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HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 799

(As passed the House, April 2, 1998)

A bill to amend 1887 PA 128, entitled

"An act establishing the minimum ages for contracting marriages, for the requiring of a civil license in order to marry, and the due registration of the same, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of the same,"

by amending the title and section 2 (MCL 551.102).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

TITLE

An act establishing the minimum ages for contracting marriages; ~~for the requiring of~~ TO REQUIRE a civil license in order to marry ~~,~~ and ~~the due~~ ITS registration; ~~of the same,~~ TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF FEDERAL LAW; and to provide a penalty for the violation of ~~the provisions of the same~~ THIS ACT.

1 Sec. 2. (1) Blank forms for A marriage license and
certificate
2 ~~and proper books of registration ruled for the items contained~~
3 ~~in the forms~~ shall be prepared and furnished by the state regis-
4 trar appointed by the director of ~~public~~ THE DEPARTMENT OF
5 COMMUNITY health to the county clerks ~~of the counties~~ of ~~the~~
6 THIS state in quantities needed. The blank forms for A license
7 and certificate shall be made in duplicate and shall provide
8 spaces for the entry of ~~the~~ IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF THE
9 PARTIES AND OTHER items prescribed in rules promulgated by the

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1 director of ~~public~~ THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY health. The
2 state registrar shall furnish to ALL the county clerks ~~of the~~
3 ~~counties~~ of ~~the~~ THIS state ~~,~~ blank APPLICATION forms of AN
4 affidavit ~~,~~ containing the requisite allegations, under the
5 laws of this state, of the competency of the parties to unite in
6 the bonds of matrimony, AND AS REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL
7 LAW, CONTAINING A SPACE REQUIRING EACH APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECUR-
8 ITY NUMBER. A party applying for A license to marry ~~,~~ shall
9 make and file the APPLICATION IN THE FORM OF AN affidavit with
10 the county clerk ~~,~~ as a basis for issuing the license. The
11 ~~affidavit, together with the~~ license ~~,~~ shall be made a matter
12 of record ~~which~~ AND shall be transmitted to the department of
13 ~~public~~ COMMUNITY health in the manner prescribed by the
14 ~~director of public health~~ STATE REGISTRAR. THE STATE REGISTRAR
SHALL NOT REQUIRE AN APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER TO BE
DISPLAYED ON THE MARRIAGE LICENSE.

(2) A PERSON SHALL NOT DISCLOSE, IN A MANNER NOT AUTHORIZED BY
LAW OR RULE, A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER COLLECTED AS REQUIRED BY THIS
SECTION. A VIOLATION OF THIS SUBSECTION IS A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE
BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 90 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN
\$500.00, OR BOTH. A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT VIOLATION OF THIS
SUBSECTION IS A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN
4 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00, OR BOTH.

(3) A REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS SECTION TO INCLUDE A SOCIAL
SECURITY NUMBER ON AN APPLICATION DOES NOT APPLY TO AN APPLICANT WHO
DEMONSTRATES THAT HE OR SHE IS EXEMPT UNDER FEDERAL LAW FROM
OBTAINING A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER OR WHO IS EXEMPT UNDER FEDERAL OR
STATE LAW FROM INCLUDING HIS OR HER SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER ON SUCH
AN APPLICATION. THE COUNTY CLERK SHALL INFORM THE APPLICANT OF THIS
POSSIBLE EXEMPTION.

Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect June 30,
1998.

Enacting section 2. The family independence agency shall
request from the federal government an exemption from the provisions
regarding the recording of social security numbers added by this
1998 amendatory act, which are intended to be used for the
collection of child support, as required by federal law in order for
this state to receive certain federal funds. Upon the granting of
the exemption, those provisions referred to by this enacting section
shall not be utilized or enforced by the state or a local
governmental entity.

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