March 1, 2017, Introduced by Rep. Kesto and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 2015 PA 255, entitled "Uniform interstate family support act," by amending section 204 (MCL 552.2204).

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## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 204. (1) A tribunal of this state may exercise
  jurisdiction to establish a support order if the petition or
  comparable pleading is filed after a pleading is filed in another
  state or a foreign country only if 1—ALL of the following
  applies:APPLY:
  - (a) The petition or comparable pleading in this state is filed before the expiration of the time allowed in the other state or the foreign country for filing a responsive pleading challenging the exercise of jurisdiction by the other state or the foreign country.
  - (b) The contesting party timely challenges the exercise of jurisdiction in the other state or foreign country.

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- 1 (c) If relevant, this state is the home state of the child.
- 2 (2) A tribunal of this state may not exercise jurisdiction to
- 3 establish a support order if the petition or comparable pleading is
- 4 filed before a petition or comparable pleading is filed in another
- 5 state or a foreign country if all of the following apply:
- **6** (a) The petition or comparable pleading in the other state or
- 7 foreign country is filed before the expiration of the time allowed
- 8 in this state for filing a responsive pleading challenging the
- 9 exercise of jurisdiction by this state.
- 10 (b) The contesting party timely challenges the exercise of
- 11 jurisdiction in this state.
- 12 (c) If relevant, the other state or foreign country is the
- 13 home state of the child.
- 14 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 15 after the date it is enacted into law.

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