SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 4854

A bill to amend 1965 PA 314, entitled "Public employee retirement system investment act," (MCL 38.1132 to 38.1140m) by adding section 13c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 13C. (1) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 2 (A) "ACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS" MEANS ALL BUSINESS OPERATIONS
- 3 THAT ARE NOT INACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS.
- 4 (B) "BUSINESS OPERATIONS" MEANS ENGAGING IN COMMERCE IN ANY
- 5 FORM IN SUDAN, INCLUDING BY ACQUIRING, DEVELOPING, MAINTAINING,
- 6 OWNING, SELLING, POSSESSING, LEASING, OR OPERATING EQUIPMENT,
- 7 FACILITIES, PERSONNEL, PRODUCTS, SERVICES, PERSONAL PROPERTY, REAL
- 8 PROPERTY, OR ANY OTHER APPARATUS OF BUSINESS OR COMMERCE.
- 9 (C) "COMPANY" MEANS ANY SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP, ORGANIZATION,
- 10 ASSOCIATION, CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, JOINT VENTURE, LIMITED

- 1 PARTNERSHIP, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, LIMITED LIABILITY
- 2 COMPANY, OR OTHER ENTITY OR BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, INCLUDING ALL
- 3 WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARIES, MAJORITY-OWNED SUBSIDIARIES, PARENT
- 4 COMPANIES, OR AFFILIATES OF SUCH ENTITIES OR BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS,
- 5 THAT EXISTS FOR PROFIT-MAKING PURPOSES.
- 6 (D) "COMPLICIT" MEANS TAKING ACTIONS DURING ANY PRECEDING 20-
- 7 MONTH PERIOD WHICH HAVE DIRECTLY SUPPORTED OR PROMOTED THE
- 8 GENOCIDAL CAMPAIGN IN DARFUR, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
- 9 PREVENTING DARFUR'S VICTIMIZED POPULATION FROM COMMUNICATING WITH
- 10 EACH OTHER, ENCOURAGING SUDANESE CITIZENS TO SPEAK OUT AGAINST AN
- 11 INTERNATIONALLY APPROVED SECURITY FORCE FOR DARFUR, ACTIVELY
- 12 WORKING TO DENY, COVER UP, OR ALTER THE RECORD ON HUMAN RIGHTS
- 13 ABUSES IN DARFUR, OR OTHER SIMILAR ACTIONS.
- 14 (E) "DIRECT HOLDINGS" IN A COMPANY MEANS ALL SECURITIES OF
- 15 THAT COMPANY HELD DIRECTLY BY THE FIDUCIARY OR IN AN ACCOUNT OR
- 16 FUND IN WHICH THE FIDUCIARY OWNS ALL SHARES OR INTERESTS.
- 17 (F) "FIDUCIARY" MEANS THE MICHIGAN LEGISLATIVE RETIREMENT
- 18 SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE TIER 1 PLAN FOR THE MICHIGAN
- 19 LEGISLATIVE RETIREMENT SYSTEM CREATED BY THE MICHIGAN LEGISLATIVE
- 20 RETIREMENT SYSTEM ACT, 1957 PA 261, MCL 38.1001 TO 38.1080, AND THE
- 21 TREASURER OF THIS STATE FOR THE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS CREATED UNDER
- 22 ALL OF THE FOLLOWING ACTS:
- 23 (i) THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT ACT OF 1986, 1986 PA 182, MCL
- 24 38.1601 TO 38.1648.
- 25 (ii) THE TIER 1 RETIREMENT PLAN AVAILABLE UNDER THE JUDGE'S
- 26 RETIREMENT ACT OF 1992, 1992 PA 234, MCL 38.2101 TO 38.2670.
- 27 (iii) THE TIER 1 RETIREMENT PLAN AVAILABLE UNDER THE STATE

- 1 EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ACT, 1943 PA 240, MCL 38.1 TO 38.69.
- 2 (iv) THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ACT OF 1979, 1980
- 3 PA 300, MCL 38.1301 TO 38.1408.
- 4 (G) "GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN" MEANS THE GOVERNMENT IN KHARTOUM,
- 5 SUDAN, WHICH IS LED BY THE NATIONAL CONGRESS PARTY OR ANY SUCCESSOR
- 6 GOVERNMENT FORMED ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 13, 2006 AND DOES NOT INCLUDE
- 7 THE REGIONAL GOVERNMENT OF SOUTHERN SUDAN.
- 8 (H) "INACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS" MEANS THE MERE CONTINUED
- 9 HOLDING OR RENEWAL OF RIGHTS TO PROPERTY PREVIOUSLY OPERATED FOR
- 10 THE PURPOSE OF GENERATING REVENUES BUT NOT PRESENTLY DEPLOYED FOR
- 11 SUCH PURPOSE.
- 12 (I) "INDIRECT HOLDINGS" IN A COMPANY MEANS ALL SECURITIES OF
- 13 THAT COMPANY HELD IN AN ACCOUNT OR FUND, SUCH AS A MUTUAL FUND OR
- 14 OTHER COMMINGLED FUND, MANAGED BY 1 OR MORE PERSONS NOT EMPLOYED BY
- 15 THE FIDUCIARY, IN WHICH THE FIDUCIARY OWNS SHARES OR INTERESTS
- 16 TOGETHER WITH OTHER INVESTORS NOT SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS
- 17 ACT.
- 18 (J) "MARGINALIZED POPULATIONS OF SUDAN" INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT
- 19 LIMITED TO, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 20 (i) THE PORTION OF THE POPULATION IN THE DARFUR REGION THAT HAS
- 21 BEEN GENOCIDALLY VICTIMIZED.
- 22 (ii) THE PORTION OF THE POPULATION OF SOUTHERN SUDAN VICTIMIZED
- 23 BY SUDAN'S NORTH-SOUTH CIVIL WAR.
- 24 (iii) THE BEJA, RASHIDIYA, AND OTHER SIMILARLY UNDERSERVED
- 25 GROUPS OF EASTERN SUDAN.
- 26 (iv) THE NUBIAN AND OTHER SIMILARLY UNDERSERVED GROUPS IN
- 27 SUDAN'S ABYEI, SOUTHERN BLUE NILE, AND NUBA MOUNTAIN REGIONS.

