SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 254

A bill to make appropriations for the state transportation department and certain transportation purposes for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010; to provide for the imposition of fees; to provide for reports; to create certain funds and programs; to prescribe requirements for certain railroad and bus facilities; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain state departments and officials and local units of government; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 PART 1
 2 LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
 3 Sec. 101. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the
- 4 amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the state

1	transportation department and certain state purposes designated in
2	this act for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, from the
3	funds indicated in this part. The following is a summary of the
4	appropriations in this part:
5	STATE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
6	APPROPRIATION SUMMARY
7	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0
8	Full-time equated classified positions 3,008.3
9	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$ 3,244,620,900
10	Interdepartmental grant revenues:
11	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental
12	transfers 0
13	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION\$ 3,244,620,900
14	Federal revenues:
15	DOT, federal transit act
16	DOT, federal aviation administration
17	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction 1,059,667,700
18	DOT-FRA, local rail service assistance
19	DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT
20	Total federal revenues
21	Special revenue funds:
22	Local funds 56,073,400
23	Total local revenues
24	Total private revenues
25	Blue Water Bridge fund
26	Comprehensive transportation fund
27	Economic development fund

1	Intercity bus equipment fund		2,000,000
2	Local bridge fund		30,223,700
3	Michigan transportation fund		967,840,400
4	Rail preservation fund		2,000,000
5	State aeronautics fund		14,869,000
6	State trunkline fund		667,721,100
7	Total other state restricted revenues		1,961,843,000
8	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
9	TOTAL STATE SPENDING		1,961,843,000
10	Sec. 102. DEBT SERVICE		
11	State trunkline	\$	203,125,200
12	Economic development		9,228,200
13	Local bridge fund		3,318,700
14	Blue Water Bridge		2,149,600
15	Airport safety and protection plan		3,472,400
16	Comprehensive transportation	_	29,843,200
17	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	251,137,300
18	Appropriated from:		
19	Federal revenues:		
20	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		57,663,500
21	Special revenue funds:		
22	Blue Water Bridge fund		2,149,600
23	Comprehensive transportation fund		29,843,200
24	Economic development fund		9,228,200
25	Local bridge fund		3,318,700
26	State aeronautics fund		3,472,400
27	State trunkline fund		145,461,700

1	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
2	Sec. 103. INTERDEPARTMENT AND STATUTORY CONTRACTS	
3	Michigan transportation fund (MTF)	
4	MTF grant to department of state for collection of	
5	revenue and fees	\$ 20,000,000
6	MTF grant to department of treasury	7,440,700
7	MTF grant to legislative auditor general	204,300
8	State trunkline fund (STF)	
9	STF grant to department of attorney general	2,867,400
10	STF grant to civil service commission	5,697,000
11	STF grant to department of history, arts, and	
12	libraries	83,100
13	STF grant to department of management and budget	1,105,200
14	STF grant to department of state police	9,808,000
15	STF grant to department of treasury	179,100
16	STF grant to legislative auditor general	474,600
17	State aeronautics fund (SAF)	
18	SAF grant to department of attorney general	160,300
19	SAF grant to civil service commission	150,000
20	SAF grant to department of history, arts, and	
21	libraries	1,900
22	SAF grant to department of management and budget	22,800
23	SAF grant to department of treasury	74,700
24	SAF grant to legislative auditor general	19,600
25	Comprehensive transportation fund (CTF)	
26	CTF grant to attorney general	162,400
27	CTF grant to civil service commission	200,000

1	CTF grant to department of history, arts, and	
2	libraries	2,700
3	CTF grant to department of management and budget	32,100
4	CTF grant to department of treasury	4,100
5	CTF grant to legislative auditor general	25,200
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	48,715,200
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Comprehensive transportation fund	426,500
10	Michigan transportation fund	27,645,000
11	State aeronautics fund	429,300
12	State trunkline fund	20,214,400
13	State general fund/general purpose \$	0
14	Sec. 104. EXECUTIVE DIRECTION	
15	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
16	Full-time equated classified positions 31.3	
17	Director\$	140,000
18	Communications director	82,400
19	Governmental affairs director	93,700
20	Business development director	88,000
21	UPTRAN director	121,100
22	Commission advisor	77,600
23	Asset management council	1,626,400
24	Commission audit	
25	Salaries and fringe benefits31.3 FTE positions	3,463,300
26	Travel	56,700
27	Other operational expenses	54,600

1	Subtotal - commission audit	 3,574,600
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 5,803,800
3	Appropriated from:	
4	Special revenue funds:	
5	Michigan transportation fund	1,626,400
6	State trunkline fund	4,177,400
7	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
8	Sec. 105. BUSINESS SUPPORT	
9	Full-time equated classified positions 57.0	
10	Business support services	
11	Salaries and fringe benefits48.0 FTE positions	\$ 5,360,400
12	Travel	146,900
13	Other operational expenses	543,600
14	Subtotal - business support services	6,050,900
15	Economic development and enhancement programs	
16	Salaries and fringe benefits9.0 FTE positions	1,071,700
17	Travel	26,400
18	Other operational expenses	77,100
19	Subtotal - economic development and enhancement	
20	programs	1,175,200
21	Property management	8,642,100
22	Worker's compensation	 1,726,700
23	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 17,594,900
24	Appropriated from:	
25	Special revenue funds:	
26	Comprehensive transportation fund	1,102,900
27	Economic development fund	482,700

1	Michigan transportation fund	185,000
2	State aeronautics fund	549,600
3	State trunkline fund	15,274,700
4	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
5	Sec. 106. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
6	<pre>Information technology services and projects \$_</pre>	29,313,200
7	GROSS APPROPRIATION	29,313,200
8	Appropriated from:	
9	Federal revenues:	
10	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction	510,800
11	Special revenue funds:	
12	Blue Water Bridge fund	48,200
13	Comprehensive transportation fund	188,800
14	Economic development fund	37,100
15	Michigan transportation fund	249,400
16	State aeronautics fund	147,400
17	State trunkline fund	28,131,500
18	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
19	Sec. 107. FINANCE, CONTRACTS AND SUPPORT SERVICES	
20	Full-time equated classified positions 243.5	
21	Financial operations	
22	Salaries and fringe benefits80.0 FTE positions \$	7,371,900
23	Travel	32,700
24	Other operational expenses	625,000
25	Subtotal - financial operations	8,029,600
26	Contract services	
27	Salaries and fringe benefits53.6 FTE positions	4,960,000

1	Travel	5,500
2	Other operational expenses	165,000
3	Subtotal - contract services	5,130,500
4	Departmental services	
5	Salaries and fringe benefits41.9 FTE positions	3,997,200
6	Travel	43,900
7	Other operational expenses	1,310,300
8	Subtotal - departmental services	5,351,400
9	Performance excellence	
10	Salaries and fringe benefits13.0 FTE positions	1,349,500
11	Travel	12,500
12	Other operational expenses	198,300
13	Subtotal - performance excellence	1,560,300
14	Welcome center operations	
15	Salaries and fringe benefits55.0 FTE positions	3,829,500
16	Travel	50,500
17	Other operational expenses	1,106,500
18	Subtotal - welcome center operations	4,986,500
19	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	25,058,300
20	Appropriated from:	
21	Special revenue funds:	
22	Michigan transportation fund	1,625,200
23	State trunkline fund	23,433,100
24	State general fund/general purpose \$	0
25	Sec. 108. TRANSPORTATION PLANNING	
26	Full-time equated classified positions 176.0	
27	Statewide planning services	

