HOUSE BILL No. 4426

March 5, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Hollister, Gire, Bryant, Bankes, Oxender, DeMars, Johnson, Hertel, Jondahl and Ciaramitaro and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Youth.

A bill to amend the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 8a, 9a, and 13 of Act No. 116 of the Public Acts of 1973, entitled

"An act to provide for the protection of children through the licensing and regulation of child care organizations; to provide for the establishment of standards of care for child care organizations; to provide penalties; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,"

section 1 as amended by Act No. 139 of the Public Acts of 1984, section 2 as amended by Act No. 150 of the Public Acts of 1983, sections 3 and 8 as amended and section 9a as added by Act No. 232 of the Public Acts of 1980, section 5 as amended by Act No. 72 of the Public Acts of 1989, and section 8a as added by Act No. 32 of the Public Acts of 1980, being sections 722.111, 722.112, 722.113, 722.115, 722.117, 722.118, 722.118a, 722.119a, and 722.123 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; to add sections 5a and 6a; and to repeal certain parts of the act.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. The title and sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 8a, 9a,
- 2 and 13 of Act No. 116 of the Public Acts of 1973, section 1 as
- 3 amended by Act No. 139 of the Public Acts of 1984, section 2 as
- 4 amended by Act No. 150 of the Public Acts of 1983, sections 3 and
- 5 8 as amended and section 9a as added by Act No. 232 of the Public
- 6 Acts of 1980, section 5 as amended by Act No. 72 of the Public
- 7 Acts of 1989, and section 8a as added by Act No. 32 of the Public
- 8 Acts of 1980, being sections 722.111, 722.112, 722.113, 722.115,
- 9 722.117, 722.118, 722.118a, 722.119a, and 722.123 of the Michigan
- 10 Compiled Laws, are amended and sections 5a and 6a are added to
- 11 read as follows:
- 12 TITLE
- 13 An act to provide for the protection of children through the
- 14 licensing and regulation of child care organizations; to provide
- 15 for the establishment of standards of care for child care organi-
- 16 zations; TO PROVIDE FOR FEES; to provide penalties; and to repeal
- 17 certain acts and parts of acts.
- 18 Sec. 1. As used in this act:
- 19 (a) "Child care organization" means a governmental or non-
- 20 governmental organization having as its principal function the
- 21 receiving of minor children for care, maintenance, training, and
- 22 supervision, notwithstanding that educational instruction may be
- 23 given. Child care organization includes organizations commonly
- 24 described as child caring institutions, child placing agencies,
- 25 children's camps, child care centers, day care centers, nursery

- 1 schools, parent cooperative preschools, foster homes, group
- 2 homes, or day care homes.
- 3 (b) "Child caring institution" means a child care facility
- 4 which THAT is organized for the purpose of receiving minor
- 5 children for care, maintenance, and supervision, usually on a
- 6 24-hour basis, in buildings maintained by the institution for
- 7 that purpose, and operates throughout the year. An educational
- 8 program may be provided, but the educational program shall not be
- 9 the primary purpose of the facility. Child caring institution
- 10 includes a maternity home for the care of unmarried mothers who
- 11 are minors and an agency group home, which is described as a
- 12 small child caring institution owned, leased, or rented by a
- 13 licensed agency providing care for more than 4 but less than 13
- 14 minor children. Child caring institution also includes institu-
- 15 tions for mentally retarded or emotionally disturbed minor
- 16 children. Child caring institution does not include a hospital,
- 17 nursing home, or home for the aged licensed under article 17 of
- 18 the public health code, Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978,
- 19 as amended, being sections 333.20101 to $\frac{333.22181}{1}$ 333.22260 of
- 20 the Michigan Compiled Laws, a boarding school licensed under sec-
- 21 tion 1335 of the school code of 1976, Act No. 451 of the Public
- 22 Acts of 1976, being section 380.1335 of the Michigan Compiled
- 23 Laws, a hospital or facility operated by the state or licensed
- 24 under the mental health code, Act No. 258 of the Public Acts of
- 25 1974, as amended, being sections 330.1001 to 330.2106 of the
- 26 Michigan Compiled Laws, or an adult foster care family home or an
- 27 adult foster care small group home licensed under the adult

