

THIS RESOLUTION IS OFFERED TO COMPLY WITH ARTICLE XI, SECTION 5 OF
THE *CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN OF 1963*.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

Rep. O'Neal offered the following concurrent resolution:

1 A concurrent resolution to waive the legislative notice
2 requirement for increases in rates of compensation for certain
3 employees in the state classified service.

4 Whereas, Article XI, Section 5 of the *Constitution of the*
5 *State of Michigan of 1963* provides, in relevant part:

6 Increases in rates of compensation authorized by the
7 commission may be effective only at the start of a fiscal
8 year and shall require prior notice to the governor, who
9 shall transmit such increases to the legislature as part
10 of his budget. The legislature may, by a majority vote of
11 the members elected to and serving in each house, waive
12 the notice and permit increases in rates of compensation
13 to be effective at a time other than the start of a fiscal

1 year.

2 ; and

3 Whereas, Agreement was reached between the Office of the State
4 Employer and the Michigan State Employees Association to increase
5 the rates of pay for certain exclusively represented conservation
6 officer positions in certain classifications; and

7 Whereas, On February 16, 2024, the State Personnel Director,
8 with the consent of the chair of the Civil Service Commission,
9 granted interim approval of the agreement for these exclusively
10 represented conservation officers, and also granted interim
11 approval of increases in the rate of compensation for certain non-
12 exclusively represented conservation officer positions. This
13 approval was past the time when the Governor could transmit the
14 increases as part of the budget; now, therefore, be it

15 Resolved, That, pursuant to Article XI, Section 5 of the
16 *Constitution of the State of Michigan of 1963*, we waive the prior
17 notice requirement to permit the increases in rates of compensation
18 for both the exclusively represented and non-exclusively
19 represented positions within the Department of Natural Resources
20 and the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy that
21 were approved by the State Personnel Director; and be it further

22 Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the
23 members of the Civil Service Commission.