

SENATE BILL No. 585

September 7, 2011, Introduced by Senator GLEASON and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Elections.

A bill to amend 1966 PA 261, entitled

"An act to provide for the apportionment of county boards of commissioners; to prescribe the size of the board; to provide for appeals; to prescribe the manner of election of the members of the county board of commissioners; to provide for compensation of members; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 46.403).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 3. (1) The county apportionment commission shall consist
2 of the county clerk, the county treasurer, the prosecuting
3 attorney, and the statutory county chairperson of each of the 2
4 political parties receiving the greatest number of votes cast for
5 the office of secretary of state in the last preceding general
6 election. If a county does not have a statutory chairperson of a
7 political party, the 2 additional members shall be a party

1 representative from each of the 2 political parties receiving the
2 greatest number of votes cast for the office of secretary of state
3 in the last preceding general election and appointed by the
4 chairperson of the state central committee for each of the
5 political parties. The clerk shall convene the **COUNTY** apportionment
6 commission and they shall adopt their rules of procedure. Three
7 members of the **COUNTY** apportionment commission shall be a quorum
8 sufficient to conduct its business. All action of the **COUNTY**
9 apportionment commission shall be by majority vote of the
10 commission.

11 (2) The business ~~which~~ **THAT** the **COUNTY** apportionment
12 commission may perform shall be conducted at a public meeting held
13 in compliance with ~~Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976, being~~
14 ~~sections 15.261 to 15.275 of the Michigan Compiled Laws~~ **THE OPEN**
15 **MEETINGS ACT, 1976 PA 267, MCL 15.261 TO 15.275.** Public notice of
16 the time, date, and place of the meeting shall be given in the
17 manner required by ~~Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976~~ **THE OPEN**
18 **MEETINGS ACT, 1976 PA 267, MCL 15.261 TO 15.275.**

19 (3) A writing prepared, owned, used, in the possession of, or
20 retained by the **COUNTY APPORTIONMENT** commission in the performance
21 of an official function shall be made available to the public in
22 compliance with ~~Act No. 442 of the Public Acts of 1976, being~~
23 ~~sections 15.231 to 15.246 of the Michigan Compiled Laws~~ **THE FREEDOM**
24 **OF INFORMATION ACT, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 TO 15.246.**

25 (4) **IN ADDITION TO THE DUTIES PROVIDED IN THIS ACT, THE DUTIES**
26 **OF THE COUNTY APPORTIONMENT COMMISSION INCLUDE ESTABLISHING SINGLE-**
27 **MEMBER COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION DISTRICTS AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 6 OF**

1 **CHAPTER IV OF 1909 PA 283, MCL 224.6.**

2 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
3 unless all of the following bills of the 96th Legislature are
4 enacted into law:

5 (a) Senate Bill No. 587.

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7 (b) Senate Bill No. 586.

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