

# HOUSE BILL No. 5784

September 9, 2014, Introduced by Rep. Stamas and referred to the Committee on Oversight.

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 1, 2, 24, 25, 30, and 32 (MCL 24.1, 24.2, 24.24, 24.25, 24.30, and 24.32), sections 1 and 30 as amended by 1995 PA 179, section 2 as amended by 2004 PA 15, and sections 24, 25, and 32 as amended by 1988 PA 185; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 1. (1) The legislative service bureau, under the

direction of the legislative council, shall, as soon as practicable after the close of any session of the legislature, carefully examine, classify, assign compilation numbers to, **AND** catchline ~~and index~~ the acts passed and prepare them for publication by the legislative service bureau. The publication shall include the following:

~~—— (a) A title, preface, and table of contents.~~

(A) ~~(b)~~ All acts of a general character ~~which~~ **THAT** affect the people of the whole state.

(B) ~~(c)~~ All joint resolutions.

(C) ~~(d)~~ All amendments to the state constitution of 1963 adopted after the publication of the acts of the last preceding session of the legislature.

(D) ~~(e)~~ All acts of a local or municipal character ~~which~~ **THAT** do not affect the people of the whole state.

(E) ~~(f)~~ All initiated laws.

(F) ~~(g)~~ All veto messages of the governor.

(G) ~~(h)~~ All executive orders by which the governor makes changes in the organization of the executive branch or in the assignment of functions among ~~its~~ **THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH'S** units ~~which~~ **THAT** require the force of law.

(H) ~~(i)~~ Abstracts of proceedings of boards of supervisors organizing new townships, consolidating townships, or changing the boundaries of townships, received and filed in the office of the secretary of state after the publication of the acts of the previous session of the legislature.

(I) ~~(j)~~ Abstracts of proceedings relative to incorporation

1 and change of boundaries of cities and villages filed in the  
 2 office of the secretary of state after the publication of the  
 3 acts of the previous session of the legislature.

4 (J) ~~(k)~~ Abstracts of proceedings relative to the  
 5 incorporation of charter townships filed in the office of the  
 6 secretary of state after the publication of the acts of the  
 7 previous session of the legislature.

8 (K) ~~(l)~~ A certificate of the secretary of state setting forth  
 9 the date of the final adjournment of the legislative session at  
 10 which the acts published were enacted, and setting forth in the  
 11 same certificate the date upon which all ~~such~~ **THOSE** acts, not  
 12 given immediate effect or carrying an effective date, ~~shall take~~  
 13 effect according to the state constitution of 1963.

14 (L) ~~(m)~~ That part of the annual report of the state treasurer  
 15 for the latest completed fiscal year ~~as shall give~~ **THAT GIVES** an  
 16 accurate account of the receipts and expenditures of public  
 17 money.

18 (M) ~~(n)~~ The Michigan compiled laws table.

19 ~~(o) An index.~~

20 ~~(2) The legislative service bureau, under the direction of~~  
 21 ~~the legislative council, shall include each final adopted~~  
 22 ~~apportionment and districting plan with the public and local acts~~  
 23 ~~of the first regular session following the date on which the plan~~  
 24 ~~becomes law.~~

25 ~~(3) The items described in subsections (1) and (2) shall be~~  
 26 ~~published with the following title text:~~

1 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ "PUBLIC AND LOCAL ACTS~~  
 2 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ MICHIGAN~~  
 3 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ SESSION OF....."~~  
 4 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (YEAR)~~

5 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (4) The public and local acts shall be sequentially arranged~~  
 6 ~~by act number, with boldfaced compilation numbers and catchlines~~  
 7 ~~of a style similar to compilation numbers and catchlines in the~~  
 8 ~~Michigan Compiled Laws. The senate or house of representatives~~  
 9 ~~bill number of each public or local act shall appear in~~  
 10 ~~parentheses in boldfaced type immediately below the act number.~~  
 11 ~~In cases where a section appearing in the last preceding~~  
 12 ~~compilation of the general laws has been amended, the catchline~~  
 13 ~~of that section shall contain the compilation number given to~~  
 14 ~~that section in the compilation and that number shall be in~~  
 15 ~~boldfaced type. The corresponding citation to the Michigan~~  
 16 ~~statutes annotated shall be placed in brackets in boldface~~  
 17 ~~immediately following and as part of the catchline to each~~  
 18 ~~section. Cardinal numerals shall be printed in figures and not~~  
 19 ~~written out, except when a sentence begins with a cardinal~~  
 20 ~~numeral.~~

21 (2) ~~(5)~~ As used in this section, "publication" or  
 22 "published" means the production and dissemination of information  
 23 in print, microfilm, microfiche, or electronic form.

