

# Legislative Analysis



## ALLOW CONSECUTIVE SENTENCING FOR CERTAIN CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT OFFENSES

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**House Bill 5075 as introduced**  
**Sponsor: Rep. Robert J. Bezotte**  
**Committee: Criminal Justice**  
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Analysis available at  
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### SUMMARY:

House Bill 5075 would amend the Michigan Penal Code to authorize a court to order a term of imprisonment imposed for any of the following offenses to be served consecutively to a term of imprisonment imposed for any other criminal offense arising from the same transaction:

- A violation of section 520c, criminal sexual conduct in the second degree.<sup>1</sup>
- A violation of section 520d, criminal sexual conduct in the third degree.<sup>2</sup>
- A violation of section 520e, criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree.<sup>3</sup>
- A violation of section 520g, assault with intent to commit criminal sexual conduct involving sexual penetration or criminal sexual conduct in the second degree.<sup>4</sup>

Multiple sentences are served either concurrently (at the same time) or consecutively (one after another). Consecutive sentencing requires a statutory authorization (allowing it) or mandate (requiring it). The bill would provide authorization as related to the above offenses. Note that consecutive sentencing is already authorized for a violation of section 520b of the Michigan Penal Code (criminal sexual conduct in the first degree).

The bill would take effect 90 days after it is enacted.

MCL 750.520c et seq.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

A fiscal analysis is in progress.

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<sup>1</sup> <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-750-520c>

<sup>2</sup> <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-750-520d>

<sup>3</sup> <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-750-520e>

<sup>4</sup> <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-750-520g>