SENATE BILL No. 1036

January 30, 2002, Introduced by Senator MC COTTER and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1929 PA 269, entitled

"An act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; and to repeal Act No. 255 of the Public Acts of 1909,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 430.53).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 3. It shall be unlawful for any A person to SHALL
- 2 NOT display or permit to be displayed on his or her motor vehicle
- 3 any emblem or insignia of any organization, association, A NON-
- 4 PROFIT ORGANIZATION OR A fraternity, lodge, club, or order,
- 5 unless the owner of such THE motor vehicle be HAS MADE A CON-
- 6 TRIBUTION TO THE NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION OR IS a member of the
- 7 organization, association, fraternity, lodge, club, or order,
- 8 FOR WHICH the emblem or insignia of which is so displayed:
- 9 Provided, That the provisions of this act shall not IS

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- 1 DISPLAYED. HOWEVER, THIS ACT DOES NOT apply to the owner or
- 2 owners of any motor vehicles A MOTOR VEHICLE upon which such
- 3 AN emblem or insignia is displayed solely for the purposes of
- 4 participation in any public parade, or at any public fair, exhib-
- 5 it, or carnival.