October 2, 2001, Introduced by Senator HAMMERSTROM and referred to the Committee on Families, Mental Health and Human Services.

A bill to amend 1846 RS 84, entitled "Of divorce,"

SENATE BILL No. 682

by amending section 17a (MCL 552.17a), as amended by 1990 PA 243.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 17a. (1) The court shall have HAS jurisdiction in
- 2 making such TO MAKE AN order or judgment relative to the minor
- 3 children of such THE parties as authorized in this chapter to
- $oldsymbol{4}$ award custody of each child to 1 of the parties or a third person
- 5 until each child has attained the age of 18 years and may require
- 6 either parent to pay for the support of each child until each
- ${f 7}$ child ${f -shall \ have \ attained}$ ATTAINS that age. Subject to section
- $8 \ \ \overline{\ \ }$ 5B OF THE SUPPORT AND PARENTING TIME ENFORCEMENT ACT, 1982
- 9 PA 295, MCL 552.605B, the court may also order support as

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- 1 authorized in this chapter for a child of the parties to provide
- 2 support for the child after the child reaches 18 years of age.
- 3 (2) Upon an application for modification of a judgment or
- 4 order when applicant is in contempt, for cause shown, the court
- 5 may waive the contempt and proceed to a hearing without prejudice
- 6 to applicant's rights and render a determination on the merits.