SENATE BILL No. 549

October 7, 2015, Introduced by Senators JONES, BOOHER and MARLEAU and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend 2013 PA 240, entitled

"Michigan state capitol historic site act,"

(MCL 4.1941 to 4.1949) by amending the title and by adding section 10.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

TITLE

An act to designate the state capitol and the grounds of the state capitol as a state historic site; and TO REGULATE ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED AT THE STATE CAPITOL AND ON THE GROUNDS OF THE STATE CAPITOL; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies and officials; AND TO PRESCRIBE PENALTIES AND PROVIDE REMEDIES.

8 SEC. 10. (1) AN INDIVIDUAL SHALL NOT OPERATE A DRONE WITHIN 9 THE AIRSPACE ABOVE THE MICHIGAN STATE CAPITOL HISTORIC SITE OR THE 10 GROUNDS OF THE MICHIGAN STATE CAPITOL HISTORIC SITE UNLESS THE

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1 INDIVIDUAL HAS RECEIVED AUTHORIZATION FROM THE COMMISSION.

2 (2) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A
3 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR
4 A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00, OR BOTH.

5 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DRONE" MEANS AN UNMANNED
6 AIRCRAFT GUIDED BY REMOTE CONTROL OR AN ONBOARD COMPUTER.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days8 after the date it is enacted into law.

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