SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 4929

(As amended April 6, 2000)

A bill to amend 1956 PA 62, entitled

"An act to authorize the director of the department of state police to promulgate a uniform traffic code; to authorize a city, township, or village to adopt the uniform traffic code by reference without publication in full; and to prescribe criminal penalties and civil sanctions for violation of the code,"

(MCL 257.951 to 257.954) by adding section 5.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 5. (1) A CIVIL FINE IMPOSED UPON A PERSON FOR A VIOLA-
- 2 TION OF A CODE OR ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OPERATION OF A COMMER-
- 3 CIAL VEHICLE ADOPTED BY A CITY, TOWNSHIP, OR VILLAGE UNDER SEC-
- 4 TION 1 SHALL BE PAID TO THE COUNTY TREASURER AND SHALL BE ALLO-
- 5 CATED AS FOLLOWS:
- 6 (A) SEVENTY PERCENT TO THE CITY, TOWNSHIP, OR VILLAGE IN WHICH
- 7 THE CITATION IS ISSUED.
- 8 (B) THIRTY PERCENT FOR LIBRARY PURPOSES AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

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1 (2) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A

2 CASE IN WHICH THE CITATION IS

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- 3 DISMISSED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (3).
- 4 (3) THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE SHALL NOT BE ISSUED MORE THAN 1 CITATION FOR EACH VIOLATION OF A CODE OR ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OPERATION OF A COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE AND SUBSTANTIALLY CORRESPONDING TO A PROVISION OF SECTIONS 683 TO 725A OF THE MICHIGAN VEHICLE CODE, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.683 TO 257.725A, WITHIN A 24 HOUR PERIOD. IF THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE
- 5 IS ISSUED A CITATION FOR AN EQUIPMENT VIOLATION THAT DOES NOT
- 6 RESULT IN THE VEHICLE BEING PLACED OUT OF SERVICE, THE COURT
- 7 SHALL DISMISS THE CITATION IF THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF THAT COM-
- 8 MERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE PROVIDES WRITTEN PROOF TO THE COURT WITHIN
- 9 14 DAYS AFTER THE CITATION IS ISSUED SHOWING THAT THE DEFECTIVE
- 10 EQUIPMENT INDICATED IN THE CITATION HAS BEEN REPAIRED.
- 11 (4) IN ORDER TO BE CLASSIFIED AS A MOTOR CARRIER ENFORCEMENT
- 12 OFFICER, A POLICE OFFICER MUST HAVE TRAINING EQUAL TO THE
- 13 MINIMUM TRAINING REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING ANY ANNUAL TRAINING
- 14 UPDATES, ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE FOR AN
- 15 OFFICER OF THE MOTOR CARRIER DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE
- 16 POLICE. A POLICE OFFICER WHO HAS RECEIVED TRAINING EQUAL TO
- 17 THESE MINIMUM TRAINING REQUIREMENTS BEFORE THE EFFECTIVE DATE
- 18 OF THIS SECTION IS CONSIDERED A MOTOR CARRIER ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
- 19 FOR PURPOSES OF THIS ACT.
- 20 (5) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 21 (A) "COMMERCIAL VEHICLE" MEANS THAT TERM AS DEFINED IN SEC-
- 22 TION 7 OF THE MICHIGAN VEHICLE CODE, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.7.
- (B) "OPERATION" MEANS BEING IN ACTUAL PHYSICAL CONTROL OF A
- 24 VEHICLE REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT THE PERSON IS LICENSED UNDER
- 25 THE MICHIGAN VEHICLE CODE, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.1 TO 257.923, AS
- 26 AN OPERATOR OR CHAUFFEUR.

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- (C) "OUT OF SERVICE" MEANS THAT PROCESS ESTABLISHED UNDER
- 2 THE MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY ACT, 1963 PA 181, MCL 480.11 TO 480.22.
- (D) "PERSON" MEANS EVERY NATURAL PERSON, PARTNERSHIP, ASSO-3
- 4 CIATION, OR CORPORATION AND THEIR LEGAL SUCCESSORS.
- Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take 5
- 6 effect unless all of the following bills of the 90th Legislature
- 7 are enacted into law:
- (a) House Bill No. 4927. 8
- 9 (b) House Bill No. 4928.
- (c) House Bill No. 4930. 10
- (d) House Bill No. 4931. 11
- 12 (e) House Bill No. 4932.