

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 5475

A bill to prohibit the expenditure of state funds to clone a human being or to conduct or to support research on the cloning of human beings.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as "the  
2 human cloning and cloning research prohibition act".

3       Sec. 2. As used in this act:

4       (a) "Clone" or "cloning" means the use of human somatic cell  
5 nuclear transfer technology to produce an embryo.

6       (b) "Human somatic cell nuclear transfer" means transferring  
7 the nucleus of a human somatic cell into an oocyte from which the  
8 nucleus has been removed or rendered inert.

9       (c) "Somatic cell" means a cell of an embryo, fetus, or a  
10 fully developed human being that is not and will not become a  
11 sperm or egg cell.

**HB5475, As Passed House, January 28, 1998**

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1       Sec. 3. A person shall not use state funds to clone a human  
2 being or to conduct research on the cloning of human beings.  
3 This section does not prohibit cloning or cloning research that  
4 does not produce an embryo.

5       Sec. 4. A person who violates section 3 is subject to a  
6 civil fine of \$10,000,000.00. A civil fine imposed under this  
7 section shall be distributed in the same manner in which penal  
8 fines are distributed in this state.

9       Sec. 5. This act does not take effect unless all of the  
10 following bills of the 89th Legislature are enacted into law:

11       (a) House Bill No. 4962.

12       (b) House Bill No. 4846.