

## Public Policy Position HB 5201

The Negligence Law Section is a voluntary membership section of the State Bar of Michigan, comprised of 1,681 members. The Negligence Law Section is not the State Bar of Michigan and the position expressed herein is that of the Negligence Law Section only and not the State Bar of Michigan. To date, the State Bar does not have a position on this item.

The Negligence Law Section has a public policy decision-making body with 14 members. On January 24, 2024, the Section adopted its position after a discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. 13 members voted in favor of the Section's position, 0 members voted against this position, 0 members abstained, 1 member did not vote.

## Support

## **Explanation:**

House Bill 5201 amends the Michigan Consumer Protection Act to clarify that its provisions apply to a broader array of businesses in Michigan. This is aligned with the Negligence Section's mission to ensure access to the civil justice system for all Michigan citizens.

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