## **SENATE BILL NO. 709**

November 13, 2025, Introduced by Senators GEISS, KLINEFELT, CHANG and MCMORROW and referred to Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A bill to amend 2001 PA 142, entitled "Michigan memorial highway act,"

(MCL 250.1001 to 250.2092) by adding section 1b.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1b. A memorial designation may be made under this act
- 2 only for an eligible subject that satisfies all of the following
- 3 criteria:
- 4 (a) Is an individual, a group of individuals, an organization,
- 5 a mass-casualty event, a military unit, a military operation, a
- 6 military event, or a military award.
  - (b) Must be historically or culturally significant to this

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- 1 state or the United States.
- 2 (c) If designated for an individual, group of individuals, or
- 3 organization, the individual or an individual in the group or
- 4 organization must be deceased.
- 5 (d) If designated for a service member, the service member
- 6 must have died in the line of duty.
- 7 (e) If designated for a group of individuals, organization,
- 8 military unit, military operation, military event, or military
- 9 award, the mission or purpose of that subject must directly relate
- 10 to 1 or more individuals who were public service officers or
- 11 service members killed in the line of duty.
- 12 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 13 unless Senate Bill No. 708 of the 103rd Legislature is enacted into
- **14** law.