HOUSE BILL No. 6192

May 19, 2010, Introduced by Reps. Lindberg, Nerat, McDowell and Lahti and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to authorize the department of technology, management, and budget to convey certain state owned property in Schoolcraft county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; to provide for certain powers and duties of the department of technology, management, and budget in implementing the conveyance; and to provide for disposition of revenue derived from the conveyance.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. The department of technology, management, and budget,
- 2 on behalf of the state, may convey to Schoolcraft county, for
- 3 consideration of \$1.00, certain real property now under the
- 4 jurisdiction of the department of corrections and located in the
- 5 city of Manistique, Schoolcraft county, Michigan, and more
 - particularly described as:
- 7 A parcel of land being part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section

- 1 12, T41N-R16W, and part of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 7,
- 2 T41N-R15W, City of Manistique, Schoolcraft County, Michigan
- **3** described as:
- 4 Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 7; thence
- 5 S00°22'09"W, 15.58 feet to the South Right-of-Way line of the
- 6 Wisconsin Central Railroad; thence S88° 22'52"E, 547.40 feet along
- 7 the South Railroad Right-of-Way line; thence S00° 22'09"W, 894.43
- 8 feet; thence N89°36'54"W, 547.27 feet to a found concrete monument
- 9 on the West line of Section 7; thence N89°05'11"W, 449.78 feet to a
- 10 found concrete monument; thence S02°29'48"W, 60.01 feet to a found
- 11 concrete monument; thence N89°03'52"W, 422.66 feet to the East
- 12 Right-of-Way line of Maple Avenue; thence N02°24'01"E, 104.30 feet
- 13 along the East Right-of-Way line of Maple Avenue to the North
- 14 Right-of-Way line of Pine Street; thence N78°15'15"W, 31.60 feet
- 15 along the North Right-of-Way line of Pine Street; thence
- 16 N03°17'44"E, 867.11 feet to the South Right-of-Way line of the
- 17 Wisconsin Central Railroad; thence S88°22'52"E, 857.85 feet along
- 18 the South Railroad Right-of-Way line to the Point of Beginning
- 19 containing 30.297 acres and subject to restrictions, reservations,
- 20 rights-of-way and easements of record.
- 21 Sec. 2. (1) The description of the parcel in section 1 is
- 22 approximate and for purposes of the conveyance is subject to
- 23 adjustment as the state administrative board or the attorney
- 24 general considers necessary by survey or other legal description.
- 25 (2) The property described in section 1 includes all surplus,
- 26 salvage, and scrap property or equipment remaining on the property
- 27 as of the date of conveyance.

- 1 Sec. 3. The conveyance authorized by section 1 shall provide
- 2 for all of the following:
- 3 (a) The property shall be used exclusively for public purposes
- 4 and if any fee, term, or condition for the use of the property is
- 5 imposed on members of the public, or if any of those fees, terms,
- 6 or conditions are waived for use of this property, resident and
- 7 nonresident members of the public shall be subject to the same
- 8 fees, terms, conditions, and waivers.
- 9 (b) In the event of activity inconsistent with subdivision
- 10 (a), the state may reenter and repossess the property, terminating
- 11 the grantee's estate in the property.
- 12 (c) If the grantee disputes the state's exercise of its right
- 13 of reentry and fails to promptly deliver possession of the property
- 14 to the state, the attorney general, on behalf of the state, may
- 15 bring an action to quiet title to, and regain possession of, the
- 16 property.
- 17 (d) If the state reenters and repossesses the property, the
- 18 state shall not be liable to reimburse any party for any
- 19 improvements made on the property.
- Sec. 4. (1) If the property described in section 1 is not sold
- 21 to Schoolcraft county within 180 days after the effective date of
- 22 this act, the director of the department of technology, management,
- 23 and budget shall take the necessary steps to prepare to convey the
- 24 property described in section 1 using any of the following at any
- **25** time:
- 26 (a) Competitive bidding designed to realize the best value to
- 27 the state, as determined by the department of technology,

