

# SENATE BILL No. 1292

May 7, 2008, Introduced by Senators SCHAUER, GLEASON, JACOBS, THOMAS, CLARK-COLEMAN, SCOTT, SWITALSKI, BASHAM, PRUSI, CHERRY, OLSHOVE, ANDERSON, BRATER, CLARKE, BARCIA, WHITMER and HUNTER and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Reform.

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled  
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"  
(MCL 600.101 to 600.9947) by adding section 2170.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 2170. (1) IN A COURT ACTION OR PROCEEDING IN THIS STATE,  
2        THE TESTIMONY OF A WITNESS WHO IS A VULNERABLE ADULT MAY BE  
3        PRESENTED TO THE COURT OR JURY BY CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION, VIDEO  
4        RECORDING, OR OTHER SIMILAR MEANS.

5        (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "VULNERABLE ADULT" MEANS THAT  
6        TERMS AS DEFINED IN SECTION 145M OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE, 1931  
7        PA 328, MCL 750.145M.