

## HOUSE BILL No. 4694

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 sections 3406c and 3615 of Act No. 218 of the Public Acts of 1956, entitled as amended "The insurance code of 1956," as added by Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1984, being sections 500.3406c and 500.3615 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Sections 3406c and 3615 of Act No. 218 of the
- 2 Public Acts of 1956, as added by Act No. 368 of the Public Acts
- 3 of 1984, being sections 500.3406c and 500.3615 of the Michigan
- 4 Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 5 Sec. 3406c. (1) An insurer shall offer to include cover
- 6 age for hospice care in each THAT DELIVERS, ISSUES FOR DELIVERY,
- 7 OR RENEWS IN THIS STATE AN EXPENSE INCURRED hospital, medical, or
- 8 surgical -expense incurred policy -which is issued or renewed
- 9 after the effective date of this section and which THAT provides

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- 1 coverage for inpatient hospital care SHALL PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR
- 2 HOSPICE CARE. As used in this section, "hospice" means hospice
- 3 as defined in section 20106 of the public health code, Act
- 4 No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being section 333.20106 of
- 5 the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 6 (2) This section shall take effect January 1, 1986.
- 7 Sec. 3615. -(+) An insurer -shall offer to include cover-
- 8 age for hospice care in each THAT DELIVERS, ISSUES FOR DELIVERY,
- 9 OR RENEWS IN THIS STATE AN EXPENSE INCURRED group hospital, medi-
- 10 cal, or surgical -expense incurred policy -which is issued or
- 11 renewed after the effective date of this section and which THAT
- 12 provides coverage for inpatient hospital care SHALL PROVIDE COV-
- 13 ERAGE FOR HOSPICE CARE. As used in this section, "hospice" means
- 14 hospice as defined in section 20106 of the public health code,
- 15 Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being section 333.20106
- 16 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
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