

**SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 5466**

A bill to amend 1998 PA 386, entitled  
"Estates and protected individuals code,"  
by amending section 5103 (MCL 700.5103), as amended by 2000 PA  
54.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 5103. (1) By a properly executed power of attorney, a  
2 parent or guardian of a minor or a guardian of a legally  
3 incapacitated individual may delegate to another person, for a  
4 period not exceeding 6 months, any of the parent's or guardian's  
5 powers regarding care, custody, or property of the minor child or  
6 ward, except the power to consent to marriage or adoption of a  
7 minor ward or to release of a minor ward for adoption.  
8       (2) If a parent or guardian is serving in the armed forces of  
9 the United States and is deployed to a foreign nation, and if the  
10 power of attorney so provides, a delegation under this section is

1 effective until the thirty-first day after the end of the  
2 deployment.

3       (3) If a guardian for a minor or legally incapacitated  
4 individual delegates any power under this section, the guardian  
5 shall notify the court within 7 days after execution of the power  
6 of attorney — and provide the court the name, address, and  
7 telephone number of the attorney-in-fact.