HOUSE BILL No. 5087

October 11, 2017, Introduced by Rep. Johnson and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled

"Michigan vehicle code,"

by amending section 805 (MCL 257.805), as amended by 2013 PA 82.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 805. (1) An applicant for the issuance or renewal of a
- 2 motor vehicle registration or for a replacement registration tab or
- 3 sticker may submit a state park and state-operated public boating
- 4 access site passport fee to the secretary of state with the
- 5 application. Subject to subsection (7), the amount of the
- 6 recreation passport fee is as follows:
- 7 (a) Except as provided in subdivision (b) OR (C), \$10.00.
- 8 (B) FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO OBTAINS A 2-YEAR VEHICLE
- PREGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 226(13), \$20.00.

- 1 (C) $\frac{\text{(b)}}{\text{For a motorcycle, }}$ \$5.00.
- 2 (2) In addition to the requirements of section 217, an
- 3 application for a motor vehicle registration shall contain at least
- 4 the following information, in substantially the following format
- 5 and language, except that the amount of the recreation passport fee
- 6 specified shall be \$20.00 FOR A VEHICLE REGISTERED FOR 2 YEARS
- 7 UNDER SECTION 226(13) AND \$5.00 for a motorcycle:
- 9 \$10.00 Annual authorization to use this vehicle for
- unlimited entry into all Michigan state parks
- and recreation areas and DNR-operated state
- 12 boating access sites. (Check one of the
- boxes below.)
- I elect to pay this \$10.00 fee.
- I elect not to pay this \$10.00 fee.
- 16 This vehicle will not be used to enter the
- facilities described above.
- 18 \$ Total amount due.
- 19 (3) The secretary of state may revise the format and language
- 20 of an application for motor vehicle registration to reflect the
- 21 fact that, under sections 74116 and 78119 of the natural resources
- 22 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.74116 and
- 23 324.78119, payment of the recreation passport fee authorizes entry
- 24 into all state parks and recreation areas and designated state-
- 25 operated public boating access sites until expiration of the motor
- 26 vehicle registration.
- 27 (4) If the applicant applies by mail and, in addition to the

- 1 registration fee, the applicant pays an amount equal to the
- 2 recreation passport fee, the applicant shall be considered to have
- 3 elected to pay the recreation passport fee regardless of whether
- 4 such an election is indicated on the application.
- 5 (5) Subsections (1) and (2) do not apply to any of the
- 6 following:
- 7 (a) An application submitted by a dealer under section 217 for
- 8 a vehicle sold, leased, or exchanged by the dealer.
- **9** (b) The issuance or renewal of a motor vehicle registration
- 10 described in section 803e(1) and exempt under section 803e(6) from
- 11 the registration tax or the issuance or renewal of a motor vehicle
- 12 registration described in section 217d or 803f.
- 13 (6) The secretary of state shall, at least monthly, transfer
- 14 the revenue from recreation passport fees to the department of
- 15 natural resources and environment for deposit as provided in
- 16 section 2045 of the natural resources and environmental protection
- 17 act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.2045.
- 18 (7) For each calendar year, the state treasurer shall adjust
- 19 the amounts set forth in subsection (1) by an amount determined by
- 20 the state treasurer to reflect the cumulative percentage change in
- 21 the consumer price index from October 1, 2010 to the October 1
- 22 immediately preceding that calendar year, using the most recent
- 23 data available and rounded to the nearest dollar.
- 24 (8) The legislature shall annually review the amount of
- 25 revenue raised by the recreation passport fee to ensure that the
- 26 amount is appropriate for the purposes for which the recreation
- 27 passport fee is assessed and in compliance with law.

- 1 (9) If the secretary of state issues a registration tab or
- 2 sticker for a registration plate or personalized registration plate
- 3 under section 224 or 803b for a motor vehicle for which a
- 4 recreation passport fee has been paid under this section, the tab
- 5 or sticker shall be marked in a distinctive manner determined by
- 6 the secretary of state after consultation with the director of the
- 7 department of natural resources and the department of state police.
- 8 Before discontinuing the issuance of a registration tab or sticker,
- 9 the secretary of state shall consult with the director of the
- 10 department of natural resources and establish an alternative method
- 11 or procedure by which the department of natural resources can
- 12 determine whether a recreation passport fee has been paid for a
- 13 motor vehicle.
- 14 (10) Whether or not an individual paid or indicated that he or
- 15 she elected to pay or not to pay a recreation passport fee under
- 16 this section is personal information for purposes of section 40b.
- 17 (11) As used in this section:
- 18 (a) "Consumer price index" means the most comprehensive index
- 19 of consumer prices available for this state from the bureau of
- 20 labor statistics of the United States department DEPARTMENT of
- 21 labor.LABOR.
- 22 (b) "Motor vehicle" does not include a commercial motor
- 23 vehicle.
- 24 (c) "Recreation passport fee" means the state park and state-
- 25 operated public boating access site recreation passport fee as
- 26 provided for in subsection (1).
- 27 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days

- 1 after the date it is enacted into law.
- 2 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 3 unless House Bill No. 4663 of the 99th Legislature is enacted into
- **4** law.