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**SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 75**

(As Passed the Senate May 7, 1997)

(As amended by the House May 19, 1998)

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled
"Public health code,"
(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 21072.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 21072. (1) A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION SHALL NOT
2 RATE, CANCEL COVERAGE ON, REFUSE TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR, OR
3 REFUSE TO ISSUE OR RENEW A CONTRACT SOLELY BECAUSE AN ENROLLEE OR
4 APPLICANT FOR ENROLLMENT IS OR HAS BEEN A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC
5 VIOLENCE.

6 (2) A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION SHALL NOT BE HELD CIV-
7 ILLY LIABLE FOR ANY CAUSE OF ACTION THAT MAY RESULT FROM COMPLI-
8 ANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

9 (3) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO ALL HEALTH MAINTENANCE
10 ORGANIZATION CONTRACTS ISSUED OR RENEWED ON OR AFTER [JUNE 1,
11 1998.]

SB0075, As Passed House, May 21, 1998

Sub. S.B. 75 (S-3) as amended May 19, 1998

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1 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DOMESTIC VIOLENCE" MEANS
2 INFLICTING BODILY INJURY, CAUSING SERIOUS EMOTIONAL INJURY OR
3 PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAUMA, OR PLACING IN FEAR OF IMMINENT PHYSICAL
4 HARM BY THREAT OR FORCE A PERSON WHO [IS A SPOUSE OR FORMER
5 SPOUSE OF, HAS OR HAS HAD A DATING RELATIONSHIP WITH, RESIDES OR HAS
RESIDED WITH, OR] HAS A CHILD IN COMMON WITH THE PERSON COMMITTING
THE
6 VIOLENCE.

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