SENATE BILL No. 666

June 29, 2005, Introduced by Senators SANBORN, CROPSEY, VAN WOERKOM, BISHOP, GILBERT, TOY, ALLEN, HARDIMAN, JELINEK, STAMAS, KUIPERS, SIKKEMA, HAMMERSTROM, McMANUS, GARCIA, GEORGE, CASSIS, BIRKHOLZ and GOSCHKA and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

A bill to amend 1982 PA 162, entitled "Nonprofit corporation act,"

by amending section 131 (MCL 450.2131), as amended by 1992 PA 198.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 131. (1) A document THAT A PERSON IS required or
- 2 permitted to be filed FILE under this act shall be filed by
- 3 delivering the document to the administrator together with the fees
- 4 and accompanying documents required by law. THE ADMINISTRATOR MAY
- 5 ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR ACCEPTING DELIVERY OF A DOCUMENT FILED
- UNDER THIS SUBSECTION BY FACSIMILE. BY FEBRUARY 1, 2006, THE
- ADMINISTRATOR SHALL ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR ACCEPTING DELIVERY OF
- 8 A DOCUMENT FILED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION.
- BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1, 2006, A PERSON MAY FILE A DOCUMENT UNDER THIS

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- 1 SUBSECTION BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION.
- 2 (2) If the A document FILED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)
- 3 substantially conforms to the requirements of this act, the
- 4 administrator shall endorse upon it the word "filed" with the
- 5 administrator's official title and the dates of receipt and of
- 6 filing, and shall file and index the document or a reproduction of
- 7 the document pursuant to the records media act in the
- 8 administrator's office. If so requested at the time of the
- 9 delivery of the document to the administrator's office, the
- 10 administrator shall include the hour of filing in the endorsement
- 11 on the document. The
- 12 (3) AT HIS OR HER DISCRETION, THE administrator shall prepare
- 13 and return **EITHER** a true copy or, at the administrator's
- 14 discretion, OF A DOCUMENT FILED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) OR the
- 15 original of -a THE document, other than an annual report, to the
- 16 person who submitted the document for filing. The administrator
- 17 shall mark the filing date on the true copy or original.
- 18 (4) The records and files of the administrator relating to
- 19 corporations shall be open to reasonable inspection by the public.
- 20 The ADMINISTRATOR MAY MAINTAIN THE records or files -may, at the
- 21 discretion of the administrator, be maintained either in their
- 22 original form or in the form of reproductions pursuant to the
- 23 records -media REPRODUCTION act, 1992 PA 116, MCL 24.401 TO
- 24 24.406.
- 25 (5) The administrator may make reproductions of ANY documents
- 26 filed under this act, or any predecessor act, pursuant to the
- 27 records -media REPRODUCTION act, 1992 PA 116, MCL 24.401 TO

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- 1 24.406, and may destroy the originals of the REPRODUCED documents.
- 2 reproduced.
- 3 (6) $\frac{\text{(2)}}{\text{The}}$ A document FILED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) is
- 4 effective at the time it is endorsed unless a subsequent effective
- 5 time, not later than 90 days after the date of delivery, is set
- 6 forth in the document.