24 Sec. 2. (1) The legislative service bureau, at the direction  
 25 of the legislative council, shall publish at least 1 print copy  
 26 of the publication containing the public and local acts of each  
 27 session of the legislature. The legislative service bureau shall

1 also make the publication containing the public and local acts of  
2 each session of the legislature available on the internet.

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

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

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

18       Sec. 24. (1) The legislative service bureau, under the  
19 direction of the legislative council, shall prepare and publish  
20 biennially an official state manual to be known as the "Michigan  
21 Manual", to be distributed ~~by the department of management and~~  
22 ~~budget~~ to the persons and officers named in this act, which shall  
23 be ready for distribution before December 2 of each odd-numbered  
24 year.

25       (2) The secretary of state shall provide the legislative  
26 service bureau with voting results and statistics adequate for  
27 the bureau to provide the voting information required by section

1 25.

2 (3) The secretary of state shall deliver the voter  
3 information required by subsection (2) in time to allow the  
4 legislative service bureau to meet the publication date in  
5 subsection (1).

6 Sec. 25. The Michigan manual shall contain the following:

7 (a) The constitution of the state of Michigan and a list of  
8 amendments proposed, adopted, and rejected; the method of  
9 proposal and the vote thereon; the vote by which the state  
10 constitution was adopted; and the vote on constitutional  
11 revision.

12 ~~—— (b) A list of post offices in Michigan.~~

13 ~~—— (c) A list of newspapers in Michigan.~~

14 ~~—— (d) The latest statistics of educational, mental, medical,~~  
15 ~~reformatory, and penal institutions of the state, arranged in~~  
16 ~~such a way as to show the cost of conducting each of those~~  
17 ~~institutions during the immediately preceding 2 fiscal years;~~  
18 ~~salary of officers; the amount of legislative appropriations;~~  
19 ~~receipts from all other sources; all expenditures and for what~~  
20 ~~purposes; and showing the number of students, patients, or~~  
21 ~~convicts, according to the nature of each institution, and the~~  
22 ~~instruction or employment given in each.~~

23 ~~—— (e) A table of valuation of taxable property in the counties~~  
24 ~~of the state as fixed by the state board of equalization for each~~  
25 ~~of the latest 2 years.~~

26 (B) ~~(f)~~ The names, ages, occupations, residences, politics,  
27 and prior legislative service of the members of both houses of

1 the legislature, and the names and residences of their officers.

2 (C) ~~(g)~~—The names and residences of state officers and  
3 members of state boards and state institutions.

4 (D) ~~(h)~~—A list of standing committees of both houses of the  
5 legislature.

6 (E) ~~(i)~~—Representation by counties of members of both houses  
7 of the legislature.

8 (F) ~~(j)~~—A list of former officials of the United States from  
9 Michigan.**THIS STATE.**

10 (G) ~~(k)~~—A list of former state officials of Michigan.**THIS**  
11 **STATE** showing their county of residence.

12 (H) ~~(l)~~—The names of officers and delegates to the  
13 constitutional conventions of Michigan.**THIS STATE.**

14 (I) ~~(m)~~—The judicial systems of Michigan.**THIS STATE.**

15 ———~~(n) The state judiciary.~~

16 (J) ~~(o)~~—The territory and population of judicial circuits.

17 ———~~(p) The names and dates of public holidays.~~

18 ———~~(q) The report of the state treasurer.~~

19 (K) ~~(r)~~—Statistics of the public school system of  
20 Michigan.**THIS STATE.**

21 ———~~(s) A list of names and addresses of intermediate school~~  
22 ~~districts in Michigan, showing the counties where they are~~  
23 ~~located.~~

24 (L) ~~(t)~~—Statistics of former legislatures of Michigan,**THIS**  
25 **STATE**, giving length of session, number of laws enacted, number  
26 of joint resolutions, total membership, and politics.

27 ———~~(u) Names of members of former Michigan legislatures sitting~~

1 ~~within the latest 10 years, giving post office addresses at time~~  
 2 ~~of membership, districts, and terms.~~

3 (M) ~~(v)~~ Names of speakers and speakers pro tem of all former  
 4 houses of representatives, with districts from which chosen, ~~and~~  
 5 counties of residence, and terms **OF SERVICE.**

6 (N) ~~(w)~~ Names of all former clerks of the house of  
 7 representatives, with post-office addresses at time chosen and  
 8 terms **OF SERVICE.**

9 (O) ~~(x)~~ Names of presidents pro tem of the senate of all  
 10 former legislatures of ~~Michigan,~~ **THIS STATE**, with districts from  
 11 which chosen, counties of residence, and terms of service.

