

HOUSE BILL NO. 4659

May 22, 2019, Introduced by Reps. Kennedy, Brenda Carter, Whitsett, LaFave, Eisen, Cambensy and Cherry and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"
(MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 515.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 515. (1) The department shall install, by 1 year after
2 the enactment date of the 2019 amendatory act that added this
3 section, and maintain, at state park entrances, state park and
4 state forest campgrounds, and access points to state trails, signs
5 of a uniform design warning of both of the following:

6 (a) That ticks may be found in the area.



1 (b) That tick bites may result in Lyme disease or other tick-
2 borne diseases.

3 (2) As used in this section, "state trail" means a right-of-
4 way owned or operated by the department and adapted to hiking,
5 horseback riding, cross country skiing, bicycling, or snowmobile or
6 ORV use. State trail does not include a forest road as defined in
7 section 81101.

