SENATE BILL No. 1107

September 5, 2018, Introduced by Senator STAMAS and referred to the Committee on Oversight.

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 2 (MCL 28.2).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 2. (1) There is created a—THE department of the state government which shall be known and designated as the Michigan state police, which shall consist CONSISTS of a director as its executive head, and of such officers and employees as may be

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- 1 appointed or employed in such THE department. The GOVERNOR SHALL
- 2 APPOINT THE director, shall be appointed by the governor, by and
- 3 with the advice and consent of the senate, and FROM AMONG QUALIFIED
- 4 AND LICENSED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO ARE EMPLOYED BY THE
- 5 DEPARTMENT, AND WHO HAVE SERVED AT LEAST 15 CUMULATIVE YEARS AS AN
- 6 OFFICER IN THE DEPARTMENT AND AT LEAST 5 YEARS AT OR ABOVE THE
- 7 LIEUTENANT GRADE IN THE DEPARTMENT. THE DIRECTOR shall hold office
- 8 during good behavior. The salary of the director shall be such as
- 9 shall be appropriated by the legislature. The director shall
- 10 execute the constitutional oath of office.
- 11 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 12 (A) "LICENSED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL
- 13 LICENSED UNDER THE MICHIGAN COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS
- 14 ACT, 1965 PA 203, MCL 28.601 TO 28.615.
- 15 (B) "LIEUTENANT GRADE" MEANS THE GRADE OF LIEUTENANT AS USED
- 16 IN SECTION 8.
- 17 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 18 after the date it is enacted into law.