SENATE BILL No. 700

July 15, 2009, Introduced by Senators CROPSEY, RICHARDVILLE, KAHN and BIRKHOLZ and referred to the Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 331, entitled

"Michigan consumer protection act,"

by amending section 20 (MCL 445.920).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 20. (1) The director of the department of commerce 2 ENERGY, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC GROWTH may investigate, in the manner 3 set forth in section 7, a person subject to Act No. 265 of the 4 Public Acts of 1964, as amended, being sections 451.501 to 451.818 5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT, 1964 PA 6 265, MCL 451.501 TO 451.818; THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT (2002), 7 2008 PA 551, MCL 451.2101 TO 451.2703; Act No. 229 of the Public 8 Acts of 1963, as amended, being sections 559.1 to 559.31 of the 9 Michigan Compiled Laws; Act No. 284 of the Public Acts of 1972, as 10 amended, being sections 450.1101 to 450.2099 of the Michigan Compiled Laws THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, 1972 PA 284, MCL 11

450.1101 TO 450.2098; or Act No. 269 of the Public Acts of 1974,
being sections 445.1501 to 445.1545 of the Michigan Compiled Laws
THE FRANCHISE INVESTMENT LAW, 1974 PA 269, MCL 445.1501 TO
445.1546, who the director believes has engaged, is engaging, or is
about to engage in a method, act, or practice which is unlawful
under this act.

7 (2) When the director requires the use of the subpoena power
8 provided in this act, an application shall be made to the attorney
9 general, who shall proceed to procure a subpoena on behalf of the
10 director in accordance with section 7.

11 (3) Upon conclusion of an investigation, the director shall12 provide a full report to the attorney general.