

HOUSE BILL NO. 5194

A bill to amend 1945 PA 47, entitled

"An act to authorize 2 or more cities, townships, and villages, or any combination of cities, townships, and villages, to incorporate a hospital authority for planning, promoting, acquiring, constructing, improving, enlarging, extending, owning, maintaining, and operating 1 or more community hospitals and related buildings or structures and related facilities; to provide for the sale, lease, or other transfer of a hospital owned by a hospital authority to a nonprofit corporation established under the laws of this state for no or nominal monetary consideration; to define hospitals and community hospitals; to provide for changes in the membership therein; to authorize the cities, townships, and villages to levy taxes for community hospital purposes; to provide for the issuance of bonds; to provide for the pledge of assessments; to provide for borrowing money for operation and maintenance and issuing notes for operation and maintenance; to validate elections heretofore held and notes heretofore issued; to validate bonds heretofore issued; to authorize condemnation proceedings; to grant certain powers of a body corporate; and to validate and ratify the organization, existence, and membership of entities acting as hospital authorities under the act and the actions taken by hospital authorities and by the members of the hospital authorities,"

(MCL 331.1 to 331.11) by amending the title, as amended by 1987 PA 117, and by adding section 10.

1 **THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

2 **TITLE**

3 An act to authorize 2 or more cities, townships, and vil-
4 lages, or any combination of cities, townships, and villages, to
5 incorporate a hospital authority for planning, promoting, acquir-
6 ing, constructing, improving, enlarging, extending, owning, main-
7 taining, and operating 1 or more community hospitals and related
8 buildings or structures and related facilities; to provide for
9 the sale, lease, or other transfer of a hospital owned by a hos-
10 pital authority to a nonprofit corporation established under the
11 laws of this state for no or nominal monetary consideration; to
12 define hospitals and community hospitals; to provide for changes
13 in the membership therein; to authorize the cities, townships,
14 and villages to levy taxes for community hospital purposes; to
15 provide for the issuance of bonds; to provide for the pledge of
16 assessments; to provide for borrowing money for operation and
17 maintenance and issuing notes for operation and maintenance; to
18 validate elections heretofore held and notes heretofore issued;
19 to validate bonds heretofore issued; to authorize condemnation
20 proceedings; to grant certain powers of a body corporate; ~~and~~
21 to validate and ratify the organization, existence, and member-
22 ship of entities acting as hospital authorities under the act and
23 the actions taken by hospital authorities and by the members of
24 the hospital authorities; AND TO PRESCRIBE PENALTIES AND PROVIDE
25 REMEDIES.

26 SEC. 10. A PETITION UNDER SECTION 8C OR 9, INCLUDING THE
27 CIRCULATION AND SIGNING OF THE PETITION, IS SUBJECT TO SECTION

1 488 OF THE MICHIGAN ELECTION LAW, 1954 PA 116, MCL 168.488. A
2 PERSON WHO VIOLATES A PROVISION OF THE MICHIGAN ELECTION LAW,
3 1954 PA 116, MCL 168.1 TO 168.992, APPLICABLE TO A PETITION
4 DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES PRESCRIBED
5 FOR THAT VIOLATION IN THE MICHIGAN ELECTION LAW, 1954 PA 116, MCL
6 168.1 TO 168.992.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take
8 effect unless Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. _____
9 (request no. 02378'97) of the 89th Legislature is enacted into
10 law.