1	Salaries and fringe benefits124.0 FTE positions	\$ 12,618,200
2	Travel	265,000
3	Other operational expenses	653,000
4	Subtotal - statewide planning services	13,536,200
5	Data collection services	
6	Salaries and fringe benefits52.0 FTE positions	5,107,700
7	Travel	291,300
8	Other operational expenses	494,400
9	Subtotal - data collection services	5,893,400
10	Specialized planning services and local studies	16,482,900
11	Grants to regional planning councils	488,800
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 36,401,300
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Federal revenues:	
15	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction	22,000,000
16	Special revenue funds:	
17	Comprehensive transportation fund	745,000
18	Michigan transportation fund	6,304,500
19	State aeronautics fund	75,000
20	State trunkline fund	7,276,800
21	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
22	Sec. 109. DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES	
23	Full-time equated classified positions 1,494.8	
24	Engineering services	
25	Salaries and fringe benefits787.1 FTE positions	\$ 40,899,800
26	Travel	800,000
27	Other operational expenses	21,292,900

1	Subtotal - engineering services	62,992,700
2	Program services	
3	Salaries and fringe benefits695.7 FTE positions	34,932,000
4	Travel	491,400
5	Other operational expenses	5,000,000
6	Subtotal - program services	40,423,400
7	Intelligent transportation systems	
8	Salaries and fringe benefits12.0 FTE positions	908,500
9	Travel	10,000
10	Other operational expenses	9,866,900
11	Subtotal - intelligent transportation systems services _	10,785,400
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	114,201,500
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Federal revenues:	
15	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction	23,529,800
16	Special revenue funds:	
17	Michigan transportation fund	5,835,200
18	State trunkline fund	84,836,500
19	State general fund/general purpose \$	0
20	Sec. 110. HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE	
21	Full-time equated classified positions 834.7	
22	State trunkline operations	
23	Salaries and fringe benefits834.7 FTE positions \$	69,889,800
24	Travel	900,000
25	Other operational expenses	65,878,000
26	Subtotal - state trunkline operations	136,667,800
27	Contract operations	149,860,300

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	286,528,100
2	Appropriated from:		
3	Special revenue funds:		
4	State trunkline fund		286,528,100
5	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
6	Sec. 111. ROAD AND BRIDGE PROGRAMS		
7	State trunkline federal aid and road and bridge		
8	construction	\$	794,418,800
9	Local federal aid and road and bridge construction		248,751,000
10	Grants to local programs		33,000,000
11	Rail grade crossing		3,000,000
12	Local bridge fund		26,905,000
13	County road commissions		568,937,400
14	Cities and villages	_	317,208,000
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	1,992,220,200
16	Appropriated from:		
17	Federal revenues:		
18	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		955,963,600
19	Special revenue funds:		
20	Local funds		30,000,000
21	Blue Water Bridge fund		7,107,300
22	Local bridge fund		26,905,000
23	Michigan transportation fund		922,145,400
24	State trunkline fund		50,098,900
25	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
26	Sec. 112. BLUE WATER BRIDGE		
27	Full-time equated classified positions 41.0		

1	Blue Water Bridge operations	
2	Salaries and fringe benefits41.0 FTE positions	\$ 3,310,400
3	Travel	11,000
4	Other operational expenses	 2,079,800
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 5,401,200
6	Appropriated from:	
7	Special revenue funds:	
8	Blue Water Bridge fund	5,401,200
9	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
10	Sec. 113. TRANSPORTATION ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND	
11	Forest roads	\$ 5,000,000
12	Rural county urban system	2,500,000
13	Target industries/economic redevelopment	8,863,400
14	Urban county congestion	8,681,800
15	Rural county primary	 8,681,800
16	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 33,727,000
17	Appropriated from:	
18	Special revenue funds:	
19	Economic development fund	33,727,000
20	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
21	Sec. 114. AERONAUTICS AND FREIGHT SERVICES	
22	Full-time equated classified positions 84.0	
23	Airport improvement services	
24	Salaries and fringe benefits30.0 FTE positions	\$ 2,719,880
25	Travel	30,775
26	Other operational expenses	185,345
27	Subtotal - airport improvement services	2,936,000

1	Aviation services	
2	Salaries and fringe benefits26.0 FTE positions	2,624,361
3	Travel	107,145
4	Other operational expenses	1,535,594
5	Subtotal - aviation services	4,267,100
6	Freight and safety services	
7	Salaries and fringe benefits28.0 FTE positions	2,858,200
8	Travel	100,400
9	Other operational expenses	295,800
10	Subtotal - freight and safety services	3,254,400
11	Air service program	464,600
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	10,922,100
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Special revenue funds:	
15	Comprehensive transportation fund	1,233,100
16	Michigan transportation fund	2,021,300
17	State aeronautics fund	7,667,700
18	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
19	Sec. 115. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	
20	Full-time equated classified positions 46.0	
21	Passenger transportation services	
22	Salaries and fringe benefits46.0 FTE positions \$	3,931,480
23	Travel	111,070
24	Other operational expenses	514,850
25	Subtotal - passenger transportation services	4,557,400
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	4,557,400
27	Appropriated from:	

1	Federal revenues:		
2	DOT, federal transit act		762,100
3	Special revenue funds:		
4	Comprehensive transportation fund		3,592,300
5	Michigan transportation fund		203,000
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
7	Sec. 116. BUS TRANSIT DIVISION: STATUTORY OPERATING		
8	Local bus operating	\$	162,340,600
9	Nonurban operating/capital	_	21,800,000
10	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	184,140,600
11	Appropriated from:		
12	Federal revenues:		
13	DOT, federal transit act		21,000,000
14	Special revenue funds:		
15	Local funds		800,000
16	Comprehensive transportation fund		162,340,600
17	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
18	Sec. 117. INTERCITY PASSENGER AND FREIGHT		
19	Freight property management	\$	1,000,000
20	Detroit/Wayne County port authority		368,200
21	Intercity services		7,250,000
22	Rail passenger service		6,667,000
23	Freight preservation and development		3,364,200
24	Marine passenger services		400,000
25	Terminal development	_	150,000
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	19,199,400
27	Appropriated from:		

1	Federal revenues:	
2	DOT, federal transit act	4,500,000
3	DOT-FRA, local rail service assistance	100,000
4	DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT	3,000,000
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Local funds	50,000
7	Comprehensive transportation fund	7,549,400
8	Intercity bus equipment fund	2,000,000
9	Rail preservation fund	2,000,000
10	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
11	Sec. 118. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT	
12	Specialized services	\$ 7,248,100
13	Municipal credit program	1,373,000
14	Bus capital	35,178,200
15	Service initiatives	1,050,000
16	Transportation to work	 9,136,400
17	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 53,985,700
18	Appropriated from:	
19	Federal revenues:	
20	DOT, federal transit act	32,800,000
21	Special revenue funds:	
22	Local funds	9,200,000
23	Comprehensive transportation fund	11,985,700
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
25	Sec. 119. CAPITAL OUTLAY	
26	(1) BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES	
27	Miscellaneous special maintenance, remodeling, and	

1	additions	\$ 2,288,000
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 2,288,000
3	Appropriated from:	
4	Special revenue funds:	
5	State trunkline fund	2,288,000
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
7	(2) AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS	
8	Airport safety, protection, & improvement program	\$ 123,425,700
9	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 123,425,700
10	Appropriated from:	
11	Federal revenues:	
12	DOT, federal aviation administration	104,874,700
13	Special revenue funds:	
14	Local funds	16,023,400
15	State aeronautics fund	2,527,600
16	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0

17 PART 2

18 PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

19 GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources under part 1 for fiscal year 2009-2010 is \$1,961,843,000.00 and state spending from state resources to be paid to local units of government for fiscal year 2009-2010 is \$1,148,974,900.00. The itemized statement below identifies appropriations from which

1	spending to units of local government will occur:
2	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
3	Grants to local programs \$ 33,000,000
4	Economic development fund
5	Grants to cities and villages
6	Grants to county road commissions 568,937,400
7	Local bridge fund
8	Grants to regional planning councils
9	Local bus operating
10	Bus capital
11	Marine passenger service
12	Detroit/Wayne County port authority
13	Municipal credit program
14	Specialized services
15	Transportation to work
16	Airport safety, protection, and improvement
17	program2,527,600
18	Total payments to local units of government \$ 1,148,974,900
19	Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are
20	subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101
21	to 18.1594.
22	Sec. 203. As used in this act:
23	(a) "CTF" means comprehensive transportation fund.
24	(b) "Department" means the department of transportation.
25	(c) "DOT" means the United States department of
26	transportation.

