## **HOUSE BILL No. 5908**

## September 13, 2012, Introduced by Reps. Haines, Shirkey, MacGregor, Kowall and Goike and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1980 PA 350, entitled "The nonprofit health care corporation reform act," by amending section 403 (MCL 550.1403), as amended by 2002 PA 317.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 403. (1) A health care corporation, on a timely basis, 2 shall pay to a member benefits as are entitled and provided under 3 the applicable certificate. When not paid on a timely basis, 4 benefits payable to a member shall bear simple interest from a date 5 60 days after a satisfactory claim form was received by the health care corporation, at a rate of 12% interest per annum. The interest 6 7 shall be paid in addition to, and at the time of payment of, the claim. Section 2006(7) to (14) of the insurance code of 1956, 1956 8 9 PA 218, MCL 500.2006, applies to a health care corporation. 10 (2) A health care corporation shall specify in writing the

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materials that constitute a satisfactory claim form not later than 1 2 30 days after receipt of a claim, unless the claim is settled within 30 days. If a claim form is not supplied as to the entire 3 4 claim, the amount supported by the claim form shall be considered 5 to be paid on a timely basis if paid within 60 days after receipt of the claim form by the corporation. This subsection does not 6 apply to a health care corporation when paying a claim under 7 section 2006(7) to (14) of the insurance code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, 8 MCL 500.2006. 9

10 (3) SECTION 2006A OF THE INSURANCE CODE OF 1956, 1956 PA 218,
11 MCL 500.2006A, APPLIES TO A HEALTH CARE CORPORATION.

12 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect 13 unless Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 5909(request no. 14 02540'11 \*\*) of the 96th Legislature is enacted into law.