HOUSE BILL No. 6293

June 29, 2006, Introduced by Reps. Mortimer, Steil, Gaffney, Stewart, Vander Veen, Ball, Emmons, Caul, Shaffer and Pearce and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 2683.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 2683. (1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROMOTE PUBLIC AWARENESS
- 2 AND INCREASE KNOWLEDGE ABOUT THE STATEWIDE NETWORK OF CORD BLOOD
- 3 STEM CELL BANKS AND THE BENEFITS OF CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS BY
- 4 DEVELOPING AND DISSEMINATING EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS ON THE USES AND
- 5 BENEFITS OF CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS, INFORMATION ON RESEARCH RESULTS
- 6 UTILIZING CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS, AND ANY OTHER RELATED MATERIALS
- 7 AND INFORMATION TO ENABLE THE PUBLIC TO MAKE INFORMED DECISIONS
- 8 ABOUT THE UTILIZATION OF CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS.

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- 1 (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE THE MATERIALS AND INFORMATION
- 2 GATHERED AND DEVELOPED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC
- 3 THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE EACH
- 4 HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY AND HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL COPIES OF
- 5 THE SAME UPON REQUEST AT NO CHARGE.
- 6 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 7 unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are
- 8 enacted into law:
- 9 (a) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 6291(request no.
- **10** 05996'06).
- 11 (b) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. (request no.
- **12** 06283'06).