

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 5977**

A bill to amend 1995 PA 24, entitled  
"Michigan economic growth authority act,"  
by amending section 6 (MCL 207.806), as amended by 2008 PA 262.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

- 1       Sec. 6. The authority shall have powers necessary or  
2       convenient to carry out and effectuate the purpose of this act,  
3       including, but not limited to, the following:
- 4       (a) To authorize eligible businesses to receive tax credits to  
5       foster job creation in this state.
- 6       (b) To determine which businesses qualify for tax credits  
7       under this act.
- 8       (c) To determine the amount and duration of tax credits  
9       authorized under this act.
- 10      (d) To issue certificates and enter into written agreements

1 specifying the conditions under which tax credits are authorized  
2 and the circumstances under which those tax credits may be reduced  
3 or terminated.

4 (e) To charge and collect reasonable administrative fees.

5 (f) To delegate to the chairperson of the authority, staff, or  
6 others the functions and powers it considers necessary and  
7 appropriate to administer the programs under this act.

8 (g) To assist an eligible business to obtain the benefits of a  
9 tax credit, incentive, or inducement program provided by this act  
10 or by law.

11 (h) To determine the eligibility of and issue certificates to  
12 certain qualified taxpayers for credits allowed under former  
13 section 38g(3) of 1975 PA 228 and section 431 of the Michigan  
14 business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1431, and to develop the  
15 application process and necessary forms to claim the credit under  
16 former section 38g(3) of 1975 PA 228 and section 431 of the  
17 Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1431. The Michigan  
18 economic growth authority annually shall prepare and submit to the  
19 house of representatives and senate committees responsible for tax  
20 policy and economic development issues a report on the credits  
21 under former section 38g(3) of 1975 PA 228 and section 431 of the  
22 Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1431. The report  
23 shall include, but is not limited to, all of the following:

24 (i) A listing of the projects under former section 38g(3) of  
25 1975 PA 228 and section 431 of the Michigan business tax act, 2007  
26 PA 36, MCL 208.1431, that were approved in the previous calendar  
27 year.

1           (ii) The total amount of eligible investment approved under  
2 former section 38g(3) of 1975 PA 228 and section 431 of the  
3 Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1431, in the  
4 previous calendar year.

5           (i) To approve the capture of school operating taxes and work  
6 plans as provided in sections 13 and 15 of the brownfield  
7 redevelopment financing act, 1996 PA 381, MCL 125.2663 and  
8 125.2665.

9           (j) To determine the eligibility of and issue certificates to  
10 certain qualified taxpayers for credits allowed under section 407  
11 of the Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1407.

12           (k) To determine the eligibility of and issue certificates to  
13 certain taxpayers for credits allowed under sections 431a and 431b  
14 of the Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1431a and  
15 208.1431b.

16           (l) To determine the eligibility of and issue certificates to  
17 certain taxpayers for credits allowed under sections 432 to 432d of  
18 the Michigan business tax act, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1432 to  
19 208.1432d.

20           **(M) TO DETERMINE THE ELIGIBILITY OF AND ISSUE CERTIFICATES TO**  
21 **CERTAIN TAXPAYERS FOR CREDITS ALLOWED UNDER SECTION 434 OF THE**  
22 **MICHIGAN BUSINESS TAX ACT, 2007 PA 36, MCL 208.1434.**