27 (d) "DOT-FHWA" means DOT, federal highway administration.

- 1 (e) "DOT-FRA" means DOT, federal railroad administration.
- 2 (f) "DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT" means DOT, federal railroad
- 3 administration, high-speed ground transportation.
- 4 (g) "EDF" means economic development fund.
- 5 (h) "FTE" means full-time equated.
- 6 (i) "MTF" means Michigan transportation fund.
- 7 (j) "RIF" means recreation improvement fund.
- 8 (k) "SAF" means state aeronautics fund.
- 9 (1) "STF" means state trunkline fund.
- 10 Sec. 204. The civil service commission shall bill the
- 11 departments and agencies at the end of the first fiscal quarter for
- 12 the 1% charge authorized by section 5 of article XI of the state
- 13 constitution of 1963. Payments shall be made for the total amount
- 14 of the billing by the end of the second fiscal quarter.
- 15 Sec. 205. (1) A hiring freeze is imposed on the state
- 16 classified civil service. State departments and agencies are
- 17 prohibited from hiring any new full-time state classified civil
- 18 service employees and prohibited from filling any vacant state
- 19 classified civil service positions. This hiring freeze does not
- 20 apply to internal transfers of classified employees from 1 position
- 21 to another within a department.
- 22 (2) The state budget director may grant exceptions to this
- 23 hiring freeze when the state budget director believes that the
- 24 hiring freeze will result in rendering a state department or agency
- 25 unable to deliver basic services, causes loss of revenue to the
- 26 state, would result in the inability of the state to receive
- 27 federal funds, or would necessitate additional expenditures that

- 1 exceed any savings from maintaining a vacancy. The state budget
- 2 director shall report quarterly to the chairpersons of the senate
- 3 and house of representatives standing committees on appropriations
- 4 the number of exceptions to the hiring freeze approved during the
- 5 previous quarter and the reasons to justify the exception.
- 6 Sec. 206. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 7 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$200,000,000.00 for
- 8 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 9 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 10 in this act pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget
- 11 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 12 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$40,000,000.00 for state
- 14 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 15 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 16 in this act pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget
- 17 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 18 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 19 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for local
- 20 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 21 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 22 pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- 23 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 24 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for private
- 26 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 27 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act

- 1 pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- 2 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 3 Sec. 207. When beginning any effort to privatize, the
- 4 department shall submit a complete project plan to the house of
- 5 representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 6 transportation, the state budget office, and the house and senate
- 7 fiscal agencies. The plan shall include the rationale for
- 8 privatization, including a cost-benefit analysis if appropriate.
- 9 The evaluation shall be completed and submitted to the appropriate
- 10 senate and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees
- 11 and the senate and house fiscal agencies. As used in this section,
- 12 "privatize" or "privatization" means the transfer of state highway
- 13 maintenance or activities currently performed by department forces,
- 14 or by boards of county road commissioners, county boards of
- 15 commissioners, or local units of government under contract with the
- 16 department, to private contractors.
- 17 Sec. 208. Unless otherwise specified, the department shall use
- 18 the Internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this act.
- 19 This requirement may include transmission of reports via electronic
- 20 mail to the recipients identified for each reporting requirement or
- 21 it may include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet
- **22** site.
- 23 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for
- 24 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if
- 25 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or
- 26 services, or both, are available. Preference should be given to
- 27 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan

1 businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable

- 2 quality. In addition, preference should be given to goods or
- 3 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 4 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are
- 5 competitively priced and of comparable quality.
- 6 Sec. 210. The director of each department receiving
- 7 appropriations in part 1 may take all reasonable steps to ensure
- 8 businesses in deprived and depressed communities compete for and
- 9 perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The
- 10 director shall encourage firms with which the department contracts
- 11 to subcontract with certified businesses in deprived and depressed
- 12 communities for services, supplies, or both.
- Sec. 211. The departments and state agencies receiving
- 14 appropriations under this act shall receive and retain copies of
- 15 all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. These departments
- 16 and state agencies shall follow federal and state guidelines for
- 17 short-term and long-term retention of these reports and records.
- 18 Sec. 258. Amounts appropriated in part 1 for information
- 19 technology may be designated as work projects and carried forward
- 20 to support technology projects under the direction of the
- 21 department of information technology. Funds designated in this
- 22 manner are not available for expenditure until approved as work
- 23 projects under section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984
- 24 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a.
- Sec. 259. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
- 26 information technology, the department shall pay user fees to the
- 27 department of information technology for technology-related

- 1 services and projects. The user fees shall be subject to provisions
- 2 of an interagency agreement between the department and the
- 3 department of information technology.
- 4 Sec. 260. (1) Due to the current budgetary problems in this
- 5 state, out-of-state travel shall be limited to situations in which
- 6 1 or more of the following conditions apply:
- 7 (a) The travel is required by legal mandate or court order or
- 8 for law enforcement purposes.
- 9 (b) The travel is necessary to protect the health or safety of
- 10 Michigan citizens or visitors or to assist other states in similar
- 11 circumstances.
- 12 (c) The travel is necessary to produce budgetary savings or to
- increase state revenues, including protecting existing federal
- 14 funds or securing additional federal funds.
- 15 (d) The travel is necessary to comply with federal
- 16 requirements.
- 17 (e) The travel is necessary to secure specialized training for
- 18 staff that is not available within this state.
- 19 (f) The travel is financed entirely by federal or nonstate
- 20 funds.
- 21 (2) If out-of-state travel is necessary but does not meet 1 or
- 22 more of the conditions in subsection (1), the state budget director
- 23 may grant an exception to allow the travel. Any exceptions granted
- 24 by the state budget director shall be reported on a monthly basis
- 25 to the house and senate appropriations committees.
- 26 (3) Not later than January 1 of each year, each department
- 27 shall prepare a travel report listing all travel by classified and

- 1 unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately
- 2 preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with
- 3 funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be

- 4 submitted to the chairs and members of the house and senate
- 5 appropriations committees, the fiscal agencies, and the state
- 6 budget director. The report shall include the following
- 7 information:
- 8 (a) The name of each person receiving reimbursement for travel
- 9 outside this state or whose travel costs were paid by this state.
- 10 (b) The destination of each travel occurrence.
- 11 (c) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- 12 (d) A brief statement of the reason for each travel
- 13 occurrence.
- 14 (e) The transportation and related costs of each travel
- 15 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
- 16 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state
- 17 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
- 18 and the proportion funded with other revenues.
- 19 (f) A total of all out-of-state travel funded for the
- 20 immediately preceding fiscal year.
- 21 Sec. 261. A department or state agency shall not take
- 22 disciplinary action against an employee for communicating with a
- 23 member of the legislature or their staff.
- 24 Sec. 262. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a
- 25 principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire
- 26 a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of
- 27 the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal

