

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 200

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled
"The Michigan penal code,"
(MCL 750.1 to 750.568) by adding section 329a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 329A. (1) A PERSON WHO KNOWS THAT AN INDIVIDUAL
2 INTENDS TO KILL HIMSELF OR HERSELF AND DOES ANY OF THE FOLLOWING
3 WITH THE INTENT TO ASSIST THE INDIVIDUAL IN KILLING HIMSELF OR
4 HERSELF IS GUILTY OF CRIMINAL ASSISTANCE TO THE KILLING OF AN
5 INDIVIDUAL, A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN
6 5 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00, OR BOTH:
- 7 (A) PROVIDES THE MEANS BY WHICH THE INDIVIDUAL ATTEMPTS TO
8 KILL HIMSELF OR HERSELF OR KILLS HIMSELF OR HERSELF.
- 9 (B) PARTICIPATES IN AN ACT BY WHICH THE INDIVIDUAL ATTEMPTS
10 TO KILL HIMSELF OR HERSELF OR KILLS HIMSELF OR HERSELF.

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1 (C) HELPS THE INDIVIDUAL PLAN TO ATTEMPT TO KILL HIMSELF OR
2 HERSELF OR TO KILL HIMSELF OR HERSELF.

3 (2) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO WITHHOLDING OR WITHDRAW-
4 ING MEDICAL TREATMENT.