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## BILL ANALYSIS



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Senate Bill 141 (as passed by the Senate)  
Sponsor: Senator Coleman Young  
Committee: Judiciary

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**CONTENT**

**The bill would amend the sentencing guidelines in the Code of Criminal Procedure to revise the Michigan Compiled Laws (MCL) citation to a section of the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act that prescribes a penalty for the illegal sale of marihuana by a qualifying patient or a registered caregiver.**

The bill is tie-barred to House Bill 4210 (Public Act 283 of 2016), which amends the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act, effective December 20, 2016, to add provisions concerning marihuana-infused products and make other changes, including changes to Section 4 of the Act (MCL 333.26424). Under current law, MCL 333.26424(k) provides that a registered qualifying patient or registered primary caregiver who sells marihuana to someone who is not allowed to use marihuana for medical purposes is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for up to two years or a maximum fine of \$2,000, or both. Under House Bill 4210, that provision is contained in MCL 333.26426(l).

Senate Bill 141 would refer in the sentencing guidelines to "333.26426(l)", rather than "333.26426(k)".

MCL 777.13n

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**FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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