- 1 management, and budget.
- 2 (b) A public auction designed to realize the best value to the
- 3 state, as determined by the department of technology, management,
- 4 and budget.
- 5 (c) Use of real estate brokerage services designed to realize
- 6 the best value to the state, as determined by the department of
- 7 technology, management, and budget.
- 8 (d) A value for value conveyance negotiated by the department
- 9 of technology, management, and budget designed to realize the best
- 10 value to the state. In determining whether value for value
- 11 consideration for the property represents the best value, the
- 12 department may consider the fair market value or the total value
- 13 based on any positive economic impact to the state likely to be
- 14 generated by the proposed use of the property, especially economic
- 15 impact resulting in the creation of jobs or increased capital
- 16 investment in the state.
- 17 (e) Offering the property for sale for fair market value to a
- 18 local unit or units of government.
- 19 (f) Offering the property for sale for less than fair market
- 20 value to a local unit or units of government subject to subsection
- **21** (2).
- 22 (2) Any conveyance to a local unit of government authorized by
- 23 subsection (1)(f) shall provide for all of the following:
- 24 (a) The property shall be used exclusively for public purposes
- 25 and if any fee, term, or condition for the use of the property is
- 26 imposed on members of the public, or if any of those fees, terms,
- 27 or conditions are waived for use of this property, all members of

- 1 the public shall be subject to the same fees, terms, conditions,
- 2 and waivers.
- 3 (b) In the event of an activity inconsistent with subdivision
- 4 (a), the state may reenter and repossess the property, terminating
- 5 the grantee's or successor's estate in the property.
- 6 (c) If the grantee or successor disputes the state's exercise
- 7 of its right of reentry and fails to promptly deliver possession of
- 8 the property to the state, the attorney general, on behalf of the
- 9 state, may bring an action to quiet title to, and regain possession
- 10 of, the property.
- 11 (d) If the state reenters and repossesses the property, the
- 12 state shall not be liable to reimburse any party for any
- improvements made on the property.
- 14 (e) If the local unit of government intends to convey the
- 15 property within 3 years after the conveyance from the state, the
- 16 local unit of government shall provide notice to the department of
- 17 technology, management, and budget of its intent to offer the
- 18 property for sale. The department of technology, management, and
- 19 budget shall retain a right to first purchase the property at the
- 20 original sale price within 90 days after the notice. If the state
- 21 waives its first purchase right, the local unit of government shall
- 22 pay to the state 40% of the difference between the sale price of
- 23 the conveyance from the state and the sale price of the local
- 24 unit's subsequent sale or sales to a third party.
- Sec. 5. (1) The conveyance authorized by this act shall be by
- 26 quitclaim deed designed or otherwise approved as to legal form by
- 27 the attorney general. The state shall not reserve oil, gas, or

- 1 mineral rights to the property conveyed under this act. However,
- 2 the conveyance authorized under this act shall provide that if the
- 3 purchaser or any grantee develops any oil, gas, or minerals found
- 4 on, within, or under the conveyed property, the purchaser or any
- 5 grantee shall pay the state 1/2 of the gross revenue generated from
- 6 the development of the oil, gas, or minerals. This payment shall be
- 7 deposited in the general fund.
- 8 (2) The state reserves all aboriginal antiquities including
- 9 mounds, earthworks, forts, burial and village sites, mines, or
- 10 other relics lying on, within, or under the property with power to
- 11 the state and all others acting under its authority to enter the
- 12 property for any purpose related to exploring, excavating, and
- 13 taking away the aboriginal antiquities.
- 14 Sec. 6. The net revenue received from the sale of property
- 15 under this act shall be deposited in the state treasury and
- 16 credited to the general fund. As used in this section, "net
- 17 revenue" means the proceeds from the sale of the property less
- 18 reimbursement for any costs to the state associated with the sale
- 19 of property, including, but not limited to, costs of reports and
- 20 studies and other materials necessary to the preparation of sale,
- 21 environmental remediation, legal fees, and any litigation related
- 22 to the conveyance of the property.