

HOUSE BILL No. 5117

June 17, 2009, Introduced by Rep. Tlaib and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 2008 PA 554, entitled
"Regional convention facility authority act,"
by amending section 29 (MCL 141.1379).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 29. (1) Unless permitted by this act or approved by an
2 authority, any restrictions standards or prerequisites of a local
3 government otherwise applicable to an authority and enacted after
4 ~~the effective date of this act~~ **JANUARY 20, 2009** shall not apply to
5 an authority. This subsection is intended to prohibit special local
6 legislation or ordinances applicable exclusively or primarily to an
7 authority and not to exempt an authority from laws generally
8 applicable to other persons or entities.

9 (2) The powers conferred in this act upon any authority or

1 local government shall be in addition to any other powers the
2 authority or local government possesses by charter or statute **OR**
3 **UNDER THE STATE CONSTITUTION OF 1963**. The provisions of this act
4 apply notwithstanding any resolution, ordinance, or charter
5 provision to the contrary.

6 (3) This act shall be construed liberally to effectuate the
7 legislative intent and the purpose of this act as complete and
8 independent authorization for the performance of each and every act
9 and thing authorized in the act, and all powers granted in this act
10 shall be broadly interpreted to effectuate the intent and purposes
11 of this act and not as to limitation of powers.