HOUSE BILL No. 5941

June 29, 1990, Introduced by Reps. Perry Bullard, Gubow and DeMars and referred to the Committee on Colleges and Universities.

A bill to amend section 202 of Act No. 453 of the Public Acts of 1976, entitled as amended "Elliott-Larsen civil rights act," being section 37.2202 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. Section 202 of Act No. 453 of the Public Acts of
- 2 1976, being section 37.2202 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
- 3 amended to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 202. (1) An employer shall not DO ANY OF THE
- 5 FOLLOWING:
- 6 (a) Fail or refuse to hire -, or recruit, or discharge,
- 7 or otherwise discriminate against an individual with respect to
- 8 employment, compensation, or a term, condition, or privilege of
- 9 employment, because of religion, race, color, national origin,
- 10 age, sex, height, weight, or marital status.

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- 1 (b) Limit, segregate, or classify an employee or applicant
- 2 for employment in a way which THAT deprives or tends to deprive
- 3 the employee or applicant of an employment opportunity, or other-
- 4 wise adversely affects the status of an employee or applicant
- 5 because of religion, race, color, national origin, age, sex,
- 6 height, weight, or marital status.
- 7 (c) Segregate, classify, or otherwise discriminate against a
- 8 person on the basis of sex with respect to a term, condition, or
- 9 privilege of employment, including, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, a benefit
- 10 plan or system.
- 11 (D) REQUIRE AN EMPLOYEE WHO IS SERVING UNDER A CONTRACT OF
- 12 UNLIMITED TENURE, OR SIMILAR ARRANGEMENT PROVIDING FOR UNLIMITED
- 13 TENURE, AT AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO RETIRE FROM
- 14 EMPLOYMENT ON THE BASIS OF THE EMPLOYEE'S AGE. AS USED IN THIS
- 15 SUBDIVISION, "INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION" MEANS A PUBLIC OR
- 16 PRIVATE UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, COMMUNITY COLLEGE, OR JUNIOR COLLEGE
- 17 LOCATED IN THIS STATE.
- 18 (2) This section shall not be construed to prohibit the
- 19 establishment or implementation of a bona fide retirement policy
- 20 or system -which THAT is not a subterfuge to evade the purposes
- 21 of this section, EXCEPT THAT SUCH A RETIREMENT POLICY OR SYSTEM
- 22 DOES NOT EXCUSE THE FAILURE TO HIRE AN INDIVIDUAL, OR REQUIRE OR
- 23 PERMIT THE INVOLUNTARY RETIREMENT OF AN INDIVIDUAL, BECAUSE OF
- 24 THE INDIVIDUAL'S AGE.
- 25 (3) This section -shall DOES not apply to the employment of
- 26 an individual by his or her parent, spouse, or child.