SENATE BILL No. 1106

March 8, 2000, Introduced by Senator JOHNSON and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1935 PA 140, entitled

"An act to prohibit endurance contests known as walkathons and similar endurance contests; to prescribe a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal Act No. 65 of the Public Acts of 1933,"

by amending sections 1 and 2 (MCL 752.161 and 752.162).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. (1) It shall be unlawful for any EXCEPT AS PRO-
- 2 VIDED IN SUBSECTION (2), A person , firm, or corporation to
- 3 SHALL NOT promote, conduct, or participate in any endurance con-
- 4 test known as a walkathon or similar endurance contest.
- 5 (2) SUBSECTION (1) DOES NOT APPLY TO AN EVENT THAT BEGINS
- 6 AND ENDS ON THE SAME DAY OR AN EVENT THAT IS COMPLETED WITHIN A
- 7 PREDETERMINED TIME PERIOD OF LESS THAN 12 HOURS.

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- 1 (3) AS USED IN THIS ACT, "PERSON" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL,
- 2 PARTNERSHIP, CORPORATION, ASSOCIATION, GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY, OR
- 3 OTHER LEGAL ENTITY.
- 4 Sec. 2. Any A person , firm or corporation violating the
- 5 provisions of WHO VIOLATES this act shall be deemed IS guilty
- 6 of a misdemeanor , and upon conviction thereof shall be punish-
- 7 able by a fine of not more than $\frac{100 \text{ dollars}}{100 \text{ dollars}}$ \$100.00 or impris-
- 8 onment in the county jail for not more than 90 days, or both.
- 9 such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.
- 10 Each violation shall constitute CONSTITUTES a separate and dis-
- 11 tinct offense.