

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4641**

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"
(MCL 600.101 to 600.9947) by adding section 5851a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **SEC. 5851A. (1) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 5851, AN INDIVIDUAL**
2 **WHO, WHILE A MINOR, IS THE VICTIM OF FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION MAY**
3 **COMMENCE AN ACTION UNDER SECTION 2978 OR AS OTHERWISE ALLOWED BY**
4 **LAW TO RECOVER DAMAGES SUSTAINED BECAUSE OF THE FEMALE GENITAL**
5 **MUTILATION AT ANY TIME BEFORE THE INDIVIDUAL REACHES THE AGE OF 28**
6 **YEARS.**

7 **(2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION" MEANS**
8 **CONDUCT THAT IS A VIOLATION OF SECTION 136 OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL**
9 **CODE, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.136, OR, IF IT WERE TO OCCUR IN THIS**
10 **STATE, WOULD BE A VIOLATION OF SECTION 136 OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL**

1 **CODE, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.136.**

2 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
3 after the date it is enacted into law.

4 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
5 unless all of the following bills of the 99th Legislature are
6 enacted into law:

7 (a) House Bill No. 4636.

8 (b) House Bill No. 4661.