- 1 foster care facility licensing act, Act No. 218 of the Public
- **2** Acts of 1979, being sections 400.701 to $\frac{400.735}{400.737}$ 400.737 of the
- 3 Michigan Compiled Laws, in which a child has been placed pursuant
- **4** to section 5(6).
- 5 (c) "Child placing agency" means an agency organized for the
- 6 purpose of receiving children for their placement in private
- 7 family homes for foster care or for adoption. The function of a
- 8 child placing agency may include the investigation and certifica-
- 9 tion of foster family homes and foster family group homes as pro-
- 10 vided in this act. The function of a child placing agency may
- 11 also include the supervision of children who are 16 or 17 years
- 12 of age and who are living in unlicensed residences as provided in
- 13 section 5(4).
- (d) "Children's camp" means a residential, day, troop, or
- 15 travel camp conducted in a natural environment for more than 4
- 16 school age children, apart from their parents, relatives, or
- 17 legal guardians, for 5 or more days in a 14-day period. A
- 18 children's camp provides care and supervision for the same group
- 19 of children for usually not more than 12 weeks.
- (e) "Child care center" or "day care center" means a facil-
- 21 ity -, other than a private residence, receiving 1 or more pre-
- 22 school CHILDREN or school age children UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE for
- 23 care for periods of GREATER THAN 2 HOURS BUT less than 24 hours a
- 24 day FOR 2 OR MORE DAYS PER WEEK AND FOR MORE THAN 8 WEEKS DURING
- 25 A 12-MONTH PERIOD, and where the parents or guardians are APART
- 26 FROM AND not immediately available to the child. Child care
- 27 center or day care center includes a facility which provides care

- 1 for not less than 2 consecutive weeks, regardless of the number
- 2 of hours of care per day. The facility is generally described as
- 3 a child care center, day care center, PRESCHOOL, day nursery,
- 4 nursery school, parent cooperative preschool, play group, -or-
- 5 drop-in center, OR EMPLOYER-OPERATED OR EMPLOYER-SPONSORED CHILD
- 6 CARE CENTER. Child care center or day care center does not
- 7 include any of the following:
- 8 (i) A Sunday school, a vacation bible school, or a religious
- 9 instructional class that is conducted by a religious organization
- 10 where children are in attendance for not -greater MORE than 3
- 11 hours per day for an indefinite period, or not greater MORE
- 12 than 8 hours per day for a period not to exceed 4 weeks during a
- 13 12-month period.
- 14 (ii) A facility operated by a religious organization where
- 15 children are cared for not -greater MORE than 3 hours while per-
- 16 sons responsible for the children are attending religious
- 17 services.
- 18 (iii) A DAY CAMP PROGRAM THAT IS OPERATED MORE THAN 50% OF
- 19 THE TIME IN AN OUTDOOR NATURAL SETTING.
- 20 (iv) A CHILD CARE FACILITY OPERATED IN CONNECTION WITH A
- 21 SHOPPING CENTER, SKI RESORT, BOWLING ALLEY, OR OTHER SIMILAR
- 22 RETAIL OR RECREATIONAL FACILITY WHERE CHILDREN ARE IN CARE ON A
- 23 TEMPORARY BASIS AND THE PARENTS OR GUARDIANS ARE ON THE GENERAL
- 24 PREMISES WHERE THE FACILITY IS LOCATED.
- 25 (ν) A BEFORE SCHOOL AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL AGE
- 26 CHILDREN THAT IS OPERATED BY AN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
- 27 THE BOARD OF A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF THE PROGRAM IS LOCATED

- I IN A SCHOOL BUILDING THAT IS APPROVED BY THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL
- 2 OR OTHER SIMILAR AUTHORITY AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 3 OF ACT
- 3 NO. 306 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1937, BEING SECTION 388.853 OF THE
- 4 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES AND IS IN COMPLIANCE
- 5 WITH THE SCHOOL FIRE SAFETY RULES, R 29.301 TO R 29.317 OF THE
- 6 MICHIGAN ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AS DETERMINED BY THE STATE FIRE
- 7 MARSHAL OR A FIRE INSPECTOR CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO SECTION 2B OF
- 8 THE FIRE PREVENTION CODE, ACT NO. 207 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1941,
- 9 BEING SECTION 29.2B OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- (f) "Private home" means a private residence in which the
- 11 licensee or registrant permanently resides as a member of the
- 12 household, which residency -shall not be IS NOT contingent upon
- 13 caring for children or employment by a licensed or approved child
- 14 placing agency. Private home includes a full-time foster family
- 15 home, a full-time foster family group home, a group day care
- 16 home, or a family day care home, as follows:
- (i) "Foster family home" is a private home in which 1 but
- 18 not more than 4 minor children, who are not related to an adult
- 19 member of the household by blood, marriage, or adoption, are
- 20 given care and supervision for 24 hours a day, for 4 or more days
- 21 a week, for 2 or more consecutive weeks, unattended by a parent
- 22 or legal quardian.
- 23 (ii) "Foster family group home" means a private home in
- 24 which more than 4 but less than 7 minor children, who are not
- 25 related to an adult member of the household by blood, marriage,
- 26 or adoption, are provided care for 24 hours a day, for 4 or more

