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## STATE OF MICHIGAN 93RD LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2006

Introduced by Rep. Schuitmaker

## ENROLLED HOUSE BILL No. 5045

AN ACT to amend 1987 PA 96, entitled "An act to create a mobile home commission; to prescribe its powers and duties and those of local governments; to provide for a mobile home code and the licensure, regulation, construction, operation, and management of mobile home parks, the licensure and regulation of retail sales dealers, warranties of mobile homes, and service practices of dealers; to provide for the titling of mobile homes; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain agencies and departments; to provide remedies and penalties; to declare the act to be remedial; to repeal this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," by amending sections 30b and 30c (MCL 125,2330b and 125,2330c).

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Sec. 30b. (1) The department upon receipt of the required application and fees shall issue a certificate of title except as otherwise provided.

- (2) The certificate of title shall contain upon its face the date issued, the name and address of the owner, a description of the mobile home as determined by the department, a statement of all security interests in the mobile home as set forth in the application, the date on which the application was filed, and other information as the department may require.
- (3) The certificate of title shall contain forms for assignment of title or interest and warranty of title by the owner with space for notation of security interests in the mobile home at the time of a transfer to be signed in ink, and other forms as the department may consider necessary to facilitate the effective administration of this section. The certificate shall bear the seal of the department.
- (4) The certificate of title shall be mailed or delivered to the owner or other person as the owner may direct in a separate instrument, in the form as the department shall prescribe.
- Sec. 30c. (1) If the owner of a mobile home transfers or assigns the owner's title or interest to the mobile home, the owner shall indorse an assignment of the mobile home with warranty of title with a statement of all security interests in the mobile home, and shall cause the certificate to be mailed or delivered to the department or to the purchaser or transferee at the time of the delivery to the purchaser or transferee of the mobile home.
- (2) Upon the delivery of a mobile home and the transfer, sale, or assignment of the title or interest in a mobile home, the effective date of the transfer of title or interest shall be the date of execution of either the application for title or the certificate of title.

- (3) The purchaser or transferee, unless the purchaser or transferee is a licensed dealer, shall cause to be presented to the department the certificate of title accompanied by the applicable fee, as follows:
  - (a) Except as provided in subdivision (b) or (c), \$45.00.
- (b) Except as provided in subdivision (c), \$15.00, if the sale, assignment, or other transfer will require the addition or deletion from the certificate of title of any of the following:
  - (i) The owner's spouse.
  - (ii) A person related to the owner within the fourth degree of consanguinity as computed by the civil law method.
- (iii) A person related to the owner's spouse within the fourth degree of consanguinity as computed by the civil law method.
  - (c) Any other lesser amount established pursuant to section 9(5).
- (4) Upon presentation of the certificate of title accompanied by the applicable fee, a new certificate of title shall be issued. A certificate of title issued under subsection (3) and this subsection shall be mailed or delivered to the owner or any other person the owner may direct in a separate instrument in a form as prescribed by the department.
  - (5) If a security interest is reserved or created at the time of the transfer, the parties shall comply with section 30d.
- (6) If the transferee of a mobile home is a mobile home dealer who holds the mobile home for resale, the dealer shall not be required to forward the certificate of title to the department, but the dealer shall retain possession of the assigned certificate of title. Upon transfer of the dealer's title or interest to another person, the dealer shall execute and acknowledge an assignment and warranty of title upon the certificate of title and deliver it to the person to whom the transfer is made if the person is a licensed dealer; otherwise application for a new title shall be made by the transferor as provided in section 30a(1).

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This act is ordered to take immediate effect.	Say Exampal
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