

SENATE BILL No. 1245

March 27, 2008, Introduced by Senators JACOBS, ANDERSON, CHERRY, OLSHOVE, GLEASON, GARCIA, CLARK-COLEMAN and WHITMER and referred to the Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities.

A bill to amend 1971 PA 227, entitled

"An act to prescribe the rights and duties of parties to home solicitation sales; to regulate certain telephone solicitation; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state officers and entities; and to prescribe penalties and remedies,"

by amending section 1b (MCL 445.111b), as added by 2002 PA 612.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1b. (1) At the beginning of a telephone solicitation, a
2 person making a telephone solicitation to a residential telephone
3 subscriber shall state his or her name and the full name of the
4 organization or other person on whose behalf the call was initiated
5 and provide a telephone number of the organization or other person
6 on request. A natural person must be available to answer the
7 telephone number at any time when telephone solicitations are being

1 made.

2 (2) The person answering the telephone number required under
3 subsection (1) shall provide a residential telephone subscriber
4 calling the telephone number with information describing the
5 organization or other person on whose behalf the telephone
6 solicitation was made to the residential telephone subscriber and
7 describing the telephone solicitation.

8 (3) A telephone solicitor **SHALL TRANSMIT CALLER IDENTIFICATION**
9 **INFORMATION WHEN IT MAKES A TELEPHONE SOLICITATION AND** shall not
10 intentionally block, **TRANSMIT "PRIVATE", "UNKNOWN NAME", OR**
11 **"UNKNOWN NUMBER",** or otherwise interfere with the caller ID
12 function on the telephone of a ~~THE~~ residential telephone subscriber
13 to whom a ~~THE~~ telephone solicitation is made so that the telephone
14 number **OR NAME** of the ~~caller~~ **TELEPHONE SOLICITOR** is not displayed
15 on the telephone of the residential telephone subscriber.