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SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5952

A bill to amend 1984 PA 431, entitled "The management and budget act," (MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594) by adding section 261c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 261C. (1) IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS
- 2 261, 261A, AND 261B, IN PURCHASING WOOD OR PAPER PRODUCTS THE
- 3 DEPARTMENT SHALL GIVE PREFERENCE TO WOOD OR PAPER PRODUCTS THAT
- 4 DERIVE FROM SUSTAINABLY MANAGED FORESTS OR PROCUREMENT SYSTEMS.
- 5 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "SUSTAINABLY MANAGED FORESTS OR
- 6 PROCUREMENT SYSTEMS" MEANS FORESTS OR PROCUREMENT SYSTEMS THAT
- 7 ARE CERTIFIED BY AN INDEPENDENT THIRD PARTY USING 1 OR MORE OF
- 8 THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS:
- 9 (A) THE SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY INITIATIVE/AMERICAN FOREST AND
- 10 PAPER ASSOCIATION.

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- 1 (B) THE AMERICAN TREE FARM SYSTEMS/AMERICAN FOREST
- 2 FOUNDATION.
- 3 (C) THE CANADIAN STANDARDS ASSOCIATIONS SUSTAINABLE FOREST
- MANAGEMENT SYSTEM STANDARDS.
- 5 (D) THE FOREST STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL.
- (E) THE PAN-EUROPEAN FOREST CERTIFICATION.
- 7 (F) THE FINNISH FOREST CERTIFICATION SYSTEM.
- 8 (G) THE UNITED KINGDOM WOODLANDS ASSURANCE SCHEME.
- 9 (H) INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS ORGANIZATION (ISO)
- **10** STANDARD 14001.