## SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 435

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," by amending section 7m (MCL 211.7m), as added by 1980 PA 142.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- **1** Sec. 7m. (1) Property owned  $\frac{by}{}$  or being acquired
- 2 pursuant to, UNDER an installment purchase agreement by a
- 3 county, township, city, village, or school district used for A
- 4 public -purposes PURPOSE and property owned or being acquired by
- 5 an agency, authority, instrumentality, nonprofit corporation,
- 6 commission, or other separate legal entity comprised solely of,
- 7 or which is wholly owned by, or whose members consist solely of
- 8 a political subdivision, a combination of political subdivisions,
- 9 or a combination of political subdivisions and the THIS state
- 10 and is used to carry out a public purpose itself or on behalf
- 11 of a political subdivision, or a combination OF POLITICAL

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- 1 SUBDIVISIONS, OR A COMBINATION OF POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS AND THIS
- 2 STATE is exempt from taxation under this act.
- (2) Parks shall be open to the GENERAL public. generally. 3
- 4 (3) This exemption — shall—DOES not apply to property
- 5 acquired after July 19, 1966 unless a deed or other memoran-
- 6 dum of conveyance is recorded in the county where IN WHICH the
- 7 property is located before December 31 of the year of acquisition
- 8 or the local assessing officer is notified by registered mail
- 9 of the acquisition before December 31 of the year of
- 10 acquisition.
- 11 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "PUBLIC PURPOSE" INCLUDES, BUT
- 12 IS NOT LIMITED TO, PROPERTY HELD FOR THE PURPOSE OF ECONOMIC
- **13** DEVELOPMENT.
- Enacting section 1. This amendatory act is retroactive and 14
- 15 takes effect January 1, 1992.