

# HOUSE BILL No. 5056

October 4, 2017, Introduced by Rep. Phelps and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 1846 RS 16, entitled

"Of the powers and duties of townships, the election and duties of township officers, and the division of townships,"

(MCL 41.1a to 41.110c) by adding section 2a.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           **SEC. 2A. A TOWNSHIP BOARD MAY, BY RESOLUTION APPROVED BY A**  
2           **MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD, AUTHORIZE THE**  
3           **TOWNSHIP TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE COUNTY BOARD OF**  
4           **COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THAT TOWNSHIP IS LOCATED**  
5           **REQUESTING THAT THE NAME OF THE TOWNSHIP BE CHANGED. THE**  
6           **APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE THE PROPOSED NAME OF THE TOWNSHIP.**

7           Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days  
8           after the date it is enacted into law.

9           Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect  
10          unless Senate Bill No. \_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 5057 (request no.

**1** 04215'17 a) of the 99th Legislature is enacted into law.