SENATE BILL No. 328

May 12, 2015, Introduced by Senator SCHUITMAKER and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1935 PA 59, entitled

"An act to provide for the public safety; to create the Michigan state police, and provide for the organization thereof; to transfer thereto the offices, duties and powers of the state fire marshal, the state oil inspector, the department of the Michigan state police as heretofore organized, and the department of public safety; to create the office of commissioner of the Michigan state police; to provide for an acting commissioner and for the appointment of the officers and members of said department; to prescribe their powers, duties, and immunities; to provide the manner of fixing their compensation; to provide for their removal from office; and to repeal Act No. 26 of the Public Acts of 1919, being sections 556 to 562, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1929, and Act No. 123 of the Public Acts of 1921, as amended, being sections 545 to 555, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1929,"

by amending section 8 (MCL 28.8).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 8. The grades and duties of the officers of the
- 2 department shall be ARE colonel, lieutenant colonel, major,
- 3 captain, INSPECTOR, lieutenant, sergeant, trooper, and policewoman.
- **RECRUIT.** The officers shall be authorized to MAY carry arms either

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- 1 openly or concealed. Every member of the department shall be IS
- 2 subject to orders at any time, AND the officers shall OF THE
- 3 DEPARTMENT at all times have the authority to apprehend criminals
- 4 and preserve law and order. Officers WHEN TRAVELING ON DUTY,
- 5 OFFICERS and civilian employees of the department when traveling on
- 6 duty shall be ARE entitled to transportation upon ON any railroad,
- 7 passenger steamboat line, airline, or passenger bus line —upon
- 8 presentation of a requisition for the transportation signed by the
- 9 director OF THE DEPARTMENT and the THOSE carriers shall be ARE
- 10 entitled to compensation for transportation furnished out of moneys
- 11 MONEY appropriated for the department.