

SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 5210

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
by amending section 811k (MCL 257.811k), as added by 2000 PA 73.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 811k. (1) The secretary of state shall develop under
2 section 811e and, upon application, may issue under section 811f
3 a state-sponsored lighthouse fund-raising registration plate and
4 a matching state-sponsored lighthouse fund-raising collector
5 plate as provided under section 811g. The plate shall be of a
6 design as determined by the secretary of state AFTER CONSULTATION
7 WITH THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND
8 LIBRARIES.

9 (2) The Michigan lighthouse preservation grant fund is
10 created as a separate fund in the department of treasury. The
11 fund shall be expended only as provided in this section. The

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1 state treasurer may receive money or other assets from any source
2 for deposit into the fund. The state treasurer shall direct the
3 investment of the fund. The state treasurer shall credit to the
4 fund interest and earnings from fund investments. The state
5 treasurer shall annually present to the ~~secretary of state~~
6 DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES an accounting of the
7 amount of money in the fund. Money in the fund at the close of
8 the fiscal year shall remain in the fund and shall not lapse to
9 the general fund.

10 (3) The ~~secretary of state~~ DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS,
11 AND LIBRARIES shall administer the fund and may expend money from
12 the fund through discretionary historical grants to preserve
13 Michigan lighthouses. The ~~secretary of state~~ DEPARTMENT OF
14 HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES shall not use ~~not~~ more than 10% of
15 the funds for the ~~secretary of state's~~ costs OF THE DEPARTMENT
16 OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES that occur from fund administra-
17 tion and grant project coordination.

18 (4) The ~~secretary of state~~ DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS,
19 AND LIBRARIES may award grants for the preparation of plans and
20 specifications for restoration and stabilization and for stabili-
21 zation, rehabilitation, or other preservation work on a Michigan
22 lighthouse, but grants shall not be awarded for operational
23 purposes. The ~~secretary of state~~ DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS,
24 AND LIBRARIES shall allocate grant funds pursuant to eligibility
25 and scoring requirements established by the ~~secretary of state~~
26 DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES. To award grants
27 under this section, the ~~secretary of state~~ DEPARTMENT OF

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1 HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES shall solicit applications from
2 eligible recipients, score applications based on the established
3 criteria, and award grants through executed contracts. All plans
4 and work performed under a grant shall be consistent with the
5 United States secretary of the interior's standards for rehabili-
6 tation and guidelines for rehabilitating historic buildings, 36
7 C.F.R. 67, historic preservation certifications.

8 (5) Lighthouse fund-raising registration plate donations
9 collected under section 811f and matching lighthouse collector
10 plate fund-raising donations collected under section 811g shall
11 be transferred under section ~~811m~~ 811H by the secretary of
12 state to the state treasurer, who shall credit the donation money
13 to the Michigan lighthouse preservation grant fund for the pre-
14 servation of historic Michigan lighthouses.

15 (6) For purposes of this chapter, "state-sponsored light-
16 house fund-raising registration plate" means a registration plate
17 containing a specialized design pertaining to historic Michigan
18 lighthouses.