

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 493

A bill to amend 2006 PA 110, entitled
"Michigan zoning enabling act,"
(MCL 125.3101 to 125.3702) by adding section 205a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 205A. (1) 47 CFR 97.15 PROVIDES THAT OWNERS OF CERTAIN
2 AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURES MORE THAN 60.96
3 METERS (200 FEET) ABOVE GROUND LEVEL AT THE SITE OR LOCATED NEAR OR
4 AT A PUBLIC USE AIRPORT MUST NOTIFY THE FEDERAL AVIATION
5 ADMINISTRATION AND REGISTER WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
6 COMMISSION AS REQUIRED BY 47 CFR PART 17.

7 (2) AN AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURE MAY BE
8 ERECTED AT HEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS SUFFICIENT TO ACCOMMODATE AMATEUR
9 RADIO SERVICE COMMUNICATIONS. REGULATION OF AN AMATEUR RADIO

1 SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURE BY A LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT
2 MUST NOT PRECLUDE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE COMMUNICATIONS. RATHER, IT
3 MUST REASONABLY ACCOMMODATE THOSE COMMUNICATIONS AND MUST
4 CONSTITUTE THE MINIMUM PRACTICABLE REGULATION TO ACCOMPLISH THE
5 LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT'S LEGITIMATE PURPOSE.

6 (3) TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT THE REGULATION OF AMATEUR
7 RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURES, A PERSON MAY CONTACT ANY
8 ADVISORY BOARD THAT IS JOINTLY ESTABLISHED BY THE MICHIGAN SECTION
9 OF THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE AND 1 OR MORE STATE
10 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING LOCAL UNITS OF GOVERNMENT.