

HOUSE BILL No. 6291

September 17, 2002, Introduced by Rep. Callahan and referred to the Committee on Redistricting and Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending section 176 (MCL 168.176).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 176. The office of state senator or representative
2 ~~shall become~~ BECOMES vacant on the happening of any of the fol-
3 lowing events, before the expiration of the term of ~~such~~ THAT
4 office:

- 5 (A) The INCUMBENT'S death. ~~of the incumbent; his~~
- 6 (B) THE INCUMBENT'S resignation. ~~his~~
- 7 (C) THE INCUMBENT'S removal from office. ~~his ceasing to~~
8 ~~be an inhabitant of~~
- 9 (D) THE INCUMBENT CEASES TO BE A QUALIFIED AND REGISTERED
10 ELECTOR OF the district ~~for which he shall have been~~ FROM WHICH
11 HE OR SHE WAS elected. ~~the~~

1 (E) A decision of a competent tribunal declaring void his OR
2 HER election or appointment. ~~or his~~

3 (F) HIS OR HER refusal or neglect to take and subscribe to
4 ~~his~~ THE oath of office.

5 (G) THE EXPIRATION OF 7 DAYS AFTER THE STATE SENATOR OR
6 STATE REPRESENTATIVE IS CERTIFIED AS ELECTED TO AN OFFICE IN THE
7 OPPOSITE CHAMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE.

8 (2) Regardless of ~~any~~ A change in the boundaries of ~~any~~
9 A state senatorial or representative district, an incumbent state
10 senator or representative shall continue to represent the dis-
11 trict from which he OR SHE was elected until his OR HER current
12 term of office ~~shall expire or his~~ EXPIRES OR HIS OR HER suc-
13 cessor is elected and qualified.