

SENATE BILL No. 217

January 26, 1993, Introduced by Senators GEAKE, WELBORN, EHLERS, CISKY, DILLINGHAM, MC MANUS, EMMONS, BOUCHARD, HONIGMAN, DUNASKISS, SCHWARZ and GAST and referred to the Committee on Family Law, Criminal Law, and Corrections.

A bill to amend Act No. 218 of the Public Acts of 1956, entitled as amended

"The insurance code of 1956,"

as amended, being sections 500.100 to 500.8302 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, by adding section 3406f.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Act No. 218 of the Public Acts of 1956, as
- 2 amended, being sections 500.100 to 500.8302 of the Michigan
- 3 Compiled Laws, is amended by adding section 3406f to read as
- 4 follows:
- 5 SEC. 3406F. AN INSURER THAT DELIVERS, ISSUES FOR DELIVERY,
- 6 OR RENEWS IN THIS STATE AN EXPENSE-INCURRED HOSPITAL, MEDICAL, OR
- 7 SURGICAL POLICY SHALL PROVIDE COVERAGE IN THAT POLICY FOR THE
- 8 INSURED'S ADOPTED CHILDREN BEGINNING FROM THE DATE OF PLACEMENT
- 9 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADOPTION AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE POLICY IS

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- 1 CANCELED OR DISCONTINUED OR THE PLACEMENT IS DISRUPTED PRIOR TO
- 2 LEGAL ADOPTION AND THE CHILD IS REMOVED FROM PLACEMENT. COVERAGE
- 3 UNDER THIS SECTION FOR THE ADOPTED OR PLACED CHILD SHALL BE ON
- 4 THE SAME BASIS AS COVERAGE FOR THE INSURED'S OTHER DEPENDENTS AND
- 5 SHALL NOT CONTAIN ANY PREEXISTING CONDITION LIMITATIONS, INSUR-
- 6 ABILITY, ELIGIBILITY, OR HEALTH UNDERWRITING APPROVAL PROVISIONS
- 7 SOLELY CONCERNING ADOPTED CHILDREN.