HOUSE BILL NO. 5802

February 23, 2022, Introduced by Reps. Steven Johnson, Cynthia Johnson and Bellino and referred to the Committee on Oversight.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 267, entitled "Open meetings act,"

by amending section 2 (MCL 15.262), as amended by 2001 PA 38.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 2. As used in this act:
- 2 (a) "Public body" means any state or local legislative or
- 3 governing body, including a board, commission, committee,
- 4 subcommittee, authority, or council, that is empowered by state
- 5 constitution, statute, charter, ordinance, resolution, or rule to
- 6 exercise governmental or proprietary authority or perform a

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- 1 governmental or proprietary function; a lessee of such a body
- 2 performing an essential public purpose and function pursuant to the
- 3 lease agreement; or the board of a nonprofit corporation formed by
- 4 a city under section 40 of the home rule city act, 1909 PA 279, MCL
- 5 117.40; or the board or other governing body of either of the
- 6 following:
- 7 (i) An art institute services provider that receives proceeds
- 8 of a tax levied under the art institute authorities act, 2010 PA
- 9 296, MCL 123.1201 to 123.1229.
- 10 (ii) An accredited zoological institution that receives
- 11 proceeds of a tax levied under the zoological authorities act, 2008
- 12 PA 49, MCL 123.1161 to 123.1183.
- 13 (b) "Meeting" means the convening of a public body at which a
- 14 quorum is present for the purpose of deliberating toward or
- 15 rendering a decision on a public policy, or any meeting of the
- 16 board of a nonprofit corporation formed by a city under section 40
- 17 of the home rule city act, 1909 PA 279, MCL 117.40, or any meeting
- 18 of the board or other governing body of either of the following:
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- 20 of a tax levied under the art institute authorities act, 2010 PA
- 21 296, MCL 123.1201 to 123.1229.
- (ii) An accredited zoological institution that receives
- 23 proceeds of a tax levied under the zoological authorities act, 2008
- 24 PA 49, MCL 123.1161 to 123.1183.
- (c) "Closed session" means a meeting or part of a meeting of a
- 26 public body that is closed to the public.
- 27 (d) "Decision" means a determination, action, vote, or
- 28 disposition upon a motion, proposal, recommendation, resolution,
- 29 order, ordinance, bill, or measure on which a vote by members of a

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- 1 public body is required and by which a public body effectuates or
- 2 formulates public policy.