SENATE BILL No. 1062

January 24, 2008, Introduced by Senators SANBORN and WHITMER and referred to the Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions.

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 235 (MCL 208.1235).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 235. (1) Each EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED UNDER

 SUBSECTION (4), EACH insurance company shall pay a tax determined

 under this chapter.
 - (2) The tax imposed by this chapter on each insurance company shall be a tax equal to 1.25% of gross direct premiums written on property or risk located or residing in this state. Direct premiums do not include any of the following:
 - (a) Premiums on policies not taken.

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- (b) Returned premiums on canceled policies.
- (c) Receipts from the sale of annuities.

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- 1 (d) Receipts on reinsurance premiums if the tax has been paid
- 2 on the original premiums.
- 3 (e) The first \$190,000,000.00 of disability insurance premiums
- 4 written in this state, other than credit insurance and disability
- 5 income insurance premiums, of each insurance company subject to tax
- 6 under this chapter. This exemption shall be reduced by \$2.00 for
- 7 each \$1.00 by which the insurance company's gross direct premiums
- 8 from insurance carrier services in this state and outside this
- 9 state exceed \$280,000,000.00.
- 10 (3) The tax calculated under this chapter is in lieu of all
- 11 other privilege or franchise fees or taxes imposed by this act or
- 12 any other law of this state, except taxes on real and personal
- 13 property, taxes collected under the general sales tax act, 1933 PA
- 14 167, MCL 205.1 to 205.78, and taxes collected under the use tax
- 15 act, 1937 PA 94, MCL 205.91 to 205.111, and except as otherwise
- 16 provided in the insurance code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.100 to
- **17** 500.8302.
- 18 (4) THE TAX IMPOSED AND LEVIED UNDER THIS ACT DOES NOT APPLY
- 19 TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY AUTHORIZED UNDER CHAPTER 46 OR 47 OF THE
- 20 INSURANCE CODE OF 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.4601 TO 500.4673, AND
- 21 MCL 500.4701 TO 500.4747.
- 22 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 23 unless Senate Bill No. 1061
- of the 94th Legislature is enacted into law.