

HOUSE BILL No. 6095

December 1, 2016, Introduced by Reps. Driskell, Brinks, Schor, Wittenberg, Hovey-Wright, Lane and Lauren Plawecki and referred to the Committee on Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled
"Michigan election law,"
by amending section 161 (MCL 168.161), as amended by 1999 PA 218.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 161. (1) A person ~~shall~~**IS** not ~~be~~-eligible ~~to~~**FOR** the
2 office of state senator or representative unless the person is a
3 citizen of the United States and a registered and qualified elector
4 of the district he or she represents ~~by~~**FOR AT LEAST 60 DAYS BEFORE**
5 the filing deadline, as provided in section 7 of article ~~4~~**IV** of
6 the state constitution of 1963.

7 (2) A person who has been convicted of a violation of section
8 12a(1) of 1941 PA 370, MCL 38.412a, ~~shall~~**IS** not ~~be~~-eligible ~~to~~**FOR**
9 the office of state senator or representative for a period of 20
10 years after conviction.

11 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect

1 unless Senate Joint Resolution ____ or House Joint Resolution VV
2 (request no. 03114'15) of the 98th Legislature becomes a part of
3 the state constitution of 1963 as provided in section 1 of article
4 XII of the state constitution of 1963.