

# HOUSE BILL No. 5945

November 12, 2014, Introduced by Rep. McMillin and referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled  
"Michigan vehicle code,"  
(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 823.

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

1           SEC. 823. (1) BY FEBRUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR, A LOCAL OR COUNTY  
2           LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY THAT USES A REGISTRATION PLATE READING  
3           DEVICE SHALL PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE  
4           THAT CONTAINS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REGARDING THE USE OF  
5           REGISTRATION PLATE READING DEVICES BY THE AGENCY FOR THE PRECEDING  
6           CALENDAR YEAR:

7           (A) THE NUMBER OF REGISTRATION PLATES READ EACH MONTH.

8           (B) THE NUMBER OF VEHICLES REPORTED STOLEN OR MISSING THAT  
9           WERE RECOVERED THROUGH THE USE OF THE DEVICES.

1 (C) HOW LONG THE AGENCY RETAINS INFORMATION FROM THE DEVICES.

2 (D) HOW THE AGENCY DISPOSES OF INFORMATION FROM THE DEVICES.

3 (E) ANY OTHER INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED BY THE  
4 DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.

5 (2) AFTER RECEIVING THE REPORTS UNDER SUBSECTION (1), THE  
6 DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE SHALL COMPILE THE INFORMATION RECEIVED  
7 WITH THE SAME INFORMATION REGARDING THE USE OF REGISTRATION PLATE  
8 READING DEVICES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE FOR THE PRECEDING  
9 CALENDAR YEAR. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE SHALL PREPARE A  
10 REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF  
11 REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE WITH JURISDICTION OVER  
12 TRANSPORTATION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT MATTERS THAT CONTAINS THE  
13 INFORMATION COMPILED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.

14 (3) THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE SHALL ANNUALLY REIMBURSE A  
15 LOCAL OR COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY FOR THE COST OF COMPILING  
16 AND PROVIDING INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION.

17 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "REGISTRATION PLATE READING  
18 DEVICE" MEANS A DEVICE THAT USES AUTOMATED HIGH-SPEED CAMERA AND  
19 OPTICAL CHARACTER RECOGNITION TECHNOLOGY TO PASSIVELY READ MOTOR  
20 VEHICLE REGISTRATION PLATE INFORMATION, THAT IMMEDIATELY COMPARES  
21 THAT INFORMATION AGAINST OTHER INFORMATION CONTAINED WITHIN OR  
22 ACCESSIBLE TO THE DEVICE, THAT SENDS AN AUDIBLE OR VISUAL ALERT IF  
23 DATA ARE DETERMINED BY THE DEVICE TO BE RELEVANT, AND THAT STORES  
24 REGISTRATION PLATE INFORMATION THAT HAS BEEN READ FOR A PRESCRIBED  
25 PERIOD OF TIME.