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SENATE BILL No. 1138

October 20, 2016, Introduced by Senator SCHMIDT and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 1988 PA 226, entitled

"An act to limit the powers of a local governmental unit regarding the leasing of private residential property,"

by amending section 1 (MCL 123.411).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 1. (1) As used in this section, "local governmental unit" means a political subdivision of this state including, but not limited to, a county, city, village, or township, if the political subdivision provides local government services for residents in a geographically limited area of this state as its primary purpose and has the power to act primarily on behalf of that area.
- (2) A—SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (3), A local governmental unit shall not enact, maintain, or enforce an ordinance or resolution that would have the effect of controlling the amount of rent charged for leasing private residential property. This section does

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- 1 not impair the right of any local governmental unit to manage and
- 2 control residential property in which the local governmental unit
- 3 has a property interest.
- 4 (3) THIS SECTION DOES NOT LIMIT THE POWERS OF A LOCAL
- 5 GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO ENACT OR ADOPT AN ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION TO
- 6 IMPLEMENT A PLAN DESIGNED TO INCREASE THE SUPPLY OF MODERATE- OR
- 7 LOW-COST PRIVATE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AVAILABLE FOR LEASE THROUGH
- 8 INCENTIVES. INCENTIVES MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, DENSITY
- 9 BONUSES OR ADJUSTMENTS, EXPEDITED SERVICE FOR LOCAL PERMITTING
- 10 PROCESSES, REDUCED OR DEFERRED FEES, MODIFICATION OF SITE-SPECIFIC
- 11 REQUIREMENTS, FEE-IN-LIEU, OR OTHER INCENTIVES AS DETERMINED BY THE
- 12 LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNIT.
- 13 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 14 after the date it is enacted into law.