SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 5917

A bill to prohibit a local unit of government from enacting or enforcing an ordinance, policy, resolution, or rule that regulates a qualified pet shop located in that local unit of government; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain local officers and officials.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. (1) The governing body of a local unit of government
- 2 shall not enact or enforce an ordinance, policy, resolution, or
- 3 rule that regulates a qualified pet shop located in a business
- 4 district of that local unit of government.
- 5 (2) Any provision in an ordinance, policy, resolution, or rule
- 6 adopted by the governing body of a local unit of government on or
- 7 after the effective date of this act that violates this act is void
- 8 and unenforceable.

- 1 (3) As used in this act:
- 2 (a) "Business district" means an area of a local unit of
- 3 government zoned and used primarily for business.
- 4 (b) "Governing body" means the body in which the legislative
- 5 powers of a local unit of government are vested.
- 6 (c) "Local unit of government" means a county, city, village,
- 7 or township.
- 8 (d) "Qualified pet shop" means a pet shop that complies with
- 9 all of the requirements in section 5b of 1969 PA 287, MCL 287.335b.
- 10 Enacting section 1. This act takes effect 90 days after the
- 11 date it is enacted into law.
- 12 Enacting section 2. This act does not take effect unless House
- 13 Bill No. 5916 of the 99th Legislature is enacted into law.