

HOUSE BILL No. 5357

February 2, 2012, Introduced by Reps. Smiley, Townsend, Byrum, Darany, Bledsoe, Lipton, Slavens, Brunner, Segal, Kandrevas, Geiss, Tlaib, Hovey-Wright, Nathan, Durhal, Stallworth, Ananich, Lindberg, Switalski, Rutledge, Bauer, Liss, Barnett, Meadows, Cavanagh, McCann, Irwin, Hammel, Howze and Brown and referred to the Committee on Redistricting and Elections.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled
"Michigan campaign finance act,"
(MCL 169.201 to 169.282) by adding section 57a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **SEC. 57A. (1) A CANDIDATE OR PERSON ACTING ON BEHALF OF A**
2 **CANDIDATE SHALL NOT SOLICIT OR ACCEPT A CONTRIBUTION IN A FACILITY**
3 **OWNED OR LEASED BY, OR ON BEHALF OF, THIS STATE OR A PUBLIC BODY.**

4 **(2) SUBSECTION (1) DOES NOT APPLY TO A CONTRIBUTION SOLICITED**
5 **OR ACCEPTED IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:**

6 **(A) A FACILITY OWNED OR LEASED BY, OR ON BEHALF OF, THE STATE**
7 **OR A PUBLIC BODY IF THAT FACILITY IS PRIMARILY USED AS A FAMILY**
8 **DWELLING AND IS NOT USED TO CONDUCT A FUND-RAISING EVENT.**

9 **(B) A FACILITY OWNED OR LEASED BY, OR ON BEHALF OF, THE STATE**
10 **OR A PUBLIC BODY IF ANY CANDIDATE HAS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY TO USE**

1 THE FACILITY.

2 (3) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A
3 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 90 DAYS OR
4 A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000.00, OR BOTH.