SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5865

A bill to amend 1984 PA 270, entitled "Michigan strategic fund act,"

(MCL 125.2001 to 125.2094) by adding chapter 8B.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 CHAPTER 8B

- 2 SEC. 89. (1) THE LEGISLATURE FINDS AND DECLARES THAT THE
- 3 ACTIVITIES AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS CHAPTER TO PROMOTE THIS STATE AND
- 4 THE CREATION OF JOBS IN THIS STATE ARE A PUBLIC PURPOSE AND OF
- 5 PARAMOUNT CONCERN IN THE INTEREST OF THE HEALTH, SAFETY, AND
- 6 GENERAL WELFARE OF THE CITIZENS OF THIS STATE. IT IS THE INTENT OF
- 7 THE LEGISLATURE THAT THE ECONOMIC BENEFITS AND THE CREATION OF JOBS
- 8 RESULTING FROM THIS CHAPTER SHALL ACCRUE SUBSTANTIALLY WITHIN THIS
- 9 STATE.

- (2) ACTIVITIES AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS CHAPTER SHALL NOT BE 1
- 2 CONSIDERED A PROJECT, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT, OR A PRODUCT
- ASSISTED BY THE FUND FOR PURPOSES OF CHAPTER 1 OR 2. 3
- 4 SEC. 89A. (1) THE BOARD SHALL ESTABLISH A MICHIGAN PROMOTION
- 5 PROGRAM TO PROMOTE TOURISM IN MICHIGAN AND PAY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
- AND MARKETING COSTS TO PROMOTE BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT IN MICHIGAN.
- 7 TOURISM PROMOTION SHALL INCLUDE, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, CULTURAL,
- VACATION, RECREATIONAL, LEISURE, HUNTING-RELATED, AND AGRICULTURE-8
- RELATED TRAVEL ACROSS THIS STATE THAT INCLUDES ACTIVITIES THAT 9
- 10 PROMOTE TOURISM IN ALL 4 SEASONS.
- (2) THE FUNDING PROVIDED UNDER THIS CHAPTER FOR TOURISM 11
- 12 PROMOTION IS INTENDED TO ENHANCE FUNDING BEYOND THAT INCLUDED IN
- 13 THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR TRAVEL MICHIGAN TO ATTRACT ADDITIONAL
- 14 TOURISM EXPENDITURES AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE TOURISM INDUSTRY IN
- 15 THIS STATE.
- (3) NOT MORE THAN 4% OF THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AS PROVIDED 16
- BY LAW FROM THE 21ST CENTURY JOBS TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED IN THE 17
- 18 MICHIGAN TRUST FUND ACT, 2000 PA 489, MCL 12.251 TO 12.260, MAY BE
- 19 USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADMINISTERING THE PROGRAM AUTHORIZED UNDER
- 20 THIS CHAPTER.