## **SENATE BILL No. 837**

November 29, 2001, Introduced by Senator EMERSON and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend 1995 PA 280, entitled

"An act to authorize local units of government to accept financial transaction device payments,"

by amending section 1 (MCL 129.221).

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:
- 2 (a) "Credit card" means a card or device issued by a person
- 3 licensed under Act No. 379 of the Public Acts of 1984, being
- 4 sections 493.101 to 493.114 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1984
- **5** PA 379, MCL 493.101 TO 493.114, or under the consumer financial
- 6 services act, Act No. 161 of the Public Acts of 1988, being sec-
- 7 tions 487.2051 to 487.2072 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1988
- 8 PA 161, MCL 487.2051 TO 487.2072, or issued by a depository
- 9 financial institution as defined in section la of the mortgage
- $\overline{\mathbf{o}}_{10}$  brokers, lenders, and servicers licensing act,  $\frac{\text{Act No. }173 \text{ of}}{\text{Act No. }173 \text{ of}}$

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- 1 the Public Acts of 1987, being section 445.1651a of the Michigan
- 2 Compiled Laws 1987 PA 173, MCL 445.1651A, under a credit card
- 3 arrangement.
- 4 (b) "Credit card arrangement" means an unsecured extension
- 5 of credit for purchasing goods or services from the credit card
- 6 issuer or any other person that is made to the holder of a credit
- 7 card and that is accessed with a credit card.
- 8 (c) "Financial transaction device" means any of the
- 9 following:
- 10 (i) An electronic funds transfer card.
- 11 (ii) A credit card.
- 12 (iii) A debit card.
- (d) "Governing body" means any of the following:
- 14 (i) The council, commission, or other entity vested with the
- 15 legislative power of a village.
- (ii) The council or other entity vested with the legislative
- 17 power of a city.
- 18 (iii) The township board of a township.
- 19 (iv) The county board of commissioners of a county.
- 20 (v) The board of county road commissioners of a county.
- 21 (vi) The board of education of a local school district.
- 22 (vii) The board of education of an intermediate school
- 23 district.
- 24 (viii) The board of trustees of a community college
- 25 district.
- 26 (ix) The official body to which is granted general governing
- 27 powers over an authority or organization of government

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- 1 established by law which may issue obligations pursuant to the
- 2 municipal finance act, Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of 1943,
- 3 being sections 131.1 to 139.3 of the Michigan Compiled Laws
- 4 REVISED MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 TO
- 5 141.2821, and which may expend funds of the authority or
- 6 organization.
- 7 (e) "Local school district" means a school district orga-
- 8 nized under the REVISED school code, of 1976, Act No. 451 of the
- 9 Public Acts of 1976, being sections 380.1 to 380.1852 of the
- 10 Michigan Compiled Laws 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 TO 380.1852, or a
- 11 district governed by a special or local act.
- (f) "Local unit" means any of the following:
- 13 (i) A village.
- 14 (ii) A city.
- 15 (iii) A township.
- 16 (iv) A county.
- 17 (v) A county road commission.
- 18 (vi) A local school district.
- 19 (vii) An intermediate school district.
- 20 (viii) A community college district.
- 21 (ix) An authority or organization of government established
- 22 by law which may issue obligations pursuant to Act No. 202 of
- 23 the Public Acts of 1943 UNDER THE REVISED MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT,
- 24 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 TO MCL 141.2821, and which may expend
- 25 funds of the authority or organization.