HOUSE BILL NO. 6181

November 26, 2024, Introduced by Rep. Skaggs and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Mobility and Infrastructure.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code,"

by amending section 806 (MCL 257.806), as amended by 2023 PA 129.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 806. (1) Until October 1, 2027, an applicant for a
- 2 certificate of title required by this act or an applicant for a
- 3 duplicate of a certificate of title shall accompany the application
- 4 with a fee of \$10.00. An applicant that requests that the
- 5 application be given special expeditious treatment shall accompany

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- 1 the application with an additional fee of \$5.00. The secretary of
- 2 state shall collect a \$3.00 service fee, in addition to the other
- 3 fees collected under this subsection, for each title issued and
- 4 shall deposit the fee in the transportation administration
- 5 collection fund created under section 810b through October 1, 2027.
- 6 Until October 1, 2027, the \$5.00 expeditious treatment fee must be
- 7 deposited into the transportation administration collection fund
- 8 created under section 810b.
- 9 (2) An applicant for a special identifying number under 10 section 230 shall accompany the application with a fee of \$10.00.
- 11 (3) In addition to paying the fees required by subsection (1),
- 12 until December 31, 2027, each person that applies for a certificate
- 13 of title, a salvage vehicle certificate of title, or a scrap
- 14 certificate of title under this act shall pay a tire disposal
- 15 surcharge of \$1.50 for each certificate of title or duplicate of a
- 16 certificate of title that person receives. The secretary of state
- 17 shall deposit money received under this subsection into the scrap
- 18 tire regulatory fund created in section 16908 of the natural
- 19 resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL
- 20 324.16908.
- 21 (4) Beginning January 1, 2026 and subject to modification
- 22 under this subsection, for each transfer of title by a dealer under
- 23 this act, the dealer shall submit a \$5.00 fee to the secretary of
- 24 state. The secretary of state shall deposit the fee into the motor
- 25 vehicle sales finance act fund created under subsection (5). No
- 26 later than July 1, 2028 and July 1 every 2 years thereafter, the
- 27 director of the department of insurance and financial services
- 28 shall adjust the fee under this subsection, rounded to the nearest
- 29 whole dollar amount not to exceed \$5.00, to the amount necessary to

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- 1 pay, but not exceed, the department's reasonably anticipated costs
- 2 for administering the motor vehicle sales finance act, 1950 (Ex
- 3 Sess) PA 27, MCL 492.101 to 492.141. The director of the department
- 4 of insurance and financial services shall notify the secretary of
- 5 state of the adjusted fee. The adjusted fee takes effect January 1
- 6 following the adjustment. The director of the department of
- 7 insurance and financial services shall communicate the adjusted fee
- 8 to the dealers by bulletin at the time the department sets the
- 9 documentary preparation fee under section 113 of the motor vehicle
- 10 sales finance act, 1950 (Ex Sess) PA 27, MCL 492.113.
- 11 (5) The motor vehicle sales finance act fund is created in the 12 state treasury.
- 13 (6) The state treasurer shall deposit money and other assets
- 14 received from the fees collected under subsection (4) and the motor
- 15 vehicle sales finance act, 1950 (Ex Sess) PA 27, MCL 492.101 to
- 16 492.141, or from any other source in the fund. The state treasurer
- 17 shall direct the investment of money in the fund and credit
- 18 interest and earnings from the investments to the fund. Money in
- 19 the fund at the close of the fiscal year remains in the fund and
- 20 does not lapse to the general fund.
- 21 (7) The department of insurance and financial services is the
- 22 administrator of the fund for audits of the fund.
- 23 (8) The department of insurance and financial services shall
- 24 expend money from the fund on appropriation for the administration
- 25 of the motor vehicle sales finance act, 1950 (Ex Sess) PA 27, MCL
- 26 492.101 to 492.141.
- 27 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 28 unless House Bill No. 5354 of the 102nd Legislature is enacted into
- 29 law.