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## **SENATE BILL No. 492**

September 16, 2015, Introduced by Senators BRANDENBURG, SMITH, PROOS, COLBECK, GREEN, HORN, KNOLLENBERG, HANSEN, ROBERTSON and STAMAS and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill to amend 1974 PA 269, entitled

"Franchise investment law,"

(MCL 445.1501 to 445.1546) by adding section 4b.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 4B. TO THE EXTENT ALLOCATION OF EMPLOYER RESPONSIBILITIES
- 2 BETWEEN THE FRANCHISOR AND FRANCHISEE IS PERMITTED BY LAW, THE
- 3 FRANCHISEE SHALL BE CONSIDERED THE SOLE EMPLOYER OF WORKERS FOR
- 4 WHOM IT PROVIDES A BENEFIT PLAN OR PAYS WAGES EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE
- 5 SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED IN THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT.
- Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
  - after the date it is enacted into law.