- 1 days a week, for 2 or more consecutive weeks, unattended by a
 2 parent or legal guardian.
- 3 (iii) "Family day care home" means a private home in which 1
- 4 but less than 7 minor children are received for care and supervi-
- 5 sion for periods of less than 24 hours a day, unattended by a
- 6 parent or legal guardian, except children related to an adult
- 7 member of the family by blood, marriage, or adoption. Family day
- 8 care home includes a home that gives care to an unrelated minor
- 9 child for more than -4 8 weeks during a calendar year.
- 10 (iv) "Group day care home" means a private home in which
- 11 more than 6 but not more than 12 minor children are given care
- 12 and supervision for periods of less than 24 hours a day unat-
- 13 tended by a parent or legal guardian, except children related to
- 14 an adult member of the family by blood, marriage, or adoption.
- 15 Group day care home includes a home that gives care to an unre-
- 16 lated minor child for more than 4 weeks during a calendar year.
- (g) "Licensee" means a person, partnership, firm, corpora-
- 18 tion, association, nongovernmental, or local or state government
- 19 child care organization -which THAT has been issued a license to
- 20 operate a child care organization.
- 21 (h) "Provisional license" means —a BOTH OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 22 (i) A license issued to a child care organization which—
- 23 THAT HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN LICENSED UNDER THIS ACT OR A FORMER ACT
- 24 REPEALED BY THIS ACT BUT is temporarily unable to conform to all
- 25 of the REQUIREMENTS OF A REGULAR LICENSE PRESCRIBED IN THIS ACT
- 26 OR rules promulgated under this act.

- 1 (ii) A LICENSE ISSUED BEFORE THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE
- 2 AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBPARAGRAPH TO A CHILD CARE
- 3 ORGANIZATION THAT HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY HELD A LICENSE UNDER THIS
- 4 ACT OR A FORMER ACT REPEALED BY THIS ACT FOR ITS FIRST 6 MONTHS
- 5 OF OPERATION.
- 6 (i) "Regular license" means a license issued to a child care
- 7 organization indicating that the organization is in compliance
- 8 with THIS ACT AND all rules promulgated under this act.
- 9 (j) "Guardian" means the guardian of the person.
- (k) "Minor child" means either of the following:
- (i) A person less than 18 years of age.
- 12 (ii) A person who is a resident in a child caring institu-
- 13 tion, children's camp, foster family home, or foster family group
- 14 home; who becomes 18 years of age while residing in the child
- 15 caring institution, camp, or home; and who continues residing in
- 16 the institution, camp, or home to receive care, maintenance,
- 17 training, and supervision. This subparagraph -shall apply-
- 18 APPLIES only if the number of those residents who become 18 years
- 19 of age does not exceed the following:
- (A) Two, if the total number of residents is 10 or fewer.
- 21 (B) Three, if the total number of residents is not less than
- 22 11 and not more than 14.
- (C) Four, if the total number of residents is not less than
- 24 15 and not more than 20.
- 25 (D) Five, if the total number of residents is 21 or more.
- 26 (1) "Registrant" means a person who has been issued a
- 27 certificate of registration to operate a family day care home.

- 1 (m) "Registration" means the process by which the department
- 2 of social services regulates family day care homes, which process
- 3 requires that a family day care home certify to the department
- 4 that the family day care home has complied with and will continue
- 5 to comply with the rules promulgated under this act.
- 6 (n) "Certificate of registration" means a written document
- 7 issued to a family day care home through registration.
- 8 (o) "Related" means any of the following relationships, by
- 9 marriage, blood, or adoption: parent, grandparent, brother,
- 10 sister, stepparent, stepsister, stepbrother, uncle, aunt, cousin,
- 11 great aunt, great uncle, or stepgrandparent.
- (p) "Religious organization" as used in this act, means
- 13 church, ecclesiastical corporation, or group, not organized for
- 14 pecuniary profit, that gathers for mutual support and edification
- 15 in piety or worship of a supreme deity.
- 16 (Q) "TEMPORARY LICENSE" MEANS AN ORIGINAL LICENSE ISSUED TO
- 17 AN APPLICANT FOR A SPECIFIC TYPE OF CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION AT A
- 18 SPECIFIC LOCATION. HOWEVER, A TEMPORARY LICENSE ISSUED TO A
- 19 CHILD PLACING AGENCY SHALL NOT BE FOR A SPECIFIC LOCATION.
- 20 Sec. 2. (1) The department of social services, hereinafter
- 21 referred to as the "department", is responsible for the develop-
- 22 ment of rules for the care and protection of children in organi-
- 23 zations covered by this act and for the promulgation of these
- 24 rules pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, Act
- 25 No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, as amended, being sections
- 26 24.201 to -24.315 24.328 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

