## **HOUSE BILL No. 5206**

January 13, 2016, Introduced by Reps. Wittenberg and Howrylak and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled

"Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding sections 16112 and 20135.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 16112. A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL LICENSED, REGISTERED, OR
- 2 OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED TO ENGAGE IN A HEALTH PROFESSION UNDER THIS
- 3 ARTICLE SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION 20135. A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL WHO
- 4 VIOLATES SECTION 20135 IS SUBJECT TO ANY PENALTY, REMEDY, OR
- 5 ADMINISTRATIVE SANCTION APPLICABLE TO A VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE.
- 6 SEC. 20135. (1) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION,
- 7 A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER SHALL NOT REFUSE TO PROVIDE HEALTH CARE
- 8 SERVICES OR SUPPLIES TO A PATIENT BASED SOLELY ON THE PATIENT'S
- 9 REFUSAL TO ALLOW THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO PHOTOCOPY OR SCAN HIS
- 10 OR HER DRIVER LICENSE OR MICHIGAN PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION CARD.
- 11 THIS SECTION DOES NOT PROHIBIT A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER FROM VIEWING

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- 1 THE LICENSE OR CARD TO VERIFY THE PATIENT'S IDENTITY OR FROM
- 2 CAPTURING DATA FROM THE LICENSE OR CARD FOR THE HEALTH CARE
- 3 PROVIDER'S DATABASE.
- 4 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "HEALTH CARE PROVIDER" MEANS ANY
- 5 OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 6 (A) A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL LICENSED, REGISTERED, OR OTHERWISE
- 7 AUTHORIZED TO ENGAGE IN A HEALTH PROFESSION UNDER ARTICLE 15.
- 8 (B) A HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY LICENSED OR CERTIFIED UNDER
- 9 THIS ARTICLE.