acquisition of necessary support services.
- (e) Editorial and compilation expenses. 17
- (5) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION (1), BEGINNING JULY 1, 1999, 18
- 19 THE COUNCIL SHALL MAKE THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS DATABASE SEARCH
- 20 AND RETRIEVAL SYSTEM AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ON THE INTERNET.
- 21 THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT ALTER OR RELINQUISH ANY COPYRIGHT OR
- 22 OTHER PROPRIETARY INTEREST OR ENTITLEMENT OF THIS STATE RELATING
- 23 TO ANY OF THE INFORMATION MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- (6) BEGINNING JULY 1, 1999, THE COUNCIL SHALL NOT CHARGE A 24
- 25 FEE TO PROVIDE THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS DATABASE SEARCH AND
- 26 RETRIEVAL SYSTEM TO THE PUBLIC ON THE INTERNET AS PROVIDED IN
- 27 SUBSECTION (5).