HOUSE BILL No. 4665

April 24, 2001, Introduced by Rep. Rocca and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code,"

(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 626c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- (1) A PERSON SHALL NOT DRIVE OR ATTEMPT TO DRIVE
- 2 A VEHICLE ON OR ACROSS A HIGHWAY THAT IS FLOODED DUE TO THE OVER-
- 3 FLOW OF A RIVER OR STREAM UNLESS THE DRIVER IS ABLE TO SEE THE
- 4 ROADBED AND THE SHOULDER ON 1 SIDE OF THE HIGHWAY.
- 5 SHALL NOT DRIVE OR ATTEMPT TO DRIVE A VEHICLE ON OR ACROSS THE
- 6 ROADBED OF A BRIDGE THAT IS FLOODED DUE TO THE OVERFLOW OF A
- 7 RIVER OR STREAM.
- (2) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDE-
- 9 MEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 90 DAYS OR A

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