HOUSE BILL No. 4270

March 4, 2015, Introduced by Reps. Jacobsen, Lyons, Lauwers, Kesto, Heise and Leutheuser
and referred to the Committee on Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled

"Michigan election law,"

by amending section 642a (MCL 168.642a), as amended by 2012 PA 523.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1   Sec. 642a. ~~(1) After December 31, 2004, a city council that~~

2 ~~adopted a resolution so that its regular election is held on the~~

3 ~~May regular election date may change its regular election to the~~

4 ~~odd year general election by adopting a resolution in compliance~~

5 ~~with section 642. If a city council adopts the resolution in~~

6 ~~compliance with section 642 to hold its regular election at the odd~~

7 ~~year general election, after December 31 of the year in which the~~

8 ~~resolution is adopted, the city's regular election is at the odd~~

9 ~~year general election.~~

10   **(1)** ~~(2)~~ After December 31, 2004, a city council that holds its

11 regular election for city offices annually or in the even year on

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1 the November regular election date may change its regular election

2 schedule to the odd year general election and the odd year primary

3 election by adopting a resolution in compliance with section 642.

4 If a city council adopts the resolution in compliance with section

5 642, the city's regular election is at the odd year general

6 election and its primary is at the odd year primary election.

7   **(2)** ~~(3)~~ After December 31, 2010, a city that adopted a

8 resolution so that its regular election primary is held at the

9 September election shall hold its regular election primary at the

10 odd year primary election.

11   **(3)** ~~(4)~~ After December 31, 2011, a city that holds its regular

12 election for city offices annually or in the odd year on the

13 November regular election date may change its regular election

14 schedule to the even year general election and the even year

15 primary election by adopting a resolution in compliance with

16 section 642. If a city council adopts the resolution in compliance

17 with section 642, after December 31 of the year in which the

18 resolution is adopted, the city's regular election is at the even

19 year general election and its primary is at the even year primary

20 election.

21   **(4)** ~~(5)~~ After December 31, 2012, a village that adopted a

22 resolution so that its regular election is held at the September

23 election shall hold its regular election at the general November

24 election.

25   Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days

26 after the date it is enacted into law.

27   Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect

1 unless all of the following bills of the 98th Legislature are

2 enacted into law:

3   (a) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4271 (request no.

4 01310'15).

5   (b) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4273 (request no.

6 01311'15).

7   (c) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4272 (request no.

8 01312'15).

9   (d) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4276 (request no.

10 01314'15).

11   (e) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4274 (request no.

12 01315'15).

13   (f) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4275 (request no.

14 01316'15).