

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4994**

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled
"Public health code,"
by amending section 16186 (MCL 333.16186), as amended by 1993
PA 80.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 16186. (1) An individual who is licensed to practice a
2 health profession in another state or, UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2004, IS
3 LICENSED TO PRACTICE A HEALTH PROFESSION IN A PROVINCE OF CANADA,
4 who is registered in another state, or who holds specialty certi-
5 fication from another state and who applies for licensure, regis-
6 tration, or specialty certification in this state may be granted
7 an appropriate license or registration OR SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION
8 upon satisfying the board or task force to which the applicant
9 applies as to all of the following:

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1 (a) The applicant substantially meets the requirements of
2 this article and rules promulgated by a board or task force for
3 licensure, registration, or specialty certification.

4 (b) The applicant is licensed, registered, or certified in
5 another state OR, UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2004, IS LICENSED IN A PROV-
6 INCE IN CANADA that maintains standards substantially equivalent
7 to those of this state.

8 (c) UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2004, IF THE APPLICANT IS LICENSED TO
9 PRACTICE A HEALTH PROFESSION IN A PROVINCE IN CANADA, THE APPLI-
10 CANT COMPLETED THE EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE IN
11 CANADA OR IN THE UNITED STATES.

12 (d) UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2004, IF THE APPLICANT IS LICENSED TO
13 PRACTICE A HEALTH PROFESSION IN A PROVINCE IN CANADA, THAT THE
14 APPLICANT WILL PERFORM THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR WHICH HE OR
15 SHE BILLS IN THIS STATE, AND THAT ANY RESULTING REQUEST FOR THIRD
16 PARTY REIMBURSEMENT WILL ORIGINATE FROM THE APPLICANT'S PLACE OF
17 EMPLOYMENT IN THIS STATE.

18 (2) Before licensing, registering, or certifying the appli-
19 cant, the board or task force to which the applicant applies may
20 require the applicant to appear personally before it for an
21 interview to evaluate the applicant's relevant qualifications.