Senate Bill 847

A bill to amend 1941 PA 107, entitled

"An act to authorize township water supply and sewage disposal services and facilities; to provide for financing of those services and facilities; to prescribe the powers and duties of township boards with respect to those services and facilities; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies,"

by amending sections 8, 20m, and 20o (MCL 41.338, 41.350m, and 41.350o), section 8 as amended and sections 20m and 20o as added by 1989 PA 83.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 8. If a sufficient number of private connection rights
- 2 are timely paid for in accordance with the terms of the plan pro-
- 3 vided for by section 5, the township board shall immediately pro-
- 4 ceed to make and install the improvement petitioned for under
- 5 section 1 and may, by resolution, do what is necessary to
- 6 accomplish the purposes of the plan. The board may borrow all or
- 7 part of the amount to be appropriated from the contingent fund

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- 1 under section 3 if, in the judgment of the board, the contingent
- 2 fund will, by such appropriation, be depleted to such extent as
- 3 may hamper general township operations. The loan shall conform
- 4 to the provisions of the municipal finance act, Act No. 202 of
- 5 the Public Acts of 1943, being sections 131.1 to 139.3 of the
- 6 Michigan Compiled Laws REVISED MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT, 2001 PA
- 7 34, MCL 141.2101 TO 141.2821.
- 8 Sec. 20m. Subject to prior approval under the municipal
- 9 finance act, Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of 1943, being sec-
- 10 tions 131.1 to 139.3 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, a A township
- 11 board may borrow money and issue notes for money necessary for
- 12 acquisition and installation by the township of water supply
- 13 facilities, including water mains and elevated water tanks, which
- 14 are required of the township by the terms of a water supply con-
- 15 tract authorized by section 20l.
- 16 Sec. 20o. The requirement of section 20m for obtaining
- 17 prior approval under the municipal finance act before borrowing
- 18 money and issuing a note is subject to sections 10 and 11 of
- 19 chapter III of the municipal finance act, Act No. 202 of the
- 20 Public Acts of 1943, being sections 133.10 and 133.11 of the
- 21 Michigan Compiled Laws. The department of treasury has the same
- 22 authority as provided by section 11 of chapter III of Act No. 202
- 23 of the Public Acts of 1943 to issue an order providing or denying
- 24 an exception from the prior approval required by section 20m for
- 25 notes authorized by section 20m. Unless an exception from prior
- 26 approval is available, the department of treasury may in its
- 27 discretion approve or deny, in whole or in part, the borrowing

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- 1 and the issuing of notes under section 20m. A note authorized
- 2 under section 20m shall be advertised and sold as provided by
- 3 section 2 of chapter III of Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of
- 4 1943, being section 133.2 of the Michigan Compiled Laws. NOTES
- 5 ISSUED UNDER SECTION 20M ARE SUBJECT TO THE REVISED MUNICIPAL
- 6 FINANCE ACT, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 TO 141.2821.

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