

# SENATE BILL No. 441

May 10, 1989, Introduced by Senators FREDRICKS, WELBORN, DILLINGHAM, FAUST, O'BRIEN, DI NELLO, SHINKLE, POSTHUMUS, CARL, NICHOLS, CROPSEY, BINSFELD, MACK, FESSLER, KELLY, CRUCE and N. SMITH and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend section 472a of Act No. 116 of the Public Acts of 1954, entitled  
"Michigan election law,"  
being section 168.472a of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Section 1. Section 472a of Act No. 116 of the Public Acts  
2       of 1954, being section 168.472a of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is  
3       amended to read as follows:

4       Sec. 472a. ~~It shall be rebuttably presumed that the~~ THERE  
5       IS A REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION THAT A signature on a petition  
6       ~~which~~ THAT proposes an amendment to the constitution or ~~is~~ A  
7       PETITION to initiate legislation ~~—~~ is stale and void if ~~it~~  
8       THE SIGNATURE was made more than ~~180 days~~ 18 MONTHS before the  
9       petition was filed with ~~the office of~~ the secretary of state.

1       Section 2. This amendatory act shall take effect January 1,  
2 1990.