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SENATE BILL No. 1165

December 4, 2014, Introduced by Senator ROBERTSON and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law,"

by amending section 590f (MCL 168.590f), as amended by 2002 PA 163.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 590f. (1) Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3), sections 544c, 545, **547**, 552, 553, 555, 556, and 558 are applicable to a qualifying petition, a person filing a qualifying petition, and an officer receiving a qualifying petition.
 - (2) The board of state canvassers shall canvass a qualifying petition filed with the secretary of state and shall make an official declaration of the sufficiency or insufficiency of the qualifying petition at least 60 days before the election. A hearing under this subsection by the board of state canvassers shall be held as provided in section 552.

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(3) A filing officer who receives a qualifying petition from a 1 2 candidate who has met the requirements of this act shall certify to the proper board or boards of election commissioners the 3 4 candidate's name, post office address, and office sought. If the election for the office is held at the general election, the filing 5 officer shall make the certification not later than 60 days before 7 the general election. Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect 8 unless all of the following bills of the 97th Legislature are enacted into law: 10 11 (a) Senate Bill No.1167. 12 (b) Senate Bill No.1161. 13 14 (c) Senate Bill No.1163. 15 16 17 (d) Senate Bill No.1164.

(e) Senate Bill No.1166.

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