- 1 (2) The department shall establish an ad hoc committee for 2 each type of child care organization as defined in this act when 3 it is formulating or amending rules under this act. The commit-4 tee shall consist of not less than 12 15 members 7 and 5 shall include representatives of the following groups and 6 agencies:
- 7 (a) Department of public health.
- 8 (b) Department of state police, fire marshal division and 9 state fire safety board.
- (c) Department of education.
- (d) Department of mental health.
- (e) Representatives of organizations affected by this act.
- (f) Parents of children affected by this act.
- The representatives of organizations affected by this act

 15 and parents of children affected by this act shall constitute a

 16 majority of the committee membership. The committee shall serve

 17 during the period of the formulation of rules, shall have respon
 18 sibility for making recommendations on the content of rules, and

 19 shall recommend to the department revisions in proposed rules at

 20 any time before their promulgation.
- 21 (3) The rules promulgated under this act shall be restricted 22 to ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- (a) The operation and conduct of child care organizationsand the responsibility the organizations assume for child care.
- 25 (b) The character, suitability, training, and qualifications 26 of applicants and other persons directly responsible for the care 27 and welfare of children served.

- (c) The general financial ability and competence of
 applicants to provide necessary care for children and to maintain
 prescribed standards.
- 4 (d) The number of individuals or staff required to insure 5 adequate supervision and care of the children received.
- (e) The appropriateness, safety, cleanliness, and general 6 7 adequacy of the premises, including maintenance of adequate fire 8 prevention and health standards to provide for the physical com-9 fort, care, and well being of the children received. However, 10 the rules with respect to fire prevention and fire safety -shall-11 DO not apply to a child care center established and operated by 12 an intermediate school board, the board of a local school dis-13 trict, or by the board or governing body of a state approved non-14 public school, if the child care center is located in a school 15 building that is approved by the state fire marshal or other sim-16 ilar authority as provided in section 3 of Act No. 306 of the 17 Public Acts of 1937, being section 388.853 of the Michigan 18 Compiled Laws, for school purposes and is in compliance with the 19 school fire safety rules, $\frac{R}{R}$ 29.1 R 29.301 to $\frac{R}{R}$ 29.298 R 20 29.317 of the Michigan administrative code, as determined by the 21 state fire marshal or a fire inspector certified pursuant to sec-22 tion 2b of the fire prevention code, Act No. 207 of the Public 23 Acts of 1941, being section 29.2b of the Michigan Compiled Laws. 24 (f) Provisions for food, clothing, educational opportuni-25 ties, programs, equipment, and individual supplies to assure the 26 healthy physical, emotional, and mental development of children

27 served.

- (g) Provisions to safeguard the legal rights of children
 served.
- 3 (h) Maintenance of records pertaining to admission,
- 4 progress, health, and discharge of children.
- 5 (i) Filing of reports with the department.
- 6 (j) Discipline of children.
- 7 (k) Transportation safety.
- 8 (4) Rules -once promulgated PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION are
- 9 subject to BIENNIAL REVIEW BY THE DEPARTMENT AND major review by
- 10 an ad hoc committee not less than once every 5 years. and shall
- 11 be reviewed biennially by the department. The DEPARTMENT SHALL
- 12 ESTABLISH THE ad hoc committee -shall be established by the
- 13 department, shall consist TO CONSIST of not less than -12
- 14 15 members -, and -shall- include representatives of the groups
- 15 and agencies indicated in subsection (2). The ad hoc committee
- 16 DEPARTMENT shall hold at least 2 public hearings regarding the
- 17 review of rules and shall report its recommendations regarding
- 18 rules to the appropriate committees of the legislature.
- 19 Sec. 3. (1) The rules promulgated by the department shall
- 20 be used by the department of public health, the fire marshal
- 21 division of the department of state police, and local authorities
- 22 in the inspection of and reporting on child care organizations
- 23 covered by this act SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RULES PROMULGATED BY
- 24 THE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 2. The inspection of the
- 25 health and fire safety of child care organizations shall be com-
- 26 pleted by department staff or by the department of public health,
- 27 the fire marshal division of the department of state police,

