

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 517

A bill to amend 1909 PA 279, entitled
"The home rule city act,"
(MCL 117.1 to 117.38) by adding section 3b.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 3B. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY CHARTER PROVISION, THE CITY MAY
2 PROVIDE BY RESOLUTION FOR THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF ITS ELECTED
3 OFFICIALS AND FOR STAGGERED TERMS, INCLUDING THE PROVIDING OF TERMS
4 LONGER THAN ALLOWED UNDER THE CHARTER IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE
5 STAGGERING OF TERMS. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY CHARTER PROVISION, THE
6 CITY MAY PROVIDE BY RESOLUTION FOR ANY ELECTION PROVISION THAT IS
7 CONSISTENT WITH THE MICHIGAN ELECTION LAW, 1954 PA 116, MCL 168.1
8 TO 168.992.