1 services for bonding activities and for those activities that the

- 2 attorney general authorizes.
- 3 Sec. 263. (1) The department shall report no later than April
- 4 1, 2010 on each specific policy change made to implement a public
- 5 act affecting the department that took effect during the prior
- 6 calendar year to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees
- 7 on the budget for the department, the joint committee on
- 8 administrative rules, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 9 (2) Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by the
- 10 department to adopt a rule that will apply to a small business and
- 11 that will have a disproportionate economic impact on small
- 12 businesses because of the size of those businesses if the
- 13 department fails to reduce the disproportionate economic impact of
- 14 the rule on small businesses as provided under section 40 of the
- administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.240.
- 16 (3) As used in this section:
- 17 (a) "Rule" means that term as defined under section 7 of the
- 18 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.207.
- 19 (b) "Small business" means that term as defined under section
- 20 7a of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL
- **21** 24.207a.
- 22 Sec. 264. The department shall continue its efforts to
- 23 implement continuous process improvement programs. On or before
- 24 March 1, 2010, the department shall report to the state budget
- 25 director, the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 26 transportation, and the house and senate fiscal agencies on
- 27 department activities to increase efficiency in the delivery of

- 1 core programs. The report shall include a description of activities
- 2 of the performance excellence section in identifying and
- 3 implementing business process improvements.
- 4 Sec. 265. The department shall not approve the travel of more
- 5 than 1 departmental employee to a specific professional development
- 6 conference or training seminar that is located outside of this
- 7 state unless a professional development conference or training
- 8 seminar that is funded by a federal or private funding source and
- 9 requires more than 1 person from a department to attend or the
- 10 conference or training seminar includes more than 1 issue in which
- 11 1 employee from the department does not have expertise.

12 DEPARTMENTAL SECTIONS

- Sec. 301. (1) The department may establish a fee schedule and
- 14 collect fees sufficient to cover the costs to issue the permits
- 15 that the department is authorized by law to issue upon request,
- 16 unless otherwise stipulated by law. All permit fees are
- 17 nonrefundable application fees and shall be credited to the
- 18 appropriate fund to recover the direct and indirect costs of
- 19 receiving, reviewing, and processing the requests.
- 20 (2) A bridge authority shall hold 3 public hearings on an
- 21 increase in any toll charged by the authority at least 30 days
- 22 before the toll change will become effective. Two of the hearings
- 23 shall be held within 5 miles of the bridge over which the bridge
- 24 authority has jurisdiction. One hearing shall be held in Lansing.
- 25 Public hearings held under this section shall be conducted in
- 26 accordance with the open meetings act, 1976 PA 267, MCL 15.261 to

- 1 15.275, and shall be conducted so as to provide a reasonable
- 2 opportunity for public comment, including both spoken and written

- 3 comments.
- 4 Sec. 303. On request, the department shall provide to a
- 5 legislator, in writing, a report on the amount of money to be
- 6 received by each city and village and the county road commission of
- 7 each county, that is included in whole or in part within the
- 8 legislator's legislative district.
- 9 Sec. 304. If, as a requirement of bidding on a highway
- 10 project, the department requires a contractor to submit financial
- 11 or proprietary documentation as to how the bid was calculated, that
- 12 bid documentation shall be kept confidential and shall not be
- 13 disclosed other than to a department representative without the
- 14 contractor's written consent. The department may disclose the bid
- 15 documentation if necessary to address or defend a claim by a
- 16 contractor.
- 17 Sec. 305. The department shall permit space on public
- 18 passenger transportation properties to be occupied by public or
- 19 private tenants on a competitive market rate basis. The department
- 20 shall require that revenue from the tenants be placed in an account
- 21 to be used to pay the costs to maintain the property.
- Sec. 306. (1) The amounts appropriated in section 103 to
- 23 support tax and fee collection, law enforcement, and other program
- 24 services provided to the department and to transportation funds by
- 25 other state departments shall be expended from transportation funds
- 26 pursuant to annual contracts between the department and those other
- 27 state departments. The contracts shall be executed prior to the

- 1 expenditure or obligation of those funds. The contracts shall
- 2 provide, but are not limited to, the following data applicable to

- 3 each state department:
- 4 (a) Estimated costs to be recovered from transportation funds.
- 5 (b) Description of services provided to the department and/or
- 6 transportation funds and financed with transportation funds.
- 7 (c) Detailed cost allocation methods appropriate to the type
- 8 of services being provided and the activities financed with
- 9 transportation funds.
- 10 (2) Not later than 2 months after publication of the state of
- 11 Michigan comprehensive annual financial report, each state
- 12 department receiving funding pursuant to an interdepartment
- 13 contract with the department shall submit a written report to the
- 14 department, the state budget director, and the house and senate
- 15 fiscal agencies stating by spending authorization account the
- 16 amount of estimated funds contracted with the department, the
- 17 amount of funds expended, the amount of funds returned to the
- 18 transportation funds, and any unreimbursed transportation-related
- 19 costs incurred but not billed to transportation funds. A copy of
- 20 the report shall be submitted to the auditor general, and the
- 21 report shall be subject to audit by the auditor general as provided
- 22 in subsection (4).
- 23 (3) In addition to the requirements of subsection (2), the
- 24 state treasurer shall develop a cost allocation plan to identify
- 25 the actual costs of work based on time and effort performed by the
- 26 Michigan department of treasury for state-restricted transportation
- 27 funds. The cost allocation plan shall specifically identify the

- 1 costs of collecting constitutionally restricted motor fuel taxes.
- 2 The cost allocation plan shall be submitted to the senate and house

- 3 of representatives standing committees on appropriations
- 4 subcommittees on general government, the senate and house fiscal
- 5 agencies, the auditor general, and the state budget director by
- 6 November 1. The cost allocation plan shall be subject to audit by
- 7 the auditor general.
- 8 (4) Biennially, in each even-numbered fiscal year, the auditor
- 9 general shall conduct an audit of charges to transportation funds
- 10 by state departments for the 2 preceding fiscal years. The audit
- 11 shall include both charges governed by interdepartmental contracts
- 12 as well as miscellaneous charges from other state departments not
- 13 governed by contracts. The auditor general shall prepare a detailed
- 14 report, with recommendations and conclusions, including a summary
- 15 of charges and related services to transportation funds by
- 16 department, the appropriateness of those charges, the cost
- 17 allocation methodologies used in determining the level of funding,
- 18 and any unreimbursed transportation-related costs, if any. The
- 19 report shall be provided to the senate and house of representatives
- 20 committees on appropriations, the senate and house fiscal agencies,
- 21 and the state budget director 9 months after publication of the
- 22 state of Michigan comprehensive annual financial report.
- 23 Sec. 307. Before March 1 of each year, the department will
- 24 provide to the legislature, the state budget office, and the house
- 25 and senate fiscal agencies its rolling 5-year plan listing by
- 26 county or by county road commission all highway construction
- 27 projects for the fiscal year and all expected projects for the

- 1 ensuing fiscal years.
- 2 Sec. 308. The department and local road agencies that receive
- 3 appropriations under this act shall pursue compliance with contract
- 4 specifications for construction and maintenance of state highways
- 5 and local roads and streets. Work shall not be accepted and paid
- 6 for until it complies with contract requirements. Contractors with
- 7 unsatisfactory performance ratings shall be restricted from future
- 8 bidding through the prequalification process established by the
- 9 department or a local road agency. The department, county road
- 10 commissions, and cities and villages shall report to the house of
- 11 representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 12 transportation, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state
- 13 budget director on their respective activities under this section.
- 14 Sec. 309. The department shall reduce administrative costs and
- 15 provide the maximum funding possible for construction projects.
- 16 Sec. 310. The department shall provide in a timely manner
- 17 copies of the agenda and approved minutes of monthly transportation
- 18 commission meetings to the members of the house and senate
- 19 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the house and
- 20 senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget director.
- 21 Sec. 312. At the close of the fiscal year, any unencumbered
- 22 and unexpended balance in the state trunkline fund shall remain in
- 23 the state trunkline fund and shall carry forward and is
- 24 appropriated for federal aid road and bridge programs for projects
- 25 contained in the annual state transportation program.
- 26 Sec. 313. (1) From funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 27 department may increase a state infrastructure bank program and

