

HOUSE BILL No. 6381

August 13, 2008, Introduced by Rep. Sak 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 section 20153.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 20153. (1) A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER SHALL NOT USE ANY
2 SINGLE USE PRODUCT ON A PATIENT IF THAT SINGLE USE PRODUCT WAS
3 PREVIOUSLY USED.

4 (2) A PERSON THAT VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY
5 PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 10 YEARS OR A FINE OF
6 NOT MORE THAN \$50,000.00, OR BOTH.

7 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:

8 (A) "HEALTH CARE PROVIDER" MEANS A HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY
9 OR A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL THAT UTILIZES SINGLE USE PRODUCTS IN

1 FURNISHING MEDICAL, SURGICAL, OR DENTAL TREATMENT OR CARE TO
2 PATIENTS.

3 (B) "HEALTH PROFESSIONAL" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL LICENSED,
4 CERTIFIED, OR AUTHORIZED TO ENGAGE IN A HEALTH PROFESSION UNDER
5 ARTICLE 15.

6 (C) "SINGLE USE PRODUCT" MEANS AN ITEM OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT OR
7 MEDICAL SUPPLIES THAT IS INTENDED FOR 1 USE OR ON A SINGLE PATIENT
8 DURING A SINGLE PROCEDURE.