

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 84

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled  
"Michigan vehicle code,"  
(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 811aa.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 811AA. (1) NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 1, 2015, THE SECRETARY  
2        OF STATE SHALL DEVELOP UNDER SECTION 811E AND ISSUE UNDER SECTION  
3        811F A FUND-RAISING PLATE RECOGNIZING THE CHOOSE LIFE MICHIGAN  
4        FUND. THE SECRETARY OF STATE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE BOARD OF THE  
5        CHOOSE LIFE MICHIGAN FUND, SHALL DESIGN THE FUND-RAISING PLATES  
6        AUTHORIZED IN THIS SECTION.

7        (2) THE CHOOSE LIFE FUND IS CREATED WITHIN THE STATE TREASURY.  
8        THE STATE TREASURER MAY RECEIVE MONEY OR OTHER ASSETS FROM ANY  
9        SOURCE FOR DEPOSIT INTO THE FUND. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL DIRECT

1 THE INVESTMENT OF THE FUND. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT TO THE  
2 FUND INTEREST AND EARNINGS FROM FUND INVESTMENTS. MONEY IN THE FUND  
3 AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND AND SHALL  
4 NOT LAPSE TO THE GENERAL FUND.

5 (3) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL TRANSFER THE DONATION MONEY  
6 FROM THE SALE OF FUND-RAISING PLATES RECOGNIZING THE CHOOSE LIFE  
7 MICHIGAN FUND TO THE STATE TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT THE DONATION  
8 MONEY TO THE CHOOSE LIFE FUND CREATED UNDER SUBSECTION (2).

9 (4) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL DISBURSE MONEY IN THE CHOOSE  
10 LIFE FUND CREATED UNDER SUBSECTION (2) ON AN ANNUAL BASIS TO THE  
11 CHOOSE LIFE MICHIGAN FUND.

12 (5) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL BE THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE  
13 CHOOSE LIFE FUND CREATED UNDER SUBSECTION (2) FOR AUDITING  
14 PURPOSES.

15 (6) MONEY DISBURSED TO THE CHOOSE LIFE MICHIGAN FUND UNDER  
16 THIS SECTION SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT  
17 ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3)  
18 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, 26 USC 501, TO BE EXPENDED ON  
19 PROJECTS THAT PROMOTE ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION. AS USED IN THIS  
20 SUBSECTION:

21 (A) "ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS" INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT  
22 LIMITED TO, CRISIS PREGNANCY CENTERS, HOMES FOR PREGNANT WOMEN, AND  
23 OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE PRACTICAL SUPPORT TO PREGNANT  
24 WOMEN, PROVIDE PRACTICAL OUTREACH TO AT-RISK POPULATIONS, AND  
25 PROMOTE LIFE-SAVING PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS AS ALTERNATIVES TO  
26 ABORTION.

27 (B) "PROJECTS THAT PROMOTE ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION" INCLUDES,

1 BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, MEDIA CAMPAIGNS, SPECIALTY OUTREACHES TO AT-  
2 RISK POPULATIONS, INCLUDING MINORITIES, TEENAGERS, COLLEGE-AGED  
3 WOMEN, POST-ABORTIVE WOMEN, AND CAMPAIGNS TO PROMOTE ADOPTION.

4 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days  
5 after the date it is enacted into law.