- 1 grant or loan funds in accordance with regulations of the state
- 2 infrastructure bank program of the United States department of
- 3 transportation. The state infrastructure bank is to be administered
- 4 by the department for the purpose of providing a revolving, self-
- 5 sustaining resource for financing transportation infrastructure
- 6 projects.
- 7 (2) In addition to funds provided in subsection (1), money
- 8 received by the state as federal grants, repayment of state
- 9 infrastructure bank loans, or other reimbursement or revenue
- 10 received by the state as a result of projects funded by the program
- 11 and interest earned on that money shall be deposited in the
- 12 revolving state infrastructure bank fund and shall be available for
- 13 transportation infrastructure projects. At the close of the fiscal
- 14 year, any unencumbered funds remaining in the state infrastructure
- 15 bank fund shall remain in the fund and be carried forward into the
- 16 succeeding fiscal year.
- 17 Sec. 314. The department shall provide a report prepared by
- 18 the department's internal auditor on the activities of the internal
- 19 auditor for the previous fiscal year. The report shall be due on
- 20 February 1 of each year and shall be submitted to the senate and
- 21 house of representatives appropriations committees, the senate and
- 22 house fiscal agencies, the director of the state budget office, and
- 23 the auditor general. This report shall include a list of all of the
- 24 following:
- 25 (a) All work activities conducted by the internal auditor,
- 26 including a listing of all audits, reviews, and investigations.
- 27 (b) The time charged to each work activity, including time

- 1 charged to each audit, review, or investigation.
- 2 (c) A listing of which audits, reviews, and investigations
- 3 have been completed and which audits, reviews, and investigations

- 4 have had reports of the results issued.
- 5 Sec. 319. The department shall post signs at each rest area to
- 6 identify the agency or contractor responsible for maintenance of
- 7 the rest area. The signs shall include a department telephone
- 8 number and shall indicate that unsafe or unclean conditions at the
- 9 rest area may be reported to that telephone number.
- Sec. 324. From the funds appropriated in part 1, \$500,000.00
- 11 from the state trunkline fund shall be used for enhanced
- 12 construction zone traffic law enforcement and the "give 'em a
- 13 brake" campaign. The funding shall be used to reimburse law
- 14 enforcement agencies for costs associated with construction zone
- 15 traffic enforcement. The funding shall be provided based on
- 16 approved memoranda of understanding between the department and
- 17 participating law enforcement agencies.
- 18 Sec. 334. The department shall continue its program to
- 19 increase the use of women- and minority-owned businesses in state
- 20 and local road construction projects. This program shall comprise,
- 21 at a minimum, outreach and education efforts to inform women- and
- 22 minority-owned firms of department competitive bidding processes
- 23 and requirements, and an assessment of the availability of surety
- 24 for women- and minority-owned businesses. The department shall
- 25 report by September 30 of each year to the house and senate
- 26 appropriations subcommittees on transportation and the house and
- 27 senate fiscal agencies of its progress in complying with this

- 1 section.
- 2 Sec. 353. The department shall review its contractor payment

- 3 process and ensure that all prime contractors are paid promptly.
- 4 The department shall ensure that prime contractors are in
- 5 compliance with special provision 109.10 regarding the prompt
- 6 payment of subcontractors.
- 7 Sec. 357. When presented with complete local federal aid
- 8 project submittals, the department shall complete all necessary
- 9 reviews and inspections required to let local federal aid projects
- 10 within 120 days of receipt. The department shall implement a system
- 11 for monitoring the local federal aid project review process.
- Sec. 361. The department will notify the senate and house
- 13 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the senate and
- 14 house fiscal agencies, and the state budget director of any changes
- 15 to the services or function of the multi-modal transportation
- 16 services program as approved by the state transportation
- 17 commission.
- 18 Sec. 374. The department shall produce and distribute all
- 19 employee newsletters electronically.
- Sec. 375. The department is prohibited from reimbursing
- 21 contractors or consultants for costs associated with groundbreaking
- 22 ceremonies, receptions, open houses, or press conferences related
- 23 to transportation projects funded, in whole or in part, by revenue
- 24 appropriated in part 1.
- Sec. 376. No later than March 1 of each year, the department
- 26 shall report to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees
- 27 on transportation on the status of the 17 projects that were

- 1 initially deferred in the department's 5-year plan in 2003 and
- 2 subsequently restored.
- 3 Sec. 383. (1) The department shall prepare a quarterly report

- 4 on all travel by executive branch employees, and others including
- 5 local public officials, university employees, and other public
- 6 employees on department-owned aircraft. The report shall include,
- 7 by department, the name of the traveler, the travel origination
- 8 location, the travel destination location, type of aircraft, and
- 9 the total estimated costs associated with the air travel.
- 10 (2) The report shall be submitted to the senate and house
- 11 appropriations subcommittees on transportation and the house and
- 12 senate fiscal agencies.
- 13 (3) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department is
- 14 prohibited from transporting legislators or legislative staff on
- 15 state-owned aircraft without prior approval from the senate
- 16 majority leader or the speaker of the house of representatives and
- 17 only when the aircraft is already scheduled by state employees on
- 18 related official state business.
- 19 (4) The department shall maintain a system for recovering the
- 20 cost of operating department-owned aircraft through charges to
- 21 aircraft users.
- Sec. 384. (1) The state transportation department is allowed
- 23 to continue preliminary work on the Detroit River International
- 24 Crossing (DRIC) project as long as those activities associated with
- 25 the DRIC project shall not bind the state in any way to
- 26 construction.
- 27 (2) The department may continue those preliminary activities

- 1 which are necessary to prepare a proposal for a decision by the
- 2 legislature as long as they do not bind the state. The preliminary

- 3 activities shall be completed and a proposal shall be submitted to
- 4 the legislature by March 31, 2010. Those activities include all of
- 5 the following:
- 6 (a) Applications for permits and approvals.
- 7 (b) Preliminary design engineering work.
- 8 (c) Preliminary utility planning and relocation.
- 9 (d) Preliminary financial and funding arrangements.
- 10 (3) The department shall report on a quarterly basis to both
- 11 the house and senate appropriations committees on any expenditures
- 12 relative to the process identified in subsection (2). These
- 13 expenditures shall be reported individually for each specific
- 14 activity category as listed in subsection (2) and shall include
- 15 descriptions of any consultant services utilized.
- Sec. 394. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 17 department conduct a study of the current distribution formulae for
- 18 transit and road funding and of alternative distribution
- 19 strategies. This study should take into consideration any
- 20 recommendations made by the alternative transportation funding task
- 21 force. For transit, alternatives should provide for incentives for
- 22 those agencies which demonstrate efficient use of resources and
- 23 increasing ridership levels. For road funding, the study should
- 24 include an examination of "miles traveled" as a funding variable
- 25 rather than linear miles. By July 1, 2010, the department shall
- 26 report to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 27 transportation, the house and senate transportation committees, the

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- 1 house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget director on
- 2 the findings of the study including the fiscal impact of the
- 3 various strategies to individual transit and road agencies.
- 4 Sec. 395. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 5 department assume jurisdiction of county road C-56 between US-31 at
- 6 Charlevoix and M-75 at Boyne City in Charlevoix County.
- 7 Sec. 398. For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, the
- 8 appropriation to a street railway pursuant to section 10e(22) of
- 9 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.660e, is \$0.

