



# SENATE BILL No. 578

June 6, 1995, Introduced by Senator SHUGARS and referred  
to the Committee on Local, Urban and State Affairs.

A bill to prohibit certain dog races; to prohibit the simul-  
casting of certain dog races; and to impose a civil fine.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2       (a) "Person" means an individual, partnership, corporation,  
3 limited liability company, association, governmental entity, or  
4 other legal entity.

5       (b) "Simulcast" means the live transmission into this state  
6 of video or audio signals conveying a dog race held outside this  
7 state.

8       Sec. 2. A person shall not hold, conduct, or operate dog  
9 racing for public exhibition.

10       Sec. 3. A person shall not transmit or receive interstate  
11 simulcasting of dog racing for commercial purposes.

1        Sec. 4. A person who violates this act is subject to a  
2 civil fine of not less than \$7,500.00.

3        Sec. 5. This act does not preclude prosecution under the  
4 Michigan penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931,  
5 being sections 750.1 to 750.568 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.