

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 4257**

A bill to clarify certain powers of the governor; and to impose certain duties on certain state officials.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2       (a) "Memorandum of understanding" means an informal agreement  
3 between this state and another party that does not impose  
4 contractual duties or obligations on this state.

5       (b) "Office of the great seal" means the office of the great  
6 seal located within the executive office of the Michigan department  
7 of state.

8       Sec. 2. (1) A copy of a memorandum of understanding signed by  
9 the governor under this act shall be filed in the office of the  
10 great seal and made available to the public. Copies of each

1 memorandum of understanding under this act shall also be posted on  
2 the department of state internet website.

3 (2) The department of state shall file a copy of each  
4 memorandum of understanding under this act with each house of the  
5 legislature and the senate majority leader, the senate minority  
6 leader, the speaker of the house of representatives, and the  
7 minority leader of the house of representatives.