<<Sec. 399. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department
shall conduct a statewide study of vehicle miles traveled. The study
shall include a comparison of vehicle miles traveled to lane miles for
the sampled geographical areas as well as comparisons to other states and
an evaluation of best practices.>>

10 FEDERAL

- 11 Sec. 401. Within 30 days of receiving the applicable fiscal
- 12 year authorization from the federal government to commit
- 13 transportation funds, the department shall notify local agency
- 14 representatives, the senate and house of representatives
- 15 appropriation transportation subcommittees, the senate and house
- 16 fiscal agencies, and the state budget director regarding the amount
- 17 of federal aid for categorical allocations to state and local
- 18 agency programs not specifically allocated in either federal or
- 19 state law.
- 20 Sec. 402. A portion of the federal DOT-FHWA highway research,
- 21 planning, and construction funds made available to the state shall
- 22 be allocated to transportation programs administered by local
- 23 jurisdictions in accordance with section 10o of 1951 PA 51, MCL
- 24 247.660o. A local road agency, with respect to a project approved
- 25 for federal aid funding in a state transportation improvement
- program, may enter into a voluntary buyout agreement with the S01243'09 (S-2)
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- 1 department or with another local road agency to exchange the
- 2 federal aid with state restricted transportation funds as agreed to
- 3 by the respective parties. The state-restricted transportation
- 4 funds received in exchange for federal aid funds shall be used for
- 5 the same purpose as the federal aid funds were originally intended.

6 MICHIGAN TRANSPORTATION FUND

- 7 Sec. 501. The money received under the motor carrier act, 1933
- 8 PA 254, MCL 475.1 to 479.43, and not appropriated to the department
- 9 of labor and economic growth or the department of state police is
- 10 deposited in the Michigan transportation fund.
- 11 Sec. 502. The department of treasury shall perform audits and
- 12 make investigations of the disposition of all state funds received
- 13 by county road commissions or county boards of commissioners, as
- 14 applicable, and cities and villages for transportation purposes to
- 15 determine compliance with the terms and conditions of 1951 PA 51,
- 16 MCL 247.651 to 247.675. County road commissions or county boards of
- 17 commissioners, as applicable, and cities and villages shall make
- 18 available to the department of treasury the pertinent records for
- 19 the audit.
- Sec. 503. (1) The funds appropriated in part 1 for the
- 21 economic development and local bridge programs shall not lapse at
- 22 the end of the fiscal year but shall carry forward each fiscal year
- 23 for the purposes for which appropriated in accordance with 1987 PA
- 24 231, MCL 247.901 to 247.913, and section 10(5) of 1951 PA 51, MCL
- **25** 247.660.
- 26 (2) Interest earned in the department of transportation

- 1 economic development fund and local bridge fund shall remain in the
- 2 respective funds and shall be allocated to the respective programs
- 3 based on actual interest earned at the end of each fiscal year.
- 4 (3) The department of transportation economic development fund
- 5 and local bridge fund may receive and expend federal, local, or
- 6 private funds or restricted source funds such as interest earnings
- 7 for projects that are consistent with the programmatic mission of
- 8 the respective funds in addition to funds appropriated in part 1.
- 9 (4) None of the funds statutorily dedicated to the
- 10 transportation economic development fund and local bridge fund
- 11 shall be diverted to other projects.
- Sec. 504. Funds from the Michigan transportation fund (MTF)
- 13 shall be distributed to the comprehensive transportation fund
- 14 (CTF), the economic development fund (EDF), the recreation
- 15 improvement fund (RIF), and the state trunkline fund (STF), in
- 16 accordance with this act and part 711 of the natural resources and
- 17 environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.71101 to
- 18 324.71108, and may only be used as specified in this act, 1951 PA
- 19 51, MCL 247.651 to 247.675, and part 711 of the natural resources
- 20 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.71101 to
- **21** 324.71108.

STATE TRUNKLINE FUND

- 23 Sec. 601. The department shall work with the road construction
- 24 industry and engineering consulting community to develop
- 25 performance and road construction warranties for construction
- 26 contracts. The development of warranties shall include warranties

1 on materials, workmanship, performance criteria, and design/build

- 2 projects. The department will report by September 30 of each
- 3 calendar year to the house of representatives and senate
- 4 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the state budget
- 5 director, and the house and senate fiscal agencies on the status of
- 6 efforts to develop performance and road construction warranties.
- 7 Sec. 602. If the department uses manufactured pipe for road
- 8 construction drainage, the department shall require that pipe used
- 9 under certain load-bearing conditions beneath the roadway meets the
- 10 standards established by the American society for testing and
- 11 materials (ASTM) or American association of state highway and
- 12 transportation officials (AASHTO). The department may also use the
- 13 mandrel test for manufactured pipe 60 days after installation and
- 14 provide a summary of the results of these inspections to the house
- 15 of representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 16 transportation and house and senate fiscal agencies.
- 17 Sec. 603. The department shall use traffic congestion as 1 of
- 18 the criteria in determining the priorities for designating which
- 19 roads shall be remediated in its 5-year road plan, which must be
- 20 submitted on or before March 1 of each year. Criteria for
- 21 evaluating traffic congestion shall include, but not be limited to,
- 22 coordination with local, county, and regional planning, improvement
- 23 in traffic operations, improvement in physical roadway conditions,
- 24 accident reduction, and coordination with area public
- 25 transportation planning.
- 26 Sec. 610. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 27 department have as a priority the removal of dead deer and other

1 large animal remains from the traveled portion and shoulder of

- 2 state highways. The department, and counties that perform state
- 3 highway maintenance under contract, shall remove animal remains,
- 4 wherever practicable, away from the traveled portion and shoulder
- 5 of state highways.
- 6 Sec. 612. The department shall establish guidelines governing
- 7 incentives and disincentives provided under contracts for state
- 8 trunkline projects. The guidelines shall include specific financial
- 9 information concerning incentives and disincentives. On or before
- 10 January 1 of each year, the department shall prepare a report for
- 11 the immediately preceding fiscal year regarding contract incentives
- 12 and disincentives. This report shall include a list, by project, of
- 13 the contractors that received contract incentives and/or
- 14 disincentives, the amount of the incentives and/or disincentives,
- 15 and the number of days that each project was completed either ahead
- 16 or past the contracted completion date. This report shall be
- 17 provided to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 18 transportation, the senate and house standing committees on
- 19 transportation, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 20 Sec. 615. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 21 department shall proceed with the construction of a full
- 22 interchange at the intersection of M-48 and I-75 in Chippewa
- 23 County. It is the intent of the legislature that the department
- 24 develop design plans and award the construction contract for this
- 25 project during the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010.
- 26 Sec. 654. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 27 Mackinac Bridge Authority work to protect the long-term viability

- 1 of the Mackinac Bridge.
- 2 Sec. 655. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 3 department expend not less than \$32,000.00 for a safe routes to
- 4 schools project in Eaton Rapids, Michigan, involving extension of
- 5 and improvements to sidewalks along North State Street from Gould
- 6 to beyond Greyhound Drive, as well as connecting streets in
- 7 neighborhoods near Eaton Rapids High School, Eaton Rapids Middle
- 8 School, Greyhound Intermediate School, and Lockwood Elementary
- 9 School.
- 10 Sec. 656. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 11 department upgrade that section of M-49 from M-99 to US-12 to
- 12 standards necessary for designation as a designated highway as
- 13 provided under sections 717 and 718 of the Michigan vehicle code,
- 14 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.717 and 257.718, and for inclusion as a
- 15 "green" special designated highway on the department's truck
- 16 operator's map.
- 17 Sec. 658. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 18 department proceed with the reconstruction of the interchange at I-
- 19 196 and Phoenix Road in South Haven.
- 20 Sec. 659. For pavement projects for which there are no
- 21 Michigan actual historic project maintenance, repair, and
- 22 resurfacing schedules and costs as recorded by the pavement
- 23 management system, the department may use actual historical and
- 24 comparable data for equivalent designs from states with similar
- 25 climates, soil structures, and vehicle traffic.
- 26 Sec. 660. The legislature encourages the department to examine
- 27 the use of alternative road surface materials, including recycled

- 1 materials, and to develop criteria and specifications for its use
- 2 in both department-managed and contracted projects.
- 3 Sec. 661. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 4 department complete engineering design work and right-of-way
- 5 acquisitions for the proposed expressway project along US-127 from
- 6 St. Johns in Clinton County to Ithaca in Gratiot County.

COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION FUND

- 8 Sec. 701. Money that is received by the state as a lease
- 9 payment for state-owned intercity bus equipment is not money to be
- 10 deposited in the comprehensive transportation fund under section
- 11 10b of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.660b, but is money that is deposited in
- 12 an intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the purchase
- 13 and repair of intercity bus equipment. Proceeds received by the
- 14 state from the sale of intercity bus equipment are deposited in an
- 15 intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the purchase and
- 16 repair of intercity bus equipment. Security deposits from the lease
- 17 of state-owned intercity bus equipment not returned to the lessee
- 18 of the equipment under terms of the lease agreement are deposited
- 19 in an intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the repair
- 20 of intercity bus equipment. At the close of the fiscal year, any
- 21 funds remaining in the intercity bus equipment fund shall remain in
- 22 the fund and be carried forward into the succeeding fiscal year.
- 23 Sec. 702. Money that is received by the state as repayment for
- 24 loans made for rail or water freight capital projects, and as a
- 25 result of the sale of property or equipment used or projected to be
- 26 used for rail or water freight projects shall be deposited in the

- 1 fund created by section 17 of the state transportation preservation
- 2 act of 1976, 1976 PA 295, MCL 474.67. At the close of the fiscal
- 3 year, any funds remaining in the rail freight fund shall remain in
- 4 the fund and be carried forward into the succeeding fiscal year.
- 5 Sec. 703. After receiving notification from a railroad company
- 6 pursuant to section 8 of the state transportation preservation act
- 7 of 1976, 1976 PA 295, MCL 474.58, the department shall immediately
- 8 notify the house of representatives and senate appropriations
- 9 subcommittees on transportation and the state budget office that
- 10 the railroad company has filed with the appropriate governmental
- 11 agencies for abandonment of a line.
- Sec. 706. The Detroit/Wayne County port authority shall issue
- 13 a complete operations assessment and a financial disclosure
- 14 statement. The operations assessment shall include operational
- 15 goals for the next 5 years and recommendations to improve land
- 16 acquisition and development efficiency. The report shall be
- 17 completed and submitted to the house of representatives and senate
- 18 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the state budget
- 19 director, and the house and senate fiscal agencies by February 15
- 20 of each fiscal year for the prior fiscal year.
- 21 Sec. 708. If funds appropriated in part 1 are used to provide
- 22 state-owned or state-leased buses to private intercity bus
- 23 carriers, the department shall charge not less than \$1,000.00 per
- 24 bus per year for their use.
- Sec. 709. (1) The following bus routes are designated as an
- 26 essential corridor in Michigan:
- 27 Between St. Ignace and Escanaba US-2

1	Between Escanaba and Duluth	US-2 through Ironwood to the
2		state line
3	Between Calumet and Escanaba	US-41
4	Between Escanaba and Milwaukee	US-41 through Menominee to
5		the state line
6	Between St. Ignace and	
7	Sault Ste. Marie	I-75
8	Between Detroit and Chicago	I-94 from Detroit to the
9		state line
10	Between Detroit and Muskegon	I-96
11	Between Grand Rapids, Holland,	
12	and Benton Harbor	I-196 to I-94
13	Between Muskegon and Grand	
14	Rapids	US-31, I-96
15	Between Detroit and Bay City	I-75
16	Between Bay City and Mount	
17	Pleasant	US-10, M-20
18	Between Jackson and Traverse	US-127, US-27, I-75,
19	City	Grayling,
20		Gaylord, M-72 to Traverse
21		City
22	Between Jackson and	I-69, I-94 to the state line
23	Indianapolis	through Albion, Marshall,
24		and Coldwater
25	Between Houghton Lake and	
26	Cadillac	M-55 and M-66
27	Between Detroit and Toledo	I-75 to the state line

1	Between the Indiana state line		
2	and Traverse City	US-31 and I-196	
3	Between Detroit and Port Huron	I-375 and I-94	
4	Between Toledo and Bay City	US-23, I-75, and I-675, I-75	
5	Between Bay City and Chicago	I-75, Flint, I-69, I-94,	
6		Battle Creek, I-94 to the	
7		state line	
8	Between Flint and Lansing	I-69, M-21, Owosso, M-52,	
9		I-69	
10	Between Bay City and St. Ignace	I-75, US-23	
11	Between Grand Rapids and	US-131, Cadillac, M-115,	
12	St. Ignace	Mesick, M-37 to Traverse	
13		City, US-31, Acme, M-72,	
14		Kalkaska, US-131, Boyne	
15		Falls, M-75, Walloon Lake,	
16		US-131, Petoskey, US-31,	
17		I-75, St. Ignace	
18	Between Kalamazoo and Grand		
19	Rapids	US-131	
20	(2) Any changes to the essential corridor list in subsection		
21	(1) shall be approved by the house and senate appropriations		
22	subcommittees on transportation.		
23	(3) No entity shall receive operating assistance for a		
24	scheduled regular route service which is competing with another		
25	private or public carrier over the same route.		
26	Sec. 711. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 from the		
27	comprehensive transportation fund for rail passenger service, the		

- 1 department shall negotiate with a rail carrier to provide rail
- 2 service between Grand Rapids and Chicago and between Port Huron and
- 3 Chicago, consistent with the other provisions of this section.
- 4 (2) Any state subsidy for rail passenger service between Grand
- 5 Rapids and Chicago and between Port Huron and Chicago shall not
- 6 exceed \$3,667,000.00.
- 7 (3) The rail carrier shall, as a condition to receiving a
- 8 state operating subsidy, maintain a system to monitor, collect, and
- 9 resolve customer complaints and shall make the information
- 10 available to the department, the house and senate appropriations
- 11 subcommittees on transportation, and the house and senate fiscal
- 12 agencies.
- 13 (4) Future state support for the service between Grand Rapids
- 14 and Chicago and Port Huron and Chicago is dependent on the
- 15 department's ability to provide a plan and a contract for services
- 16 that increase ridership and revenue, reduce operating costs, and
- improve on-time performance.
- 18 (5) No state subsidy shall be provided from the funds
- 19 appropriated in part 1 if the chosen rail carrier is Amtrak and
- 20 Amtrak discontinued service or any portion of the service between
- 21 Port Huron and Chicago or Grand Rapids and Chicago during the
- 22 preceding fiscal year, unless the discontinuance of service was for
- 23 track maintenance or was caused by acts of God.
- 24 Sec. 714. The department, in cooperation with local transit
- 25 agencies, shall work to ensure that demand-response services are
- 26 provided throughout Michigan. The department shall continue to work
- 27 with local units of government to address the unmet transit needs

- 1 in Michigan.
- 2 Sec. 721. For federal transit administration bus acquisition

