



HOUSE BILL No. 5091

October 12, 1993, Introduced by Rep. Bandstra and referred to the Committee on Public Retirement.

A bill to amend section 402 of Act No. 453 of the Public Acts of 1976, entitled as amended "Elliott-Larsen civil rights act," as amended by Act No. 512 of the Public Acts of 1982, being section 37.2402 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Section 1. Section 402 of Act No. 453 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended by Act No. 512 of the Public Acts of 1982, being section 37.2402 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 402. ~~-(+)-~~ An educational institution shall not DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

(a) Discriminate against an individual in the full utilization of or benefit from the institution, or the services,

1 activities, or programs provided by the institution because of
2 religion, race, color, national origin, or sex.

3 (b) Exclude, expel, limit, or otherwise discriminate against
4 an individual seeking admission as a student or an individual
5 enrolled as a student in the terms, conditions, or privileges of
6 the institution, because of religion, race, color, national
7 origin, or sex.

8 (c) For purposes of admission only, make or use a written or
9 oral inquiry or form of application that elicits or attempts to
10 elicit information concerning the religion, race, color, national
11 origin, age, sex, or marital status of a person, except as per-
12 mitted by rule of the commission or as required by federal law,
13 rule, or regulation, or pursuant to an affirmative action
14 program.

15 (d) Print or publish or cause to be printed or published a
16 catalog, notice, or advertisement indicating a preference, limi-
17 tation, specification, or discrimination based on the religion,
18 race, color, national origin, or sex of an applicant for admis-
19 sion to the educational institution.

20 (e) Announce or follow a policy of denial or limitation
21 through a quota or otherwise of educational opportunities of a
22 group or its members because of religion, race, color, national
23 origin, or sex.

24 ~~(f) Encourage or condone legally required discrimination~~
25 ~~against an individual on the basis of race or color by knowingly~~
26 ~~making or maintaining after April 1, 1984, an investment in an~~
27 ~~organization operating in the republic of South Africa. This~~

1 ~~subdivision shall not apply to a private educational~~
2 ~~institution.~~

3 ~~(g) Encourage or condone religious discrimination or ethnic~~
4 ~~discrimination by knowingly making or maintaining after February~~
5 ~~1, 1983, an investment in an organization operating in the Union~~
6 ~~of Soviet Socialist Republics.~~

7 ~~(2) The department shall compile, from information obtained~~
8 ~~from the United States department of commerce, a current register~~
9 ~~of organizations operating in the republic of South Africa and~~
10 ~~the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. The department shall~~
11 ~~make the register available, upon request, to a person, board, or~~
12 ~~commission for a reasonable charge.~~

13 ~~(3) As used in this section:~~

14 ~~(a) "Investment" means money placed in shares of stock and~~
15 ~~other equity interests. Investment does not include an evidence~~
16 ~~of indebtedness arising from a transfer of direct obligations of,~~
17 ~~or obligations that are fully guaranteed as to principal and~~
18 ~~interest by, the United States or any agency thereof, that a bank~~
19 ~~is obligated to repurchase or a bank deposit made in the ordinary~~
20 ~~course of business.~~

21 ~~(b) "Organization" means a United States firm, or a subsid-~~
22 ~~iary or affiliate of a United States firm, as determined by the~~
23 ~~United States department of commerce.~~