- 1 local authorities upon request of the department, or pursuant to
 2 subsection (2).
- 3 (2) If an inspection is not conducted pursuant to subsection
- 4 (1), a person owning or operating or who proposes to own or oper-
- 5 ate a child care organization may enter a contract with a local
- 6 authority or other person qualified to conduct an inspection pur-
- 7 suant to subsection (1) and pay for that inspection after an
- 8 inspection is completed pursuant to this subsection. A person-
- 9 AN APPLICANT may receive a provisional TEMPORARY license if the
- 10 proposed child care organization passes the inspection and
- 11 the other requirements of this act are met.
- 12 (3) The rules promulgated by the department for foster
- 13 family homes and foster family group homes shall be used by a A
- 14 licensed child placing agency or an approved governmental unit
- 15 when IF investigating and certifying a foster family home or a
- 16 foster family group home SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RULES PROMULGATED
- 17 BY THE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 2 FOR FOSTER FAMILY HOMES
- 18 AND FOSTER FAMILY GROUP HOMES.
- 19 (4) Inspection reports completed by state agencies, local
- 20 authorities, and child placing agencies shall be furnished to
- 21 the department and -shall become a part of its evaluation for
- 22 licensing of organizations covered by this act. After careful
- 23 consideration of the reports and consultation where IF neces-
- 24 sary, the department shall assume responsibility for the final
- 25 determination of the issuance, denial, revocation, or provisional
- 26 nature of licenses issued to nongovernmental organizations. A
- 27 UNDER THIS ACT. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL FURNISH A report of findings

- 1 -shall be furnished to the licensee. A license shall be
- 2 issued THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A LICENSE to a specific person
- 3 or organization at a specific location. -, shall be THE LICENSE
- 4 IS nontransferable and -shall remain REMAINS the property of
- 5 the department.
- 6 Sec. 5. (1) A person, partnership, firm, corporation, asso-
- 7 ciation, or GOVERNMENTAL OR nongovernmental organization shall
- 8 not establish or maintain a child care organization unless
- 9 licensed or registered by the department. Application for a
- 10 license or certificate of registration shall be made on forms
- 11 provided, and in the manner prescribed, by the department. AN
- 12 APPLICATION FOR A LICENSE OR A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OR FOR
- 13 THE RENEWAL OF A LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION SHALL BE
- 14 ACCOMPANIED BY THE FEE PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 5A. Before issuing
- 15 or renewing a license, the department shall investigate the
- 16 activities and proposed standards of care of the applicant and
- 17 shall make an on-site -visit INSPECTION of the proposed or
- 18 established organization. THE DEPARTMENT MAY CONDUCT AN ON-SITE
- 19 INSPECTION IN RESPONSE TO THE APPLICATION WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE TO
- 20 THE APPLICANT. If the department is satisfied as to the need for
- 21 a child care organization, its financial stability, the good
- 22 moral character of the applicant, and that the services and
- 23 facilities are conducive to the welfare of the children, the
- 24 -license DEPARTMENT shall -be issued or renewed ISSUE OR RENEW
- 25 THE LICENSE. As used in this subsection, "good moral character"
- 26 means good moral character as defined and determined pursuant to

- 1 Act No. 381 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended, being
- 2 sections 338.41 to 338.47 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 3 (2) The department shall issue a certificate of registration
- 4 to a person who has successfully completed an orientation session
- 5 offered by the department, and who certifies to the department
- 6 that the family day care home has complied with and will continue
- 7 to comply with the rules promulgated under this act, and will
- 8 provide services and facilities, as determined by the department,
- 9 conducive to the welfare of children. The department shall make
- 10 available an orientation session to applicants for registration
- 11 regarding this act, the rules promulgated under this act, and the
- 12 needs of children in family day care before issuing a certificate
- 13 of registration. -A- THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A certificate of
- 14 registration -shall be issued to a specific person at a specific
- 15 location. -, shall be A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION IS nontrans-
- 16 ferable -, and -shall remain- REMAINS the property of the
- 17 department. Within 90 days 6 MONTHS after initial registra-
- 18 tion, the department shall make an on-site -visit INSPECTION of
- 19 the family day care home. THE DEPARTMENT MAY CONDUCT THE ON-SITE
- 20 INSPECTION WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE TO THE FAMILY DAY CARE HOME.
- 21 (3) The department may authorize a licensed child placing
- 22 agency or an approved governmental unit to investigate a foster
- 23 family home or a foster family group home pursuant to subsection
- 24 (1) and to certify that the foster family home or foster family
- 25 group home meets the licensing requirements prescribed by this
- 26 act. A foster family home or a foster family group home shall be
- 27 certified for licensing by the department by only 1 child placing

