



Michigan Alliance for Legal Reform Supports Legislation Preserving Regulatory Compliance Exemption

*Bill would safeguard long-standing framework that provides certainty, stability,
and predictability for licensed professions and regulated industries*

Lansing, MICH (March 17, 2026) – New legislation introduced in the Michigan House would protect a long-standing legal framework currently under review by the Michigan Supreme Court.

[House Bill 5725](#) codifies the regulatory compliance exemption within the Michigan Consumer Protection Act – a decades-long standard that ensures transactions and conduct already regulated by state and federal law are not subject to duplicative red tape.

The exemption faces a looming threat before the State Supreme Court *in Nessel vs. Eli Lilly & Co.* If eliminated, licensed professionals and regulated industries would be exposed to overlapping regulations, greater uncertainty, abusive litigation, and higher costs.

“The Michigan Supreme Court is poised to upend decades of settled law, fundamentally changing how licensed professionals and regulated industries operate while exposing workers and job providers to expansive litigation and higher costs,” **said Zach Rudat, Director of the Michigan Alliance for Legal Reform.** “Preserving the regulatory compliance exemption is essential to ensuring our legal system is predictable, balanced and avoids unnecessary duplication.”

The Michigan Alliance for Legal Reform is a coalition of 45 Michigan associations and employers dedicated to reining in lawsuit abuse and restoring balance and fairness in Michigan’s legal system. Learn more at MIAAllianceForLegalReform.com.

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