Prosecutor watches high court's drug law review people with relatives or friends in prison because of the law. "But they should be more concerned about the 15,000 bables born every year ad-dicted to crack cocaine," he said.

They have different motives, but two area residents will pay close at-tention when the silvent and ac-tention court regime released as take law regioning a mandatory life sentence for those convicted of pos-essing 550 grams or more of co-caine.

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Linda Fannon of Westland hopes
the high court will overturn the law
that also probibits parole for anyone
convicted under it. Her son is Gary
Fannon, a 1986 graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School, who is cur-

the controversial law.

Oakland County prosecutor Richard Thompson, however, hopes Michigan's highest court will do what the U.S. Supreme Court did last summer — rule the law does not violate the constitutional prohibition against cruel and unusual puntablement.

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"It would be a horrible mistake if the high court overturns this law," said Thompson. "It's a powerful weapon in the war on drugs... and it's working."
Thompson said he understands the feelings of Linda Fannon and other

THE CASE in question involves a Callornia man, Kenneth Hasson, and S'Saginaw grandmother, Ruth Bullock, who were arrested near Lansing's Capital City Airport, Police were acting on a lip he was carrying 30 pounds of occaine. Police searched Bullock's car outside the airport — without a warrant — and subsequently arrested the pair who were eventually convicted and sentenced to life in prison without parels.

and sentenced to life in prison with-out parole.

The high court is also reviewing the validity of how police searched Bullock's car. But the future of the law listell is very much at stake.

Among those who wants the law overturned is Lynn M. Rode, a Red-

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ford Township woman who has orga-nized a march at the high court's of-fices in Lanning.
"That law was a mistake," said Rodes. "Il was intended to get large scale dealers, but it's not working out that way. It must be overturn-ed."

Lansing lawyer Paul Rosenbaum agrees, even though he voted to enact the Michigan law when he was a state representative in 190f. aith to get large scale dealers," Rosenbaum said Tuesday. "But it didn't work. Most of the people convicted under the law are small-time dealers."

under the law are small-time deal-ers. "It was a good attempt," Rosen-baum said. "But every piece of legis-lation should be reviewed. This one just isn't working."

THE SUPREME COURT isn't ex-pected to rule on the Hasson case for seven to nine months.

In the meantime, state Rep. William Bryant, R-Grosse Pointe, continues to work on House Bill 4024 that changes the existing law. Independent of any decision by the Supreme Court, HB 4024 would allow judges to sentence people convicted under the drug-life law to samething, less than life in prison under extensive

"We've had thousands of people sign petitions in support of HB 4024," sald David Cashil, legal cosmicel to the House Judicial Committee which has held one public bearing by the proposal. The judicial committee is expected to complete its review this fall.



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