- 1 agency. -or approved governmental unit. Other child placing
- 2 agencies may place children in a foster family home or foster
- 3 family group home only upon the approval of the certifying
- 4 agency. or governmental unit.
- 5 (4) The department may authorize a licensed child placing
- 6 agency or an approved governmental unit to place a child who is
- 7 16 or 17 years of age in his or her own unlicensed residence, or
- 8 in the unlicensed residence of an adult who has no supervisory
- 9 responsibility for the child, if -a THE child placing agency -or
- 10 governmental unit retains supervisory responsibility for the
- 11 child.
- 12 (5) A licensed child placing agency AND child caring
- 13 institution , and an approved governmental unit shall provide
- 14 the state court administrative office and a local foster care
- 15 review board established under Act No. 422 of the Public Acts of
- 16 1984, being sections 722.131 to $\frac{-722.140}{}$ 722.139A of the
- 17 Michigan Compiled Laws, such records as may be requested pertain-
- 18 ing to children in foster care placement for more than 6 months.
- 19 (6) The department may authorize a licensed child placing
- 20 agency or an approved governmental unit to place a child who is
- 21 16 or 17 years old in an adult foster care family home or an
- 22 adult foster care small group home licensed under the adult
- 23 foster care facility licensing act, Act No. 218 of the Public
- 24 Acts of 1979, as amended, being sections 400.701 to 400.737 of
- 25 the Michigan Compiled Laws, if -a THE licensed child placing
- 26 agency or approved governmental unit retains supervisory

- I responsibility for the child and certifies to the department all 2 of the following: (a) The placement is in the best interests of the child. (b) The needs of the child can be adequately met by the 5 adult foster care family home or small group home. (c) The child will be compatible with other residents of the 7 adult foster care family home or small group home. (d) That the child placing agency or approved governmental 8 9 unit will periodically reevaluate the placement of an individual 10 under this subsection to determine that the criteria for place-11 ment in subdivisions (a) through (c) continue to be met. SEC. 5A. (1) APPLICATION FEES FOR A PERSON WHO IS A REGIS-12 13 TRANT OR IS SEEKING A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION UNDER THIS ACT 14 ARE AS FOLLOWS: (A) APPLICATION FEE FOR AN INITIAL CERTIFICATE OF 15 16 REGISTRATION..... \$ 25.00 (B) APPLICATION FEE FOR RENEWAL OF A CERTIFICATE OF 18 REGISTRATION..... 25.00 (2) APPLICATION FEES FOR A PERSON, PARTNERSHIP, FIRM, CORPO-20 RATION, ASSOCIATION, OR GOVERNMENTAL OR NONGOVERNMENTAL ORGANI-21 ZATION LICENSED OR SEEKING LICENSURE UNDER THIS ACT ARE AS 22 FOLLOWS: 23 (A) APPLICATION FEE FOR A TEMPORARY LICENSE: 24 (i) GROUP DAY CARE HOME...... 50.00

- (ii) CHILD PLACING AGENCY..... 25 200.00
- 26 (iii) CHILD CARE CENTER AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN
- 27 THE FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:

1	(A) 1 TO 20	50.00
2	(B) 21 TO 50	100.00
3	(C) 51 TO 100	125.00
4	(D) OVER 100	150.00
5	($i u$) CHILD CARING INSTITUTION AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND)
6	MAINTAIN THE FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:	
7	(A) 1 TO 12	150.00
8	(B) 13 TO 20	175.00
9	(C) 21 TO 50	200.00
10	(D) OVER 50	250.00
11	(v) CHILDREN'S CAMP AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN	THE
12	FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:	
13	(A) 1 TO 100	50.00
14	(B) OVER 100	100.00
15	(B) APPLICATION FEE FOR A PROVISIONAL OR REGULAR LICENS	SE AND
16	FOR RENEWAL OF A LICENSE:	
17	(i) GROUP DAY CARE HOME	25.00
18	(ii) CHILD PLACING AGENCY THAT HAS THE FOLLOWING NUMBER	R OF
19	CHILDREN PLACED IN ADOPTIVE HOMES, FOSTER HOMES, OR UNLICENS	SED
20	RESIDENCES, OR ANY COMBINATION OF THESE, AS PROVIDED IN THIS	S ACT
21	AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL:	
22	(A) 1 TO 24	50.00
23	(B) 25 TO 50	75.00
24	(C) 51 TO 100	100.00
25	(D) 101 TO 200	125.00
26	(E) OVER 200	150.00

