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HOUSE BILL No. 5468

September 25, 2009, Introduced by Reps. Haveman, Stanley, Crawford, Hansen, Lund, Bolger, Walsh and Meekhof and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 2000 PA 305, entitled "Uniform electronic transactions act," by amending section 7 (MCL 450.837).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 7. (1) A record or signature shall not be denied legal
- 2 effect or enforceability solely because it is in electronic form.
- 3 (2) A contract shall not be denied legal effect or
- 4 enforceability solely because an electronic record was used in its
- 5 formation.
 - (3) If a law requires a record to be in writing, an electronic record satisfies the law.
 - (4) If a law requires a signature, an electronic signature satisfies the law.
 - (5) A JUDGMENT OR ORDER OF A COURT SHALL NOT BE DENIED LEGAL

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- 1 EFFECT OR ENFORCEABILITY SOLELY BECAUSE AN ELECTRONIC RECORD WAS
- 2 USED IN ITS FORMATION OR AN ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE WAS PLACED ON THE
- 3 JUDGMENT OR ORDER.