

HOUSE BILL No. 4928

June 6, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Gubow, DeMars, Baade, Pitoniak, Varga, Clarke, Wozniak, Shugars, Trim, McNutt and Rocca and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

A bill to amend section 1504 of Act No. 299 of the Public Acts of 1980, entitled as amended "Occupational code," as amended by Act No. 463 of the Public Acts of 1988, being section 339.1504 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 1504 of Act No. 299 of the Public Acts
2 of 1980, as amended by Act No. 463 of the Public Acts of 1988,
3 being section 339.1504 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended
4 to read as follows:

5 Sec. 1504. This article ~~shall~~ DOES not apply to ~~a~~ ANY
6 OF THE FOLLOWING:

7 (A) A psychologist licensed under part 182 of THE PUBLIC
8 HEALTH CODE, Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being

1 sections 333.18201 to 333.18237 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

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3 (B) AN INDIVIDUAL LICENSED UNDER PART 170 OF ACT NO. 368 OF
4 THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1978, BEING SECTIONS 333.17001 TO 333.17088 OF
5 THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, AND CERTIFIED IN PSYCHIATRY.

6 (C) AN attorney licensed to practice in this state. ~~or a~~
7 ~~physician, if that individual does not advertise or represent~~
8 ~~that the individual is a marriage counselor and does not collect~~
9 ~~a fee for marriage counseling. This article shall not apply to~~
10 ~~an~~

11 (D) AN individual engaged in social work as defined in arti-
12 cle 16 in the course of employment with a governmental agency or
13 a reputable social service agency regularly providing that serv-
14 ice as an agency. ~~This article shall not apply to an~~

15 (E) AN ordained cleric or other religious practitioner rec-
16 ognized by the department if the advice or counsel is incidental
17 to duties as a cleric or other religious practitioner, and if the
18 cleric or other religious practitioner does not advertise as a
19 marriage counselor or 1 of the titles listed in section 1503.
20 ~~This article shall not apply to an~~

21 (F) AN apprentice meeting the academic requirements of this
22 article in training for marriage counseling and who provides that
23 service as part of the training.