1	(iii) IN ADDITION TO A FEE PRESCRIBED IN		
2	SUBPARAGRAPH (ii), A CHILD PLACING AGENCY AUTHORIZED TO		
3	INVESTIGATE AND CERTIFY FOSTER FAMILY HOMES AND FOSTER		
4	FAMILY GROUP HOMES		
5	(iv) CHILD CARE CENTER AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN		
6	THE FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:		
7	(A) 1 TO 20		
8	(B) 21 TO 50 50.00		
9	(C) 51 TO 100		
10	(D) OVER 100		
1 1	(v) CHILD CARING INSTITUTION AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND MAIN-		
12	TAIN THE FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:		
13	(A) 1 TO 12 100.00		
14	(B) 13 TO 20		
15	(C) 21 TO 50		
16	(D) OVER 50 200.00		
17	(vi) CHILDREN'S CAMP AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN THE		
18	FOLLOWING NUMBER OF CHILDREN:		
19	(A) 1 TO 100		
20	(B) OVER 100 50.00		
21	(3) FEES COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS ACT SHALL BE CREDITED TO		
22	THE GENERAL FUND OF THE STATE TO BE APPROPRIATED BY THE LEGISLA-		
23	TURE TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ACT.		
24	(4) A FEE COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT UNDER THIS ACT SHALL		
25	NOT BE REFUNDED.		
26	SEC. 6A. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A TEMPORARY LICENSE TO		
27	A CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION FOR THE FIRST 12 MONTHS OF OPERATION.		

- 1 AT THE END OF THE CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION'S FIRST 12 MONTHS OF
- 2 OPERATION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A REGULAR LICENSE, ISSUE A
- 3 PROVISIONAL LICENSE, OR REFUSE TO ISSUE A LICENSE IN THE MANNER
- 4 PROVIDED IN SECTION 11. A TEMPORARY LICENSE SHALL NOT BE
- 5 RENEWED.
- 6 Sec. 7. (1) A provisional license -shall MAY be issued to
- 7 a -new CHILD CARE organization -during the first 6 months of
- 8 operation. At the end of the 6 months of operation, the depart
- 9 ment shall either issue a regular license or renew or refuse to
- 10 renew the provisional license as provided in section 11 THAT HAS
- 11 PREVIOUSLY HELD A TEMPORARY OR REGULAR LICENSE UNDER THIS ACT OR
- 12 AN ACT REPEALED BY THIS ACT. A provisional license may be issued
- 13 to a child care organization which is temporarily unable to con-
- 14 form to the REQUIREMENTS OF A REGULAR LICENSE PRESCRIBED IN THIS
- 15 ACT OR rules PROMULGATED UNDER THIS ACT.
- 16 (2) A PROVISIONAL LICENSE ISSUED BEFORE THE EFFECTIVE DATE
- 17 OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION TO A CHILD CARE
- 18 ORGANIZATION THAT HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY HELD A LICENSE UNDER THIS
- 19 ACT OR A FORMER ACT REPEALED BY THIS ACT FOR ITS FIRST 6 MONTHS
- 20 OF OPERATION IS VALID AND RENEWABLE AS PROVIDED IN THIS
- 21 SUBSECTION. AT THE END OF THE 6 MONTHS OF OPERATION BY THE CHILD
- 22 CARE ORGANIZATION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL EITHER ISSUE A REGULAR
- 23 LICENSE OR RENEW OR REFUSE TO RENEW THE PROVISIONAL LICENSE AS
- 24 PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (3) AND SECTION 11.
- 25 (3) A provisional license -shall expire EXPIRES 6 months
- 26 from the date of issuance and may be -issued RENEWED not more
- 27 than -4 2 CONSECUTIVE times. The issuance of a provisional

