HOUSE BILL NO. 5366

January 21, 2020, Introduced by Reps. Hood, Garza, Whitsett, Coleman, Pohutsky, Gay-Dagnogo, Kennedy, Stone, Rabhi, Yancey, Ellison, Sneller, Tate, Bolden, Kuppa, Anthony, Manoogian, Cherry, Hope, Brixie, Sabo, Brenda Carter, Warren, Hammoud, Peterson, Tyrone Carter, Lasinski, Wittenberg, Jones and Love and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

A bill to provide for the levy, collection, and administration of an excise tax on the privilege of selling certain paint in this state; to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the excise tax; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, agencies, and officials; and to provide for certain exemptions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:
- 2 (a) "Architectural paint" means interior and exterior





- 1 architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less.
- 2 Architectural paint does not include industrial coatings, original
- 3 equipment coatings, or specialty coatings.
- 4 (b) "Department" means the department of treasury.
- 5 (c) "Wholesaler" means a person that makes a sale for the6 purposes of resale.
- 7 Sec. 2. There shall be levied and collected an excise tax on
- 8 the privilege of selling architectural paint in this state at a
- 9 rate of 25 cents per gallon. The department may allocate the excise
- 10 tax on a per-once basis for amounts less than 1 gallon. The excise
- 11 tax shall be collected from the manufacturer if the architectural
- 12 paint is manufactured in this state, by the wholesaler or the
- 13 person from whom the architectural paint is purchased if
- 14 manufactured outside this state but sold in this state, or from the
- 15 purchaser if the architectural paint is manufactured and purchased
- 16 outside of this state.
- 17 Sec. 3. The excise tax imposed by this act shall be collected
- 18 at the same time and in the same manner as the tax imposed by the
- 19 use tax act, 1937 PA 94, MCL 205.91 to 205.111.
- 20 Sec. 4. (1) The excise tax imposed by this act shall be
- 21 administered by the state treasurer under 1941 PA 122, MCL 205.1 to
- 22 205.31.
- 23 (2) The state treasurer shall prescribe the forms necessary
- 24 for the administration of this act and may promulgate necessary
- 25 rules under the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306,
- **26** MCL 24.201 to 24.328.
- Sec. 5. A taxpayer may reimburse himself or herself by adding
- 28 the amount of the excise tax to the sale price of the architectural
- 29 paint.



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Sec. 6. Proceeds from the collection of the excise tax imposed 1 2 by this act shall be deposited in the state treasury in a 3 restricted account to be used only for lead abatement and lead reduction in residential dwellings as provided in part 54a of the 4 public health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.5451 to 333.5477. 5 Sec. 7. The manufacturer of architectural paint in this state 6 7 or the wholesaler or person from whom architectural paint is 8 purchased in this state shall provide the purchaser of the 9 architectural paint with a certificate certifying that the excise 10 tax has been or shall be paid.