

SENATE BILL No. 516

May 19, 2005, Introduced by Senators ALLEN, HAMMERSTROM and SIKKEMA and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1909 PA 278, entitled
"The home rule village act,"
(MCL 78.1 to 78.28) by adding section 24d.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 24D. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY CHARTER PROVISION, A VILLAGE MAY
2 PASS A RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF ITS ELECTED
3 OFFICIALS AND FOR THE TERMS TO BE STAGGERED. THE INITIAL TERMS MAY
4 BE LONGER THAN ALLOWED UNDER THE CHARTER IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE
5 STAGGERING OF TERMS.