HOUSE BILL No. 4880

June 24, 2003, Introduced by Rep. Richardville and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A bill to provide for the exemption of certain manufactured housing property from certain taxes; to levy and collect a specific tax upon the owners of certain manufactured housing property; to provide for the disposition of the specific tax; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain local government officials; to provide penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the
 "manufactured housing specific tax act".
- 3 Sec. 2. As used in this act:
- 4 (a) "Double section manufactured home" means a manufactured 5 home that is made primarily of 2 sections.
- 6 (b) "Manufactured home" means a mobile home as that term is 7 defined in the mobile home commission act, 1987 PA 96,

- 1 MCL 125.2301 to 125.2349.
- 2 (c) "Mobile home park" means that term as defined in the
- 3 mobile home commission act, 1987 PA 96, MCL 125.2301 to
- 4 125.2349.
- 5 (d) "Multisection manufactured home" means a manufactured
- 6 home that is made primarily of 3 or more sections.
- 7 (e) "Qualified manufactured housing property" means a single
- 8 section manufactured home, a double section manufactured home, or
- 9 a multisection manufactured home located in a mobile home park
- 10 and all appurtenant structures to that manufactured home,
- 11 including, but not limited to, all of the following:
- (i) Garages and sheds.
- 13 (ii) Patios, decks, and porches.
- 14 (iii) Steps and sidewalks.
- (f) "Single section manufactured home" means a manufactured
- 16 home that is made primarily of 1 section.
- 17 (g) "Specific tax" means the manufactured housing specific
- 18 tax levied under this act.
- 19 Sec. 3. Qualified manufactured housing property is exempt
- 20 from ad valorem property taxes collected under the general
- 21 property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.1 to 211.157, as provided
- 22 under section 2a of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206,
- 23 MCL 211.2a.
- 24 Sec. 4. (1) There is levied upon every owner of qualified
- 25 manufactured housing property a specific tax to be known as the
- 26 manufactured housing specific tax.
- 27 (2) Except as adjusted under subsection (3), the amount of

- 1 the specific tax in each year is as follows:
- 2 (a) For a single section manufactured home, 1 of the
- 3 following:
- **4** (*i*) In 2004, \$60.00.
- 5 (ii) In 2005, \$72.00.
- 6 (iii) In 2006, \$84.00.
- 7 (iv) In 2007, \$96.00.
- **8** (v) In 2008, \$120.00.
- 9 (vi) In 2009 and each year after 2009, the specific tax shall
- 10 be the amount of the specific tax in the immediately preceding
- 11 year adjusted by annual percentage change in the consumer price
- 12 index in the immediately preceding year, as determined by the
- 13 state treasurer.
- 14 (b) For a double section manufactured home, 1 of the
- 15 following:
- 16 (i) In 2004, \$72.00.
- 17 (ii) In 2005, \$96.00.
- 18 (iii) In 2006, \$120.00.
- 19 (*iv*) In 2007, \$144.00.
- **20** (*v*) In 2008, \$180.00.
- (vi) In 2009 and each year after 2009, the specific tax shall
- 22 be the amount of the specific tax in the immediately preceding
- 23 year adjusted by annual percentage change in the consumer price
- 24 index in the immediately preceding year, as determined by the
- 25 state treasurer.
- (c) For a multisection manufactured home, 1 of the
- 27 following:

- 1 (i) In 2004, \$120.00.
- 2 (ii) In 2005, \$144.00.
- 3 (iii) In 2006, \$168.00.
- **4** (*iv*) In 2007, \$192.00.
- 5 (v) In 2008, \$240.00.
- 6 (vi) In 2009 and each year after 2009, the specific tax shall
- 7 be the amount of the specific tax in the immediately preceding
- 8 year adjusted by annual percentage change in the consumer price
- 9 index in the immediately preceding year, as determined by the
- 10 state treasurer.
- 11 (3) Beginning on the effective date of this act, if a local
- 12 or intermediate school district authorizes and levies ad valorem
- 13 property taxes specifically for the payment of principal and
- 14 interest for obligations approved by the electors for school
- 15 improvements or for obligations pledging the unlimited taxing
- 16 power of the local or intermediate school district for school
- 17 improvements, the specific tax levied under this act shall be
- 18 adjusted by multiplying the specific tax levied in the
- 19 immediately preceding tax year by a fraction, the numerator of
- 20 which is the total number of mills levied in that local or
- 21 intermediate school district in which the qualified manufactured
- 22 housing property is located, including the number of mills
- 23 authorized and levied for school improvements after the effective
- 24 date of this act and the denominator of which is the total number
- 25 of mills levied in the local or intermediate school district in
- 26 which the qualified manufactured housing property is located,
- 27 excluding the number of mills authorized and levied for school

- 1 improvements in the immediately preceding tax year.
- 2 (4) The specific tax shall be collected, disbursed, and
- 3 assessed in accordance with this act.
- 4 (5) The specific tax is an annual tax, payable at the same
- 5 times, in the same installments, and to the same officer or
- 6 officers as taxes imposed under the general property tax act,
- 7 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.1 to 211.157, are payable. The officer or
- 8 officers shall disburse the specific tax payments received by the
- 9 officer or officers each year as follows:
- (a) That portion of the specific tax calculated under
- 11 subsection (2), as follows:
- 12 (i) Seventy percent to the local school district in which the
- 13 qualified manufactured housing property is located for
- 14 infrastructure needs.
- (ii) Ten percent to the county in which the qualified
- 16 manufactured housing property is located.
- 17 (iii) Twenty percent to the city, village, or township, in
- 18 which the qualified manufactured housing property is located.
- 19 (b) That portion of the specific tax calculated under
- 20 subsection (3), to the local school district in which the
- 21 qualified manufactured housing property is located.
- 22 (6) Qualified manufactured housing property located in a
- 23 renaissance zone under the Michigan renaissance zone act, 1996
- 24 PA 376, MCL 125.2681 to 125.2696, is exempt from the specific tax
- 25 levied under this act to the extent and for the duration provided
- 26 pursuant to the Michigan renaissance zone act, 1996 PA 376,
- 27 MCL 125.2681 to 125.2696.

- 1 Enacting section 1. 1959 PA 243, MCL 125.1035 to 125.1043,
- 2 is repealed effective January 1, 2004.

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