

HOUSE BILL NO. 4102

February 15, 2023, Introduced by Rep. Markkanen and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, Environment, Tourism and Outdoor Recreation.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"
(MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 40107f.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **Sec. 40107f. (1) The department shall reestablish a viable and**
2 **self-sustaining wolf population in the Lower Peninsula. The first**
3 **wolves shall be introduced by June 1, 2025.**

4 **(2) The department shall annually submit to the standing**
5 **committees of the senate and house of representatives with primary**
6 **responsibility for wildlife matters a report describing both of the**

1 following:

2 (a) The department's efforts to comply with subsection (1).

3 (b) The status of the wolf population in the Lower Peninsula.

4 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
5 unless House Concurrent Resolution No. _____ (request no. R0025'23)
6 of the 102nd Legislature is adopted by both houses of the
7 Legislature.