HOUSE BILL No. 5328

October 23, 2001, Introduced by Reps. Bishop, Richardville, Stewart and Raczkowski and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill to amend 1879 PA 237, entitled

"An act to provide for the execution, acknowledgment, and recording of contracts for the sale of land,"

by amending section 6 (MCL 565.356), as added by 1998 PA 106.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 6. As used in this act:
- 2 (a) "Assignee" means assignee of the vendor named in a land
- 3 contract, a succeeding assignee, or a land contract mortgagee who
- 4 became the absolute holder of the land contract as a result of
- 5 security enforcement procedures.
- 6 (b) "Grantee" means grantee of the vendor named in a land
- 7 contract, a succeeding grantee, or a grantee pursuant to a mort-
- 8 gage foreclosure of a mortgage upon the land but subordinate to
- 9 the land contract.

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- 1 (c) "Land contract mortgage" means a mortgage granted by a
- 2 vendor or a vendee.
- 3 (d) "Land contract mortgagee" means the holder of a land
- 4 contract mortgage granted by a vendor or vendee, or his or her
- 5 heirs, successors, or assigns.
- 6 (e) "Nonmortgaging vendee" means a vendee who has not
- 7 entered into a land contract mortgage granted by his or her
- 8 vendor.
- 9 (f) "Nonmortgaging vendor" means a vendor who has not
- 10 entered into a land contract mortgage granted by his or her
- 11 vendee.
- 12 (g) "Real estate mortgage" means a mortgage granted upon an
- 13 interest in real property, which is created when OTHER THAN A
- 14 MORTGAGE UPON A VENDOR'S OR VENDEE'S INTEREST IN A LAND CONTRACT
- 15 UNLESS the vendor and the vendee join in or subject their respec-
- 16 tive interests to a single mortgage. A land contract mortgage is
- 17 not a real estate mortgage.
- 18 (h) "Third parties" means persons or entities other than the
- 19 vendor, vendee, nonmortgaging vendor, nonmortgaging vendee,
- 20 assignee, grantee, or land contract mortgagee, who have or claim
- 21 an interest in or encumbrance upon real property or a vendor's or
- 22 vendee's interest which is subject to a land contract mortgage.
- 23 (i) "Vendee" means the vendee named in the land contract and
- 24 the vendee's heirs, successors, or assigns.
- 25 (j) "Vendor" means the vendor named in the land contract and
- 26 the vendor's heirs, successors, or assigns.