SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5407

A bill to require certain standards for smoke alarm and certain other devices; and to prohibit certain conduct.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "smoke
 alarm battery standard act".
- 3 Sec. 3. (1) Except as provided under subsection (2), beginning
- 4 April 1, 2022, a person shall not distribute, sell, offer for sale,
- 5 or import a smoke alarm device powered by a replaceable and
- 6 removable battery. Except as provided under subsection (2),
- 7 beginning April 1, 2022, a smoke alarm device that is distributed,
- 8 sold, offered for sale, or imported must be powered for not less
- 9 than 10 years by 1 of the following:
- 10 (a) A nonremovable and nonreplaceable battery.





- 1 (b) Another power source that utilizes new technology.
- 2 (2) The battery and power source requirements under subsection
- 3 (1) do not apply to any of the following devices:
- 4 (a) A fire alarm, smoke detector, or smoke alarm that receives
- 5 power from an electrical system of a building, or is electronically
- 6 connected as part of a centrally monitored or supervised alarm
- 7 system.
- 8 (b) A fire alarm, smoke detector, or smoke alarm with an
- 9 ancillary component that receives power from an electrical system
- 10 of a building, or with an ancillary component that is
- 11 electronically connected as part of a centrally monitored or
- 12 supervised alarm system.
- 13 (c) A fire alarm, smoke detector, or smoke alarm that uses, or
- 14 a fire alarm, smoke detector, or smoke alarm with an ancillary
- 15 component that uses 1 or more of the following:
- 16 (i) A low-power radio frequency wireless communication signal.
- 17 (ii) Wi-Fi or other wireless local area networking capability
- 18 to send and receive notifications to and from the internet.
- 19 (d) Any other smoke alarm device with equivalent
- 20 characteristics to a device listed under subdivisions (a), (b), or
- 21 (c) as determined by rules promulgated under subsection (3).
- 22 (3) The department of licensing and regulatory affairs, in
- 23 consultation with the state fire marshal, may promulgate rules
- 24 under the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL
- 25 24.201 to 24.328, to implement subsection (2)(d).
- 26 (4) As used in this section, "person" means an individual or
- 27 entity.

