

HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 166

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled  
"Michigan vehicle code,"  
by amending section 732a (MCL 257.732a), as amended by 2010 PA 155.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 732a. (1) An individual, whether licensed or not, who  
2 accumulates 7 or more points on his or her driving record under  
3 sections 320a and 629c within a 2-year period for any violation not  
4 listed under subsection (2) shall be assessed a \$100.00 driver  
5 responsibility fee. For each additional point accumulated above 7  
6 points not listed under subsection (2), an additional fee of \$50.00  
7 shall be assessed. The secretary of state shall collect the fees  
8 described in this subsection once each year that the point total on  
9 an individual driving record is 7 points or more.

10           (2) An individual, whether licensed or not, who violates any

1 of the following sections or another law or local ordinance that  
2 substantially corresponds to those sections shall be assessed a  
3 driver responsibility fee as follows:

4 (a) Upon posting an abstract indicating that an individual has  
5 been found guilty for a violation of law listed or described in  
6 this subdivision, the secretary of state shall assess a \$1,000.00  
7 driver responsibility fee each year for 2 consecutive years:

8 (i) Manslaughter, negligent homicide, or a felony resulting  
9 from the operation of a motor vehicle, ORV, or snowmobile.

10 (ii) Section 601b(2) or (3), 601c(1) or (2), **601D, 626(3) OR**  
11 **(4)**, or 653a(3) or (4). ~~or, beginning October 31, 2010, section~~  
12 ~~601d or 626(3) or (4).~~

13 (iii) Section 625(1), (4), or (5), section 625m, or section  
14 81134 of the natural resources and environmental protection act,  
15 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81134, or a law or ordinance substantially  
16 corresponding to section 625(1), (4), or (5), section 625m, or  
17 section 81134 of the natural resources and environmental protection  
18 act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81134.

19 (iv) Failing to stop and disclose identity at the scene of an  
20 accident when required by law.

21 (v) Fleeing or eluding an officer.

22 (b) Upon posting an abstract indicating that an individual has  
23 been found guilty for a violation of law listed in this  
24 subdivision, the secretary of state shall assess a \$500.00 driver  
25 responsibility fee each year for 2 consecutive years:

26 (i) Section 625(3), (6), (7), or (8).

27 (ii) Section 626 or, beginning October 31, 2010, section

Senate Bill No. 166 (H-8) as amended November 9, 2011  
1 626(2).

2 (iii) Section 904.

3 (iv) Section 3101, 3102(1), or 3103 of the insurance code of  
4 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.3101, 500.3102, and 500.3103.

5 (c) ~~Upon~~ **THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2012, UPON** posting an abstract  
6 indicating that an individual has been found guilty for a violation  
7 of section 301, the secretary of state shall assess a \$150.00  
8 driver responsibility fee each year for 2 consecutive years.

9 **HOWEVER, A DRIVER RESPONSIBILITY FEE SHALL NOT BE ASSESSED UNDER**  
10 **THIS SUBDIVISION FOR A VIOLATION COMMITTED ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 1,**  
11 **2012.**

12 (d) ~~Upon~~ **THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2012, UPON** posting an abstract  
13 indicating that an individual has been found guilty or determined  
14 responsible for a violation listed in section 328, the secretary of  
15 state shall assess a \$200.00 driver responsibility fee each year  
16 for 2 consecutive years. **HOWEVER, A DRIVER RESPONSIBILITY FEE SHALL**  
17 **NOT BE ASSESSED UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION [FOR A VIOLATION COMMITTED] ON OR**  
18 **AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2012.**

19 (3) The secretary of state shall send a notice of the driver  
20 responsibility assessment, as prescribed under subsection (1) or  
21 (2), to the individual by regular mail to the address on the  
22 records of the secretary of state. If payment is not received  
23 within 30 days after the notice is mailed, the secretary of state  
24 shall send a second notice that indicates that if payment is not  
25 received within the next 30 days, the driver's driving privileges  
26 will be suspended.

27 (4) The secretary of state may authorize payment by  
installment for a period not to exceed 24 months.

1           (5) Except as otherwise provided under this subsection, if  
2 payment is not received or an installment plan is not established  
3 after the time limit required by the second notice prescribed under  
4 subsection (3) expires, the secretary of state shall suspend the  
5 driving privileges until the assessment and any other fees  
6 prescribed under this act are paid. However, if the individual's  
7 license to operate a motor vehicle is not otherwise required under  
8 this act to be denied, suspended, or revoked, the secretary of  
9 state shall reinstate the individual's operator's driving  
10 privileges if the individual requests an installment plan under  
11 subsection (4) and makes proper payment under that plan. Fees  
12 required to be paid for the reinstatement of an individual's  
13 operator's driving privileges as described under this subsection  
14 shall, at the individual's request, be included in the amount to be  
15 paid under the installment plan. If the individual establishes a  
16 payment plan as described in this subsection and subsection (4) but  
17 fails to make full or timely payments under that plan, the  
18 secretary of state shall suspend the individual's driving  
19 privileges. The secretary of state shall only reinstate a license  
20 under this subsection once.

21           (6) A fee shall not be assessed under this section for 7  
22 points or more on a driving record on October 1, 2003. Points  
23 assigned after October 1, 2003 shall be assessed as prescribed  
24 under subsections (1) and (2).

25           (7) A driver responsibility fee shall be assessed under this  
26 section in the same manner for a conviction or determination of  
27 responsibility for a violation or an attempted violation of a law

1 of this state, of a local ordinance substantially corresponding to  
2 a law of this state, or of a law of another state substantially  
3 corresponding to a law of this state.

4 (8) The fire protection fund is created within the state  
5 treasury. The state treasurer may receive money or other assets  
6 from any source for deposit into the fund. The state treasurer  
7 shall direct the investment of the fund. The state treasurer shall  
8 credit to the fund interest and earnings from fund investments.  
9 Money in the fund at the close of the fiscal year shall remain in  
10 the fund and shall not lapse to the general fund. The department of  
11 energy, labor, and economic growth shall expend money from the  
12 fund, upon appropriation, only for fire protection grants to  
13 cities, villages, and townships with state-owned facilities for  
14 fire services, as provided in 1977 PA 289, MCL 141.951 to 141.956.

15 (9) The secretary of state shall transmit the fees collected  
16 under this section to the state treasurer. The state treasurer  
17 shall credit fee money received under this section in each fiscal  
18 year as follows:

19 (a) The first ~~\$65,000,000.00~~ **\$8,500,000.00** shall be credited  
20 to the ~~general~~ **FIRE PROTECTION** fund.

21 ~~—— (b) If more than \$65,000,000.00 is collected under this~~  
22 ~~section, the next amount collected in excess of \$65,000,000.00 up~~  
23 ~~to \$68,500,000.00 shall be credited to the fire protection fund~~  
24 ~~created in this section.~~

25 ~~—— (c) If more than \$100,000,000.00 is collected under this~~  
26 ~~section, the next amount collected in excess of \$100,000,000.00 up~~  
27 ~~to \$105,000,000.00 shall be credited to the fire protection fund~~

1 ~~created in this section.~~

2 (B) ~~(d)~~ Any amount collected after crediting the ~~amounts~~  
3 **AMOUNT** under ~~subdivisions~~ **SUBDIVISION** (a) ~~, (b), and (c)~~ shall be  
4 credited to the general fund.

5 (10) The collection of assessments under this section is  
6 subject to section 304.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect October  
8 1, 2012.