- 1 license -shall be IS contingent upon the submission to the
- 2 department of an acceptable plan to overcome the deficiency
- 3 present in the child care organization within the time limita-
- 4 tions -of ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT THAT SHALL NOT EXCEED
- 5 the provisional -licensing LICENSE period.
- 6 Sec. 8. (1) -A- EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN
- 7 SUBSECTION (2), A regular license shall be effective IS VALID
- 8 for $\frac{2}{3}$ years after the date of issuance unless revoked pursu-
- 9 ant to section 11 or modified to a provisional status based on _
- 10 evidence of noncompliance with this act or the rules promulgated
- 11 under this act. The DEPARTMENT SHALL RENEW THE license -shall be
- 12 reinstated biennially EVERY 3 YEARS on application and
- 13 approval. A license shall specify in general terms the kind of
- 14 child care program the licensee may undertake and the number
- 15 and ages of children that can be received and maintained.
- (2) A REGULAR LICENSE FOR A CHILDREN'S CAMP IS VALID FOR THE
- 17 SPECIFIC DATES OF OPERATION STATED IN THE LICENSE UNLESS REVOKED
- 18 PURSUANT TO SECTION 11 OR MODIFIED TO A PROVISIONAL STATUS BASED
- 19 ON EVIDENCE OF NONCOMPLIANCE WITH THIS ACT OR THE RULES PROMUL-
- 20 GATED UNDER THIS ACT. A REGULAR LICENSE FOR A CHILDREN'S CAMP
- 21 SHALL NOT EXCEED A 12-MONTH PERIOD.
- 22 Sec. 8a. (1) The department -shall MAY periodically
- 23 assess a child care organization's CONDUCT AN ON-SITE INSPEC-
- 24 TION WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE TO THE CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION TO
- 25 ACCESS continued compliance with this act and the rules promul-
- 26 gated under this act. The department shall -make an on site
- 27 evaluation CONDUCT NOT LESS THAN 1 ON-SITE INSPECTION of -a-

- 1 EACH child care organization -at least once a year WITHOUT PRIOR 2 NOTICE DURING THE REGULAR LICENSE PERIOD.
- 3 (2) The department may authorize a A licensed child plac-
- 4 ing agency or an approved governmental unit to SHALL periodi-
- 5 cally assess a licensed foster family home or a licensed foster
- 6 family group home pursuant to subsection (1) and to certify that
- 7 the foster family home or the foster family group home continues
- 8 to comply with this act and the rules promulgated under this
- 9 act. A periodic assessment of a licensed foster family home or
- 10 a licensed foster family group home pursuant to this subsection
- 11 may include an on site evaluation of the child care
- 12 organization.
- 13 Sec. 9a. (1) A certificate of registration -shall be in
- 14 force IS VALID for 3 years unless revoked pursuant to section
- 15 11. A renewal certificate of registration shall be issued in the
- 16 same manner as provided in section 5(2) for the initial issuance
- 17 of the certificate, except that an on-site -visit- INSPECTION of
- 18 the family day care home and the orientation session shall IS
- 19 not -be- required. The certificate shall state that the regis-
- 20 trant may operate a family day care home and the number and the
- 21 ages of the children that may be received and maintained.
- 22 (2) This section -shall DOES not limit the right or the
- 23 duty of the department to assess periodically, randomly, or at
- 24 the time of renewal -- the continued compliance with this act
- 25 and rules promulgated under this act. The department shall make
- 26 on-site -visits INSPECTIONS as provided in this act to a 10%
- 27 sample of the family day care homes in each county each year, or

- 1 when a complaint about a family day care home or registrant is
- 2 received by the department.
- 3 Sec. 13. When there is a violation of this act or a rule
- 4 promulgated thereunder, and the unlawful activity or condition of
- 5 the child care organization is likely to result in serious harm
- 6 to the children under care, the department may seek injunctive
- 7 action against the child care organization in the circuit court
- 8 through proceedings instituted by the attorney general on behalf
- 9 of the department. THE DEPARTMENT MAY SEEK INJUNCTIVE RELIEF
- 10 AGAINST A CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT THROUGH
- 11 PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ON BEHALF OF THE
- 12 DEPARTMENT IF EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES EXISTS:
- (A) THE CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION IS BEING OPERATED WITHOUT A
- 14 VALID LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION AS PRESCRIBED BY
- 15 THIS ACT.
- 16 (B) THERE IS A VIOLATION OF THIS ACT OR RULES PROMULGATED
- 17 UNDER THIS ACT THAT IS LIKELY TO RESULT IN HARM TO CHILDREN UNDER
- 18 THE CARE OF THE CHILD CARE ORGANIZATION.
- 19 Section 2. Section 6 of Act No. 116 of the Public Acts of
- 20 1973, being section 722.116 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
- 21 repealed.

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