12 (P) ~~(y)~~ Names of all former secretaries of the senate, with  
 13 post-office addresses at time chosen and terms of service.

14 (Q) ~~(z)~~ Names of former ~~Michigan~~ members of **THE** United  
 15 States senate **FROM THIS STATE** with dates of election and years of  
 16 service arranged to show a history of occupancy of each of the 2  
 17 seats.

18 (R) ~~(aa)~~ Names of former ~~Michigan~~ members of the United  
 19 States house of representatives **FROM THIS STATE**, with dates of  
 20 election and years of service.

21 ~~—— (bb) Lists of miscellaneous state associations, officers,~~  
 22 ~~and their residences.~~

23 (S) ~~(cc)~~ Congressional, senatorial, and representative  
 24 districts, with the territory and population thereof. **OF THOSE**  
 25 **DISTRICTS.**

26 ~~—— (dd) A list of county officers elected at the preceding~~  
 27 ~~November election.~~

(T) ~~(ee)~~—The official canvass of votes cast at the preceding primary election for governor, lieutenant governor, United States senator, members of congress, and members of the legislature.

(U) ~~(ff)~~—The official canvass of votes cast at the preceding November election for electors of president and vice president of the United States, state officers, members of the legislature, United States senator, members of congress, and of proposals submitted to the people.

(V) ~~(gg)~~—A summary of votes cast at the preceding November election for state officers.

(W) ~~(hh)~~—A summary of votes cast for all governors of Michigan.**THIS STATE.**

~~(ii) The official canvass of votes cast at the April election in the biennium for which the manual is issued, for state officers, justices of the supreme court, and circuit judges.~~

(X) ~~(jj)~~—A descriptive summary of the duties of the several departments of the state government.

(Y) ~~(kk)~~—A descriptive outline of the organization of the military department.

~~(ll) A complete list of all departments, boards, commissions, and agencies of the state government, including special commissions created by executive authority and all ex officio boards, setting forth by reference the authority for their creation, whether constitutional, statutory, executive order, or other authority.~~

(Z) ~~(mm)~~—Biographical sketches of present United States

1 senators from Michigan, ~~THIS STATE~~, members of ~~national~~ ~~THE~~  
 2 ~~UNITED STATES~~ house of representatives from Michigan, ~~THIS STATE~~,  
 3 members of the state legislature, and elective state officers.

4 (AA) THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION, INCLUDING AMENDMENTS,  
 5 UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY DIRECTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE  
 6 COUNCIL.

7 (BB) ~~(nn)~~ Any other matter considered essential by the  
 8 legislative service bureau if adequate funding is available.

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

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

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

16 ~~— (b) Members of the house, 1.~~

17 (2) ~~(3)~~ The legislative service bureau shall determine a  
 18 price per publication copy not to exceed the cost of preparation  
 19 and distribution and ~~, unless directed otherwise by the~~  
 20 ~~legislative service bureau, the department of management and~~  
 21 ~~budget shall sell the copies of the publication not distributed~~  
 22 pursuant to subsection ~~(2)~~ ~~(1)~~.

23 (3) ~~(4)~~ The Michigan manual fund is created in the state  
 24 treasury and shall be administered by the legislative council.  
 25 Any money received from the sale of the Michigan manual shall be  
 26 deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the Michigan  
 27 manual fund and shall be used to pay the costs of preparing and

1 distributing the Michigan manual.

2       (4) ~~(5)~~ As used in this section, "publication" or  
3 ~~"published"~~ **"PUBLISH"** means the production and dissemination of  
4 information in print, microfilm, microfiche, or electronic form.

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

9       Sec. 32. ~~The county superintendents of schools shall~~  
10 ~~distribute all copies of the "Michigan Manual" to the schools in~~  
11 ~~their respective counties, as provided in section 30 of this act~~  
12 ~~and insure that the copies are kept for the use of such schools.~~  
13 The secretary of state shall direct and oversee the prompt  
14 distribution of the documents and reports mentioned in this act,  
15 distribution of which is not otherwise provided for; and ~~such~~  
16 **THOSE** documents and reports shall be shipped to the several  
17 county clerks and county superintendents of schools in the state,  
18 and be distributed by them to the persons within their respective  
19 counties entitled to the same, and until so distributed, they  
20 shall be carefully preserved by the county clerks and county  
21 superintendents of schools.

22       Enacting section 1. Sections 5 and 37 of 1899 PA 44, MCL  
23 24.5 and 24.37, are repealed.