

# HOUSE BILL No. 5515

March 24, 2016, Introduced by Rep. Kosowski and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 1972 PA 230, entitled "Stille-DeRossett-Hale single state construction code act," by amending section 13b (MCL 125.1513b), as added by 1988 PA 146.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 13b. (1) As used in this section, "lead free" means  
2 ~~either of the following:~~

3 ~~—— (a) Solder and flux containing not more than 0.2% lead.~~

4 ~~—— (b) Pipe and pipe fittings containing not more than 8% lead.~~

5 ~~—— (2) Beginning on the effective date of this section, pipes,~~

6 **THE FOLLOWING, AS APPLICABLE:**

7       **(A) NOT CONTAINING MORE THAN 0.2% LEAD, WHEN USED TO DESCRIBE**  
8 **SOLDER AND FLUX.**

9       **(B) NOT MORE THAN A WEIGHTED AVERAGE OF 0.25% LEAD, WHEN USED**

1 TO DESCRIBE THE WETTED SURFACES OF PIPES, PIPE FITTINGS,  
2 PLUMBING FITTINGS, AND FIXTURES.

3 (2) PIPES, pipe fittings, solder, or flux which are used in  
4 the installation or repair, **ON OR AFTER JUNE 7, 1988**, of a plumbing  
5 system in a building or structure providing water for human  
6 consumption or a public water system shall be lead free.

7 (3) This section ~~shall~~ **DOES** not apply to leaded joints  
8 necessary for the repair of cast iron pipes.

9 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days  
10 after the date it is enacted into law.