- 3 capital grants matched with CTF funds appropriated in part 1,
- 4 transit agencies shall have 4 years from the federal approval date
- 5 to carry out their projects. Contract line items unobligated 4
- 6 years after the federal approval date may be matched with CTF funds
- 7 only up to 15% in the fifth and subsequent years. "Unobligated"
- 8 means any line item in the contract that is not committed to a
- 9 third party or purchase order. A waiver shall be granted by the
- 10 department for an additional year with documented justification
- 11 from the transit agency accompanied by a resolution from the board
- 12 or authority seeking a waiver. If a transit agency does not carry
- 13 out a line item activity in a specific authorization and the
- 14 transit agency requests funds in a new authorization for that same
- 15 activity, the line item shall be matched at up to 15%. This section
- 16 applies only to bus acquisition capital grants. Lapsed funds under
- 17 this section shall remain in the CTF. This section does not take
- 18 effect if failure to comply with the provisions of this section by
- 19 a transit agency occurs due to the inability of the state to
- 20 provide sufficient matching funds for available federal funding
- 21 earmarked to that transit agency for the purpose of bus capital
- 22 acquisition. The department shall report to the appropriation
- 23 subcommittees on transportation of the senate and house of
- 24 representatives if the state is unable to provide sufficient
- 25 matching funds for this section to take effect.
- 26 Sec. 722. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
- 27 transportation to work from the CTF, sufficient funds shall be used

- 1 as a match for job access reverse commute grants for local transit
- 2 agencies.
- 3 Sec. 729. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for intercity
- 4 services, \$100,000.00 shall be used for lost ridership support
- 5 and/or marketing efforts to increase awareness of intercity bus
- 6 service, increase ridership on intercity bus carriers, and improve
- 7 coordination of intercity bus service in Michigan.
- 8 Sec. 730. The department shall sell all state-owned intercity
- 9 bus equipment within 6 months of termination of lease agreements
- 10 with intercity bus carriers. The proceeds from the sale of state-
- 11 owned intercity bus equipment under this section shall be deposited
- 12 in the intercity bus equipment fund, consistent with section 701.
- Sec. 731. The department shall charge public transit agencies
- 14 and intercity bus carriers equal rates per square foot for leasing
- 15 space in state-owned intermodal facilities.
- Sec. 734. (1) The department shall ensure that all public
- 17 transit agencies provide the highest quality public transit service
- 18 by moving people in a cost-effective, safe, and user-friendly
- 19 manner that maintains and attracts residents and businesses.
- 20 (2) Public transit agencies receiving funds under part 1 shall
- 21 do all of the following:
- 22 (a) Provide efficient, cost-effective, safe, well-maintained,
- 23 reliable, customer-driven transportation services.
- 24 (b) Provide a quality work environment that has and fulfills
- 25 employee performance, productivity, and development standards.
- (c) Identify and capture all available funding or create cost-
- 27 effective programs to eliminate debt and have a balanced budget.

- 1 (d) Maintain sufficient local and community funding.
- 2 (e) Support business development by providing transportation

- 3 to areas of employment and commerce, emerging or established
- 4 businesses, and health care facilities.
- 5 Sec. 736. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 6 department shall work with intercity rail and bus passenger
- 7 carriers to coordinate intercity passenger transportation in
- 8 Michigan. The department shall assist in the coordination of
- 9 intercity routes, schedules, and facilities.
- 10 Sec. 737. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 11 department proceed with the construction of a Birmingham/Troy
- 12 intermodal passenger facility.
- 13 Sec. 740. The department shall report by March 1 of each year
- 14 to the house of representatives and senate appropriations
- 15 subcommittees on transportation, the house and senate fiscal
- 16 agencies, and the state budget director the encumbered and
- 17 unencumbered balances of the comprehensive transportation fund.
- 18 Sec. 741. The department shall report by October 1, 2009 to
- 19 the house of representatives and senate appropriations
- 20 subcommittees on transportation, the house and senate fiscal
- 21 agencies, and the state budget director on progress made to improve
- 22 the Ann Arbor and NW Michigan railroad's track infrastructure for
- 23 the purpose of supporting passenger train speed of 59 miles per
- 24 hour.
- Sec. 743. The legislature encourages the department to include
- 26 a hybrid-electric vehicle (HEV) option in all requests for proposal
- 27 for vehicles up to and including Class 5 purchased by or through

- 1 the department.
- 2 Sec. 744. The legislature encourages local transit agencies to
- 3 hire or consult with a mobility manager to coordinate
- 4 transportation services with the needs of the local workforce and
- 5 low-income or special needs populations. This position should work
- 6 with economic development agencies, human service professionals,
- 7 and other stakeholders to ensure that the appropriate
- 8 transportation resources are available to the community.

9 AERONAUTICS FUND

- 10 Sec. 801. At the close of the fiscal year, any unobligated and
- 11 unexpended balance in the state aeronautics fund created in the
- 12 aeronautics code of the state of Michigan, 1945 PA 327, MCL 259.1
- 13 to 259.208, shall lapse to the state aeronautics fund and be
- 14 appropriated by the legislature in the immediately succeeding
- 15 fiscal year.

16 CAPITAL OUTLAY

- Sec. 901. (1) From federal-state-local project appropriations
- 18 contained in part 1 for the purpose of assisting political entities
- 19 and subdivisions of this state in the construction and improvement
- 20 of publicly used airports and landing fields within this state, the
- 21 state transportation department may permit the award of contracts
- 22 on behalf of units of local government for the authorized locations
- 23 not to exceed the indicated amounts, of which the state allocated
- 24 portion shall not exceed the amount appropriated in part 1.
- 25 (2) Political entities and subdivisions shall provide not less

1 than 2.5% of the cost of any project under this section, unless a

- 2 total nonfederal share greater than 5% is otherwise specified in
- 3 federal law. State money shall not be allocated until local money
- 4 is allocated. State money for any 1 project shall not exceed 1/3 of
- 5 the total appropriation in part 1 from state funds for airport
- 6 improvement programs.
- 7 (3) The Michigan aeronautics commission may take those steps
- 8 necessary to match federal money available for airport construction
- 9 and improvement within this state and to meet the matching
- 10 requirements of the federal government. Whether acting alone or
- 11 jointly with another political subdivision or public agency or with
- 12 this state, a political subdivision or public agency of this state
- 13 shall not submit to any agency of the federal government a project
- 14 application for airport planning or development unless it is
- 15 authorized in this act and the project application is approved by
- 16 the governing body of each political subdivision or public agency
- 17 making the application and by the Michigan aeronautics commission.
- 18 Sec. 902. Before the end of each fiscal year, the state
- 19 transportation department shall report to the house and senate
- 20 appropriations subcommittees on transportation the status of
- 21 airport improvement projects funded in part 1 with the estimated
- 22 dollars allocated for each project. If there has to be a delay in
- 23 reporting, the state transportation department shall notify the
- 24 house and senate appropriations subcommittees on transportation in
- 25 writing of the date the report will be received.
- 26 Sec. 903. The appropriations in part 1 for capital outlay
- 27 shall be carried forward at the end of the fiscal year consistent

- 1 with the provisions of section 248 of the management and budget
- 2 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1248.
- 3 Sec. 904. (1) The director shall allocate lump-sum
- 4 appropriations made in this bill consistent with statutory
- 5 provisions and the purposes for which funds were appropriated.
- 6 Lump-sum allocations shall address priority program or facility
- 7 needs and may include, but are not limited to, design,
- 8 construction, remodeling and addition, special maintenance, major
- 9 special maintenance, energy conservation, and demolition.
- 10 (2) The state budget director may authorize that funds
- 11 appropriated for lump-sum appropriations and designated as work
- 12 project appropriations shall be available for no more than 3 fiscal
- 13 years following the fiscal year in which the original appropriation
- 14 was made. Any remaining balance from allocations made in this
- 15 section shall lapse to the fund from which it was appropriated
- 16 pursuant to the lapsing of funds as provided in the management and
- 17 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.