## SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 879

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 13524.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 13524. (1) IF A PATIENT'S MAMMOGRAM DEMONSTRATES DENSE
- 2 BREAST TISSUE, A PERSON WHO PROVIDES MAMMOGRAPHY SERVICES IN THIS
- 3 STATE SHALL PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE PATIENT THAT INCLUDES, BUT
- 4 IS NOT LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, IN THE SUMMARY OF THE
- 5 WRITTEN REPORT OF THE RESULTS OF A MAMMOGRAPHY EXAMINATION THAT IS
- 6 SENT DIRECTLY TO A PATIENT PURSUANT TO 42 USC 263B:
- 7 "YOUR MAMMOGRAM SHOWS THAT YOUR BREAST TISSUE IS DENSE. DENSE
- 8 BREAST TISSUE IS VERY COMMON AND IS NOT ABNORMAL. HOWEVER, DENSE
- 9 BREAST TISSUE CAN MAKE IT HARDER TO FIND CANCER THROUGH A
- 10 MAMMOGRAM. ALSO, DENSE BREAST TISSUE MAY INCREASE YOUR RISK FOR

- BREAST CANCER. THIS INFORMATION ABOUT THE RESULT OF YOUR MAMMOGRAM 1
- 2 IS GIVEN TO YOU TO RAISE YOUR AWARENESS. USE THIS INFORMATION TO
- 3 DISCUSS WITH YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER WHETHER OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL
- TESTS IN ADDITION TO YOUR MAMMOGRAM MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR YOU,
- BASED ON YOUR INDIVIDUAL RISK. A REPORT OF YOUR RESULTS WAS SENT TO 5
- YOUR ORDERING PHYSICIAN. IF YOU ARE SELF-REFERRED, A REPORT OF YOUR
- 7 RESULTS WAS SENT TO YOU IN ADDITION TO THIS SUMMARY.".
- 8 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DENSE BREAST TISSUE" MEANS
- 9 HETEROGENEOUSLY OR EXTREMELY DENSE BREAST TISSUE AS DEFINED IN
- 10 NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED GUIDELINES OR SYSTEMS FOR BREAST IMAGING
- 11 REPORTING OF MAMMOGRAPHY SCREENING INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
- 12 THE BREAST IMAGING REPORTING AND DATA SYSTEM ESTABLISHED BY THE
- 13 AMERICAN COLLEGE OF RADIOLOGY. IF, AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
- SECTION, NEW TERMS ARE DEFINED IN REVISED GUIDELINES OR SYSTEMS FOR 14
- 15 BREAST IMAGING REPORTING OF MAMMOGRAPHY SCREENING, AND THE
- DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT THOSE NEW TERMS ARE MORE APPROPRIATE FOR 16
- 17 THE PURPOSES OF THE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED UNDER THIS
- 18 SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT, BY ORDER, MAY UPDATE THE DEFINITION OF
- 19 DENSE BREAST TISSUE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION TO USE THOSE NEW TERMS.
- 20 UPON ISSUANCE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL FORWARD AN ORDER ISSUED UNDER
- 21 THIS SUBSECTION TO THE LEGISLATURE.
- 22 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect June 1,
- 23 2015.