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SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 570

A bill to amend 1972 PA 284, entitled

"Business corporation act,"

by amending section 1060 (MCL 450.2060), as amended by 2001 PA 57; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1060. (1) The fees to be paid a person shall pay to
- 2 the administrator when the documents described in this subsection
- 3 are delivered to him or her for filing are as follows:
- 4 (a) Articles of a domestic -corporations corporation,
- **5** \$10.00.
- 6 (b) Application of a foreign corporation for a certificate of
- 7 authority to transact business in this state, \$10.00.
- 8 (c) Amendment to the articles of a domestic corporation,
- **9** \$10.00.
- 10 (d) Amended application for a certificate of authority to

- 1 transact business in this state, \$10.00.
- 2 (e) Certificate of merger or share exchange as provided in
- **3 under** chapter 7, \$50.00.
- 4 (f) Certificate attesting to the occurrence of a merger of a
- 5 foreign corporation as provided in under section 1021, \$10.00.
- **6** (g) Certificate of dissolution, \$10.00.
- 7 (h) Application for withdrawal and issuance of a certificate
- 8 of withdrawal of a foreign corporation, \$10.00.
- 9 (i) Application for reservation of corporate name, \$10.00.
- 10 (j) Certificate of assumed name or a certificate of
- 11 termination of assumed name, \$10.00.
- 12 (k) Statement of change of registered office or resident
- **13** agent, \$5.00.
- 14 (1) Restated articles of domestic corporations, \$10.00.
- (m) Certificate of abandonment, \$10.00.
- (n) Certificate of correction, \$10.00.
- (o) Certificate of revocation of dissolution proceedings,
- **18** \$10.00.
- 19 (p) Certificate of renewal of corporate existence, \$10.00.
- 20 (q) For examining a special report required by law, \$2.00.
- (r) Certificate of registration of corporate name of a
- 22 foreign corporation, \$50.00.
- 23 (s) Certificate of renewal of registration of corporate name
- 24 of a foreign corporation, \$50.00.
- 25 (t) Certificate of termination of registration of corporate
- 26 name of a foreign corporation, \$10.00.
- (u) Report required under section 911, \$15.00 if paid before

- 1 October 1, 2003 or after September 30, 2007. After September 30,
- 2 2003 and before October 1, 2007, the fee is \$25.00.
- 3 (2) The fees -prescribed in subsection (1), no part of which
- 4 shall be refunded, shall be described in subsection (1) are in
- 5 addition to $\frac{\text{the}}{\text{constant}}$ any franchise fees prescribed in this act. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- 6 and shall, when collected, be paid into the treasury of the state
- 7 and credited to the administrator to be used solely by the
- 8 department in carrying out those duties required by law. The
- 9 administrator shall not refund all or any part of a fee described
- 10 in this section.
- 11 (3) Except as provided in subsection (9), the administrator
- 12 shall deposit all fees received and collected under this section
- 13 in the state treasury to the credit of the administrator, who may
- 14 only use the money credited pursuant to legislative appropriation
- 15 and only in carrying out those duties of the department required
- 16 by law.
- 17 (4) -(3) Fees paid by or on behalf of The fees described in
- 18 this section apply to documents filed by a domestic -and or
- 19 foreign regulated investment -companies company as defined in
- 20 section 1064. are the same as are charged foreign and domestic
- 21 corporations for the purposes specified in this section.
- 22 (4) The fees received pursuant to section 915 shall be
- 23 deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the
- 24 administrator to be used by the department in carrying out those
- 25 duties required by law. After the payment of the amounts
- 26 appropriated by the legislature for the necessary expenses
- 27 incurred in the administration of this act, the money remaining

- 1 shall be credited to the general fund of the state.
- 2 (5) If any money received by the administrator from fees paid
- 3 under subsection (1)(u) is not appropriated to the department in
- 4 that fiscal year, the money remaining from those fees shall
- 5 revert to the general fund of this state.
- 6 (6) -(5) A minimum charge of \$1.00 for each certificate and
- 7 50 cents per folio shall be paid to the administrator for
- 8 certifying a part of a file or record pertaining to a corporation
- 9 for which provision for payment is not set forth if a fee for
- 10 that service is not described in subsection (1). The
- 11 administrator may furnish copies of documents, reports, and
- 12 papers required or permitted by law to be filed with the
- 13 administrator, and shall charge for those copies pursuant to
- **14 the fee established in** a schedule of fees -which **adopted by** the
- 15 administrator -shall adopt with the approval of the state
- 16 administrative board. The administrator shall retain the revenue
- 17 collected under this subsection, to be used by the department
- 18 and the department shall use it to defray the costs for its
- 19 copying and certifying services.
- 20 (7) $\frac{(6)}{(6)}$ If a domestic or foreign corporation pays fees or
- 21 penalties by check and the check is dishonored, the fee is unpaid
- 22 and the administrator shall rescind the filing of all related
- 23 documents. -will be rescinded.
- 24 (8) -(7) The administrator may accept a credit card in
- 25 lieu of cash or check $\overline{}$ as payment of a fee under this act.
- 26 The administrator shall determine which credit cards may be
- 27 accepted he or she shall accept for payment.

- 1 (9) -(8) The administrator may charge a nonrefundable fee of
- 2 up to \$50.00 for any document submitted or certificate sent by
- 3 facsimile or electronic transmission. The administrator shall
- 4 retain the revenue collected under this -section subsection and
- 5 -to be used by the department in carrying the department shall
- 6 use it to carry out its duties required by law.
- 7 Enacting section 1. Section 915 of the business corporation
- 8 act, 1972 PA 284, MCL 450.1915, is repealed.