HOUSE BILL No. 4950

June 13, 2001, Introduced by Reps. Zelenko and Stewart and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

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A bill to amend 1992 PA 116, entitled 
"Records media act," 
by amending section 2 (MCL 24.402).
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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 2. (1) Except to the extent limited by law, if a gov-
- 2 ernmental entity or a governmental official acting in his or her
- ${f 3}$ official capacity reproduces a record, the reproduction may be
- 4 created using any of the following media, subject to subsection
- **5** (2):

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- 6 (a) Photograph.
- 7 (b) Photocopy.
- 8 (c) Microcopy.
- **9** (d) Optical storage disc, as of the effective date of rules,
- 10 to be promulgated pursuant to subsection (2), that govern optical
- 11 storage discs. However, this act does not prohibit the

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- 1 utilization of an optical storage disc system purchased by this
- 2 state before the effective date of this act pursuant to legisla-
- 3 tive appropriations, unless the director of the department of
- 4 management and budget finds that the system is not capable of
- 5 creating reproductions that are equivalent to photographs or
- 6 microcopies. The director of the department of management and
- 7 budget shall transmit such a finding to the state department or
- 8 agency utilizing the optical storage disc system and to the house
- 9 and senate appropriations committees.
- 10 (2) Pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969,
- 11 Act No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being sections 24.201 to
- 12 24.328 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 TO
- 13 24.328, the department of state HISTORY, ARTS, AND CULTURE and
- 14 the department of management and budget shall jointly promulgate
- 15 rules that govern the creating, processing, indexing, storage,
- 16 retrieval, durability, and inspection of reproductions by a gov-
- 17 ernmental entity or governmental official acting in his or her
- 18 official capacity. With respect to information systems that uti-
- 19 lize digital data in a medium listed in subsection (1) for the
- 20 reproduction of records, the rules shall do all of the
- 21 following:
- 22 (a) Set forth data interchangeability standards.
- 23 (b) Ensure continued maintenance of and access to the
- 24 records by requiring the conversion of the digital data medium or
- 25 the modification or replacement of the computer hardware or com-
- 26 puter software before the digital data medium, algorithms,
- 27 computer hardware, or computer software become obsolete.

- 1 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take
- 2 effect unless Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. 4941
- ${f 3}$ (request no. 02873'01) of the 91st Legislature is enacted into
- **4** law.

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