



SENATE BILL No. 154

January 31, 1995, Introduced by Senator STALLINGS
and referred to the Committee on Families, Mental
Health and Human Services.

A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 83 of the
Revised Statutes of 1846, entitled
"Of marriage and the solemnization thereof,"
being sections 551.3 and 551.4 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 83 of the Revised
2 Statutes of 1846, being sections 551.3 and 551.4 of the Michigan
3 Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:

4 Sec. 3. (1) ~~No~~ A man shall NOT marry his mother, SISTER,
5 grandmother, daughter, granddaughter, stepmother, grandfather's
6 wife, son's wife, grandson's wife, wife's mother, wife's grand-
7 mother, wife's daughter, wife's granddaughter, ~~nor his sister,~~
8 brother's daughter, sister's daughter, father's sister, ~~or~~
9 mother's sister, or cousin of the first degree.

1 (2) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY ENTERS INTO A MARRIAGE
2 PROHIBITED BY THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE
3 BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 90 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE
4 THAN \$500.00, OR BOTH.

5 Sec. 4. (1) ~~No~~ A woman shall NOT marry her father,
6 BROTHER, grandfather, son, grandson, stepfather, grandmother's
7 husband, daughter's husband, granddaughter's husband, husband's
8 father, husband's grandfather, husband's son, husband's grandson,
9 ~~nor her brother,~~ brother's son, sister's son, father's brother,
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