



HOUSE BILL No. 4692

May 4, 1993, Introduced by Reps. Schroer, Rivers, Gubow, Shepich, Jondahl, Pitoniak, Gire, Porreca and Bobier and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

A bill to amend section 417 of Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of 1980, entitled as amended

"The nonprofit health care corporation reform act,"

as added by Act No. 369 of the Public Acts of 1984, being section 550.1417 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 417 of Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of
2 1980, as added by Act No. 369 of the Public Acts of 1984, being
3 section 550.1417 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to
4 read as follows:

5 Sec. 417. (1) A health care corporation shall ~~offer to~~
6 ~~include-~~ PROVIDE benefits for hospice care in each certificate
7 ~~which is issued or renewed by a health care corporation after~~
8 ~~the effective date of this section and which~~ THAT provides

1 benefits for inpatient hospital care. ~~7 pursuant to this~~
2 ~~section.~~

3 (2) A health care corporation may enter into contracts with
4 health care providers for the rendering of hospice care. A con-
5 tracting health care provider shall be a licensed hospice under
6 article 17 of the public health code, Act No. 368 of the Public
7 Acts of 1978, being sections 333.20101 to ~~333.22181~~ 333.22260
8 of the Michigan Compiled ~~laws~~ LAWS, and shall meet the stan-
9 dards set by the corporation for contracting health care
10 providers.

11 ~~(3) This section shall take effect January 1, 1986.~~