SENATE BILL No. 1319

June 20, 2006, Introduced by Senators GEORGE, ALLEN, HAMMERSTROM and GOSCHKA and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961,"

(MCL 600.101 to 600.9947) by adding section 1350c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 1350C. JURORS IMPANELED AT ANY TRIAL MAY DISCUSS EVIDENCE
- 2 AND TESTIMONY PRESENTED AT THAT TRIAL BEFORE THE TRIAL CONCLUDES,
- 3 BUT ONLY WHEN THE COURT IS IN RECESS. THIS SECTION ONLY ALLOWS
- 4 DISCUSSION AMONG JURORS SERVING ON THE SAME JURY PANEL, AND DOES
- 5 NOT PERMIT ANY OF THOSE JURORS TO DISCUSS THAT EVIDENCE OR
- 6 TESTIMONY WITH ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL.