## **SENATE BILL No. 36**

January 30, 2001, Introduced by Senators NORTH, GOSCHKA, KOIVISTO, BULLARD and SHUGARS and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 2150 (MCL 324.2150), as amended by 1996 PA 585.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 2150. (1) On December 1 of each year, there shall be
- 2 paid into the treasury of each county in which are located tax
- 3 reverted, recreation, or forest lands under the control and
- 4 supervision of the department, and any other lands held by the
- 5 department, except lands purchased after January 1, 1933 for nat-
- **6** ural resource purposes, a tax of  $\frac{$2.50}{}$  \$2.86 per acre or major
- 7 portion of an acre, for years before December 1, 1994 and \$2.00
- 8 per acre or major portion of an acre for years after November 30,
- 9 1994 AS THIS AMOUNT IS ADJUSTED ANNUALLY PURSUANT TO
- 10 SECTION 2150A, on all the SUCH lands IN THE COUNTY that belong

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- 1 to ARE HELD BY this state on December 1 in each year. The tax
- 2 imposed under this section shall be in lieu of all other taxes
- 3 now levied against the state land under any existing law. State
- 4 land on which payments in lieu of taxes are made pursuant to sub-
- 5 part 14 are exempt from this subpart. The department of treasury
- 6 shall make a detailed statement of account between the state and
- 7 each county in which the lands are situated, including the
- 8 descriptions of the lands, and render the detailed statement of
- 9 account to the county treasurer of the county. The department of
- 10 treasury shall cause a warrant to be drawn on the state treasurer
- 11 payable for the amount indicated on the detailed statement of
- 12 account to be due to the county. The county treasurer of each
- 13 county shall immediately make up a detailed statement of the
- 14 account between the county and each township, and school
- 15 district, prorating the amount received by the county according
- 16 to the number of acres of the lands located in each LOCAL unit.
- 17 For disbursements made before December 1, 1994, the proration
- 18 shall be 40% to county general fund, 40% to township general
- 19 fund, and 20% to school operating fund. For disbursements made
- 20 after November 30, 1994, the THE proration shall be 50% to the
- 21 county general fund and 50% to the township general fund. The
- 22 county treasurer shall immediately issue his or her warrant to
- 23 each of the units TOWNSHIPS according to the detailed statement
- 24 of account.
- 25 (2) The tax on tax reverted, recreation, forest lands, or
- 26 other lands under the control of the department on which payments
- 27 are made under this subpart shall be paid from the general fund.

- 1 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect
- 2 January 1, 2001.
- 3 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take
- 4 effect unless Senate Bill No. 37
- of the 91st Legislature is enacted into
- 6 law.

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