

SENATE BILL No. 15

January 16, 2013, Introduced by Senator WALKER and referred to the Committee on Outdoor Recreation and Tourism.

A bill to amend 1933 PA 167, entitled
"General sales tax act,"
by amending section 25 (MCL 205.75), as amended by 2012 PA 226.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 25. (1) All money received and collected under this act
2 shall be deposited by the department in the state treasury to the
3 credit of the general fund, except as otherwise provided in this
4 section.

5 (2) Fifteen percent of the collections of the tax imposed at a
6 rate of 4% shall be distributed to cities, villages, and townships
7 pursuant to the Glenn Steil state revenue sharing act of 1971, 1971
8 PA 140, MCL 141.901 to 141.921.

9 (3) Sixty percent of the collections of the tax imposed at a
10 rate of 4% shall be deposited in the state school aid fund
11 established in section 11 of article IX of the state constitution

1 of 1963 and distributed as provided by law. In addition, all of the
2 collections of the tax imposed at the additional rate of 2%
3 approved by the electors March 15, 1994 shall be deposited in the
4 state school aid fund.

5 (4) Not less than 27.9% of 25% of the collections of the
6 general sales tax imposed at a rate of 4% directly or indirectly on
7 fuels sold to propel motor vehicles upon highways, on the sale of
8 motor vehicles, and on the sale of the parts and accessories of
9 motor vehicles by new and used car businesses, used car businesses,
10 accessory dealer businesses, and gasoline station businesses as
11 classified by the department of treasury shall be deposited each
12 year into the comprehensive transportation fund created in section
13 10b of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.660b.

14 (5) For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013 only, an
15 amount equal to 18% of the collections of the tax imposed at a rate
16 of 4% under this act from the sale of motor fuel, as that term is
17 defined in section 4 of the motor fuel tax act, 2000 PA 403, MCL
18 207.1004, shall be distributed as follows:

19 (a) An amount sufficient to match available federal highway
20 funds shall be deposited into the state trunk line fund created in
21 section 11 of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.661, for the purpose of matching
22 federal aid highway funds as those federal funds are made available
23 to this state, but not less than 39.1% subject to subdivision (c).

24 (b) After the distribution under subdivision (a), any
25 remaining balance, subject to subdivision (c), shall be distributed
26 as follows:

27 (i) 66% to the county road commissions of this state, which

1 distribution shall be administered under section 12 of 1951 PA 51,
2 MCL 247.662.

3 (ii) 34% to the cities and villages of this state, which
4 distribution shall be administered under section 13 of 1951 PA 51,
5 MCL 247.663.

6 (c) Funds distributed under this subsection shall not exceed
7 \$100,000,000.00.

8 (6) For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013 only and
9 except as otherwise limited in this subsection after the
10 allocations and distributions are made pursuant to subsections (2)
11 and (3), an amount equal to the collections of the tax imposed at a
12 rate of 4% under this act from the sale at retail of aviation fuel
13 and aviation products shall be deposited in the state aeronautics
14 fund and shall be expended, on appropriation, only for those
15 purposes authorized in the aeronautics code of the state of
16 Michigan, 1945 PA 327, MCL 259.1 to 259.208. Not more than
17 \$10,000,000.00 shall be deposited in the state aeronautics fund
18 under this subsection. As used in this subsection, "state
19 aeronautics fund" means the state aeronautics fund created in
20 section 34 of the aeronautics code of the state of Michigan, 1945
21 PA 327, MCL 259.34.

22 (7) An amount equal to the collections of the tax imposed at a
23 rate of 4% under this act from the sale at retail of computer
24 software as defined in section 1a shall be deposited in the
25 Michigan health initiative fund created in section 5911 of the
26 public health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.5911, and shall be
27 considered in addition to, and is not intended as a replacement for

1 any other money appropriated to the department of community health.
2 The funds deposited in the Michigan health initiative fund on an
3 annual basis shall not be less than \$9,000,000.00 or more than
4 \$12,000,000.00.

5 (8) AFTER THE ALLOCATIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS ARE MADE PURSUANT
6 TO SUBSECTIONS (2) THROUGH (7), AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 25% OF THE
7 COLLECTIONS OF THE TAX IMPOSED AT A RATE OF 4% UNDER THIS ACT SHALL
8 BE DEPOSITED INTO A RESTRICTED FUND IN THE STATE GENERAL FUND,
9 WHICH RESTRICTED FUND SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY TRAVEL MICHIGAN AND
10 USED ONLY FOR TOURISM MARKETING AND PROMOTION.

11 (9) ~~(8)~~—The balance in the state general fund shall be
12 disbursed only on an appropriation or appropriations by the
13 legislature.