

SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 5617

A bill to amend 1877 PA 164, entitled

"An act to authorize cities, incorporated villages, and townships to establish and maintain, or contract for the use of, free public libraries and reading rooms; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies,"

by amending section 4 (MCL 397.204), as amended by 2014 PA 131.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 4. (1) A vacancy in the governing board of a library
2 occasioned by removal, resignation, or otherwise, ~~shall~~**MUST** be
3 reported to the city council and filled in the same manner as the
4 original appointment. ~~, and no member shall receive compensation as~~
5 ~~such.~~

6 (2) **THE GOVERNING BOARD OF A LIBRARY MAY REIMBURSE A BOARD**
7 **MEMBER FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES THAT THE MEMBER INCURS IN THE**
8 **PERFORMANCE OF OFFICIAL DUTIES. THE GOVERNING BOARD MAY COMPENSATE**

1 BOARD MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING OFFICIAL MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OR
2 COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD AND SHALL INCLUDE THE AMOUNT OF
3 COMPENSATION IN THE ANNUAL BUDGET. COMPENSATION MUST NOT EXCEED
4 \$30.00 PER BOARD MEMBER PER MEETING. THE GOVERNING BOARD SHALL NOT
5 COMPENSATE A BOARD MEMBER FOR ATTENDING MORE THAN 52 MEETINGS PER
6 YEAR.