

HOUSE BILL No. 5224

August 4, 2009, Introduced by Rep. Opsommer and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1899 PA 44, entitled

"An act to provide for the publication and distribution of publications, laws, and documents, reports of the several officers, boards of officers and public institutions of this state now or hereafter to be published; to provide for the replacing of publications lost by fire or otherwise; to provide for the publication and distribution of the Michigan manual; to provide for duties of certain state and local government departments and agencies; to establish certain funds; and to provide for certain penalties and remedies,"

by amending sections 2, 6, 30, and 37 (MCL 24.2, 24.6, 24.30, and 24.37), section 2 as amended by 2004 PA 15, section 6 as amended by 1983 PA 97, and sections 30 and 37 as amended by 1995 PA 179.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 2. (1) The legislative service bureau, at the direction
2 of the legislative council, shall publish ~~at least 1 print copy of~~
3 ~~the publication containing~~ the public and local acts of each

1 session of the legislature. The legislative service bureau shall
 2 also make the publication containing the public and local acts of
 3 each session of the legislature available on the internet.

4 (2) ~~There~~ **THE LEGISLATIVE SERVICE BUREAU** may ~~be published~~
 5 **PUBLISH** additional copies of the public and local acts as the
 6 legislative service bureau, upon the direction of the legislative
 7 council, considers necessary. Unless otherwise directed by the
 8 legislative service bureau, these copies shall be deposited with
 9 the department of management and budget for sale and future
 10 distribution.

11 (3) The legislative service bureau may prepare, at not less
 12 than the actual cost, reprints of laws upon particular subjects for
 13 printing and distribution. The department of treasury shall publish
 14 and distribute all pamphlets of the general tax law or of all other
 15 laws relating to the revenues of the state.

16 (4) As used in this section, "publication" or ~~"published"~~
 17 **"PUBLISH"** means the production and dissemination of information in
 18 print, microfilm, microfiche, or electronic form.

19 Sec. 6. (1) The official journal of the senate and house of
 20 representatives shall be printed in highland type or equivalent,
 21 ~~same size of page as that of the journals of 1929, and not to~~
 22 ~~exceed 500 copies shall be printed and bound, in volumes of~~
 23 convenient size, to supply the following with 1 copy each:

24 (a) Each principal state department.

25 (b) ~~The members of the legislature~~ **MAJORITY AND MINORITY**
 26 **LEADERS OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER AND THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE**
 27 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY FLOOR**

1 **LEADERS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES** of the year when
 2 the journals are issued, the secretary, assistant secretary, and
 3 clerks of the senate, ~~and the clerk and assistant clerks of the~~
 4 house of representatives, and the legislative service bureau.

5 (c) The library of congress.

6 (d) The clerk of the state supreme court.

7 ~~—— (e) State supported universities or colleges.~~

8 ~~—— (f) Private universities and colleges in this state, upon~~
 9 ~~written request to the secretary of the senate or the clerk of the~~
 10 ~~house of representatives, or both.~~

11 (2) Additional copies may be ~~provided~~ **SOLD** to **UNIVERSITIES OR**
 12 **COLLEGES IN THIS STATE OR** any other governmental officers and
 13 agencies and libraries, when approved by the secretary of the
 14 senate or the clerk of the house of representatives, or both. ~~The~~
 15 ~~surplus supply shall be deposited with the department of management~~
 16 ~~and budget, to supply future demands.~~ **THE ADDITIONAL COPIES SHALL**
 17 **BE SOLD AT A PRICE NOT TO EXCEED THE COST OF PREPARATION AND**
 18 **DISTRIBUTION.**

19 Sec. 30. (1) The legislative service bureau shall publish
 20 sufficient copies of the "Michigan Manual", ~~to be distributed as~~
 21 ~~provided in subsection (2) and as directed by the legislative~~
 22 council.

23 ~~—— (2) The department of management and budget shall deliver the~~
 24 ~~following number of copies to the following persons:~~

25 ~~—— (a) Members of the senate, 1.~~

26 ~~—— (b) Members of the house, 1.~~

27 (2) ~~(3)~~ The legislative service bureau shall determine a price

per publication copy not to exceed the cost of preparation and distribution and, unless directed otherwise by the legislative service bureau, the department of management and budget shall sell the copies of the publication. ~~not distributed pursuant to subsection (2).~~

(3) ~~(4)~~—The Michigan manual fund is created in the state treasury and shall be administered by the legislative council. Any money received from the sale of the Michigan manual shall be deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the Michigan manual fund and shall be used to pay the costs of preparing and distributing the Michigan manual.

(4) ~~(5)~~—As used in this section, "publication" or "~~published~~" "**PUBLISH**" means the production and dissemination of information in print, microfilm, microfiche, or electronic form.

(5) ~~(6)~~—The legislative service bureau, under section 25(nn), shall include in the Michigan manual the United States constitution, including amendments, unless otherwise specifically directed by the legislative council.

Sec. 37. (1) A sufficient number of publications of the Michigan compiled laws shall be provided to the department of management and budget for ~~distribution as follows:~~

~~—(a) One~~ 1 publication copy to **BE DISTRIBUTED TO** each member of the legislature, **IF REQUESTED**.

~~—(b) Forty publication copies to the secretary of the state senate for use as desk copies by the members of the senate.~~

~~—(c) One hundred fourteen publication copies to the clerk of the state house of representatives for use as desk copies by the~~

1 ~~members of the house of representatives.~~

2 (2) Unless directed otherwise by the legislative service
3 bureau, the department of management and budget may sell copies of
4 the Michigan compiled laws at a price determined by the legislative
5 service bureau **AT OR ABOVE THE COST OF PREPARATION AND**
6 **DISTRIBUTION.**

7 (3) As used in this section, "publication" ~~or "published"~~
8 means the production and dissemination of information in print,
9 microfilm, microfiche, or electronic form.