

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 493

A bill to amend 2006 PA 110, entitled  
"Michigan zoning enabling act,"  
(MCL 125.3101 to 125.3702) by adding section 205a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1           SEC. 205A. (1) 47 CFR 97.15 PROVIDES THAT OWNERS OF CERTAIN  
2 AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURES MORE THAN 60.96  
3 METERS (200 FEET) ABOVE GROUND LEVEL AT THE SITE OR LOCATED NEAR OR  
4 AT A PUBLIC USE AIRPORT MUST NOTIFY THE FEDERAL AVIATION  
5 ADMINISTRATION AND REGISTER WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS  
6 COMMISSION AS REQUIRED BY 47 CFR PART 17.

7           (2) AN AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURE MAY BE  
8 ERECTED AT HEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS SUFFICIENT TO ACCOMMODATE AMATEUR  
9 RADIO SERVICE COMMUNICATIONS. REGULATION OF AN AMATEUR RADIO

1 SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURE BY A LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT  
2 MUST NOT PRECLUDE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE COMMUNICATIONS. RATHER, IT  
3 MUST REASONABLY ACCOMMODATE THOSE COMMUNICATIONS AND MUST  
4 CONSTITUTE THE MINIMUM PRACTICABLE REGULATION TO ACCOMPLISH THE  
5 LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT'S LEGITIMATE PURPOSE.

6 (3) TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT THE REGULATION OF AMATEUR  
7 RADIO SERVICE STATION ANTENNA STRUCTURES, A PERSON MAY CONTACT ANY  
8 ADVISORY BOARD THAT IS JOINTLY ESTABLISHED BY THE MICHIGAN SECTION  
9 OF THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE AND 1 OR MORE STATE  
10 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING LOCAL UNITS OF GOVERNMENT.