

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 700

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"
by amending section 8316 (MCL 600.8316).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 8316. (1) District judges and magistrates ~~shall have~~
2 ~~authority to~~**MAY** perform marriages and shall charge a fee of \$10.00
3 ~~which fees~~**THAT** shall be deposited in the treasury of the district
4 control unit at the end of each month. **A FEE PAID UNDER THIS**
5 **SECTION SHALL BE REMITTED TO THE DISTRICT COURT IN WHICH THE**
6 **DISTRICT JUDGE OR MAGISTRATE PERFORMING THE MARRIAGE SERVES.**

7 (2) **A DISTRICT JUDGE OR MAGISTRATE MAY WAIVE THE FEE FOR**
8 **PERFORMING A MARRIAGE CEREMONY IF THE PARTIES TO THE MARRIAGE ARE**
9 **INDIGENT.**

10 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect

1 unless Senate Bill No. 698 of the 96th Legislature is enacted into
2 law.