

# HOUSE BILL No. 5334

December 3, 2003, Introduced by Rep. Ward and referred to the Committee on Conservation and Outdoor Recreation.

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled  
"The general property tax act,"  
(MCL 211.1 to 211.157) by adding section 7gg.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 7gg. (1) An eligible shooting range is exempt from the  
2 collection of taxes under this act.

3       (2) As used in this section:

4       (a) "Eligible shooting range" means real property that is a  
5 shooting range used for firearms training that meets all of the  
6 following conditions:

7       (i) Law enforcement officers have access to and are permitted  
8 to use the shooting range for firearms training purposes free of  
9 charge.

10       (ii) The chief of police, county sheriff, post commander, or  
11 other commanding officer submits an affidavit to the assessor of

1 the local tax collecting unit in which the shooting range is  
2 located attesting to the fact that law enforcement officers have  
3 access to and are permitted to use the shooting range for  
4 firearms training purposes free of charge.

5 (b) "Law enforcement officer" means a law enforcement or  
6 peace officer of the United States, this state, or a political  
7 subdivision of this state authorized to carry firearms in the  
8 course of his or her duties as a law enforcement officer.