

**STATE CONSTITUTION (EXCERPT)**  
**CONSTITUTION OF MICHIGAN OF 1963**

**§ 16 Bail; fines; punishments; detention of witnesses.**

Sec. 16. Excessive bail shall not be required; excessive fines shall not be imposed; cruel or unusual punishment shall not be inflicted; nor shall witnesses be unreasonably detained.

**History:** Const. 1963, Art. I, § 16, Eff. Jan. 1, 1964.

**Former constitution:** See Const. 1908, Art. II, § 15.