

HOUSE BILL No. 5843

September 23, 2014, Introduced by Reps. Durhal, Talabi, Hobbs, Darany, Switalski, Yanez, Smiley, Brunner, Rutledge, Stallworth, Dillon, Dianda, Cochran, Kivela, Schor, LaVoy, Geiss, Stanley, Brown, Cavanagh, Knezek, Potvin, Bumstead, Hooker, Heise, Irwin, Banks, Barnett, Santana, Tlaib, Haugh, Greimel, Pscholka, Franz, Pettalia, MacMaster, O'Brien, Foster, Lori, Poleski, Zorn, Kosowski, Price, Lauwers, Rendon, Denby, Walsh, Haveman, Rogers, Jacobsen, Kurtz, Nathan, Schmidt, Cotter, Yonker, Lane, Kesto, Roberts, Zemke, Hovey-Wright and Kowall and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to provide for the distribution of state flags to eligible legislators' survivors.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the
2 "Michigan legislative funeral act".

3 Sec. 3. As used in this act:

4 (a) "Eligible legislator" means a current or former member of
5 the state senate or state house of representatives.

6 (b) "Survivor" means a spouse, parent, or child of an eligible
7 legislator.

8 Sec. 5. If requested by a survivor, the legislature shall,
9 upon the death of an eligible legislator, present 1 state flag to
10 the survivor on behalf of the state in recognition of the eligible
11 legislator's service to this state.