

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 1076**

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
by amending section 637 (MCL 257.637).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 637. (1) The driver of a vehicle may overtake and pass
2 upon the right of another vehicle only if 1 or more of the
3 following conditions exist:

4 (a) When the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a
5 left turn.

6 (b) Upon a street or highway with unobstructed pavement not
7 occupied by parked vehicles of sufficient width for 2 or more lines
8 of moving vehicles in each direction and when the vehicles are
9 moving in substantially continuous lanes of traffic.

10 (c) Upon a 1-way street, or upon a roadway on which traffic is

1 restricted to 1 direction of movement, where the roadway is free
2 from obstructions and of sufficient width for 2 or more lines of
3 moving vehicles and when the vehicles are moving in substantially
4 continuous lanes of traffic.

5 (2) The driver of a vehicle may overtake and pass another
6 vehicle upon the right only under conditions permitting the
7 overtaking and passing in safety. The driver of a vehicle shall not
8 overtake and pass another vehicle upon the right by driving off the
9 pavement or main-traveled portion of the roadway.

10 (3) **THE DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE OVERTAKING A BICYCLE SHALL,**
11 **WHEN OTHERWISE PERMITTED BY THIS SECTION, PASS AT A SAFE DISTANCE**
12 **OF AT LEAST 5 FEET TO THE RIGHT OF THAT BICYCLE.**

13 (4) ~~(3)~~—A person who violates this section is responsible for
14 a civil infraction.

15 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
16 after the date it is enacted into law.