

# SENATE BILL No. 353

March 10, 2009, Introduced by Senators ANDERSON, BASHAM and PRUSI and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to authorize local units of government to fingerprint applicants or licensees in certain occupations for the purpose of receiving criminal history record information from the department of state police and the federal bureau of investigation; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and officers; and to provide for the collection of fees.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 1. (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
2 contrary, a local unit of government may by ordinance require the  
3 fingerprinting of applicants or licensees in certain occupations  
4 for the purpose of obtaining criminal history record information on  
5 those applicants or licensees. Fingerprints obtained pursuant to  
6 this act may be submitted by the local unit of government to the  
7 department of state police for a state criminal history record

1 check and, if necessary, to the federal bureau of investigation for  
2 a national criminal history record check.

3 (2) The department of state police shall serve as the sole  
4 source for receiving fingerprint submissions from local units of  
5 government and for receiving the responses to those fingerprint  
6 submissions from the federal bureau of investigation. The criminal  
7 history record check information obtained by the department of  
8 state police shall be disseminated to the local unit of government.

9 (3) The appropriate fees for a state and national criminal  
10 history record check shall be transmitted by the local unit of  
11 government to the department of state police.

12 (4) As used in this act, "local unit of government" means a  
13 county, city, village, township, or charter township.