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Senate Bill 56 (as introduced 1-25-11)

Sponsor: Senator John J. Gleason

Committee: Transportation

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Memorial Highway Act to designate highway M-21 beginning at its intersection with I-75 in Genesee County and continuing east to its intersection with I-475 as the "Mark V. Ingram II Freeway".

Proposed MCL 250.1059

BACKGROUND

Mark V. Ingram II is a former running back for the University of Alabama, where he won the 2009 Heisman Trophy as a sophomore. He grew up in Flint, Michigan, and attended high school at Southwestern Academy, where he was ranked as the 17th best athlete in the nation and the 6th best athlete in Michigan by Rivals.com, according to information on the University of Alabama website. Ingram received a number of honors and awards after the Alabama Crimson Tide won its 13th National Football Championship in 2009.

Legislative Analyst: Julie Cassidy

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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