- 1 (v) THE AMRI, HAMADAB, MANASIR, AND OTHER SIMILARLY
- 2 UNDERSERVED GROUPS OF NORTHERN SUDAN.
- 3 (K) "MILITARY EQUIPMENT" MEANS WEAPONS, ARMS, MILITARY
- 4 SUPPLIES, AND EQUIPMENT THAT READILY MAY BE USED FOR MILITARY
- 5 PURPOSES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, RADAR SYSTEMS OR MILITARY-
- 6 GRADE TRANSPORT VEHICLES; OR SUPPLIES OR SERVICES SOLD OR PROVIDED
- 7 DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY TO ANY FORCE ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING IN ARMED
- 8 CONFLICT IN SUDAN.
- 9 (l) "MINERAL EXTRACTION ACTIVITIES" INCLUDES EXPLORING,
- 10 EXTRACTING, PROCESSING, TRANSPORTING, OR WHOLESALE SELLING OR
- 11 TRADING OF ELEMENTAL MINERALS OR ASSOCIATED METAL ALLOYS OR OXIDES,
- 12 INCLUDING GOLD, COPPER, CHROMIUM, CHROMITE, DIAMONDS, IRON, IRON
- 13 ORE, SILVER, TUNGSTEN, URANIUM, AND ZINC, AS WELL AS FACILITATING
- 14 SUCH ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING BY PROVIDING SUPPLIES OR SERVICES IN
- 15 SUPPORT OF SUCH ACTIVITIES.
- 16 (M) "OIL-RELATED ACTIVITIES" INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO,
- 17 OWNING RIGHTS TO OIL BLOCKS; EXPORTING, EXTRACTING, PRODUCING,
- 18 REFINING, PROCESSING, EXPLORING FOR, TRANSPORTING, SELLING, OR
- 19 TRADING OF OIL; CONSTRUCTING, MAINTAINING, OR OPERATING A PIPELINE,
- 20 REFINERY, OR OTHER OIL-FIELD INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FACILITATING SUCH
- 21 ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING BY PROVIDING SUPPLIES OR SERVICES IN SUPPORT
- 22 OF SUCH ACTIVITIES, PROVIDED THAT THE MERE RETAIL SALE OF GASOLINE
- 23 AND RELATED CONSUMER PRODUCTS SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED OIL-RELATED
- 24 ACTIVITIES.
- 25 (N) "POWER PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES" MEANS ANY BUSINESS OPERATION
- 26 THAT INVOLVES A PROJECT COMMISSIONED BY THE NATIONAL ELECTRICITY
- 27 CORPORATION OF SUDAN OR OTHER SIMILAR GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN ENTITY

- 1 WHOSE PURPOSE IS TO FACILITATE POWER GENERATION AND DELIVERY,
- 2 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ESTABLISHING POWER-GENERATING PLANTS
- 3 OR HYDROELECTRIC DAMS, SELLING OR INSTALLING COMPONENTS FOR THE
- 4 PROJECT, PROVIDING SERVICE CONTRACTS RELATED TO THE INSTALLATION OR
- 5 MAINTENANCE OF THE PROJECT, AS WELL AS FACILITATING SUCH
- 6 ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING BY PROVIDING SUPPLIES OR SERVICES IN SUPPORT
- 7 OF SUCH ACTIVITIES.
- 8 (O) "SCRUTINIZED COMPANY" MEANS ANY COMPANY, EXCEPT A SOCIAL
- 9 DEVELOPMENT COMPANY AND A COMPANY DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (10) THAT
- 10 IS NOT COMPLICIT IN THE DARFUR GENOCIDE, THAT MEETS THE CRITERIA IN
- 11 SUBPARAGRAPH (i), (ii), OR (iii):
- 12 (i) THE COMPANY HAS BUSINESS OPERATIONS THAT INVOLVE CONTRACTS
- 13 WITH OR PROVISION OF SUPPLIES OR SERVICES TO 1 OR MORE OF THE
- 14 FOLLOWING:
- 15 (A) THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN.
- 16 (B) COMPANIES IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN HAS ANY DIRECT
- 17 OR INDIRECT EQUITY SHARE.
- 18 (C) GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN-COMMISSIONED CONSORTIA OR PROJECTS.
- 19 (D) COMPANIES INVOLVED IN GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN-COMMISSIONED
- 20 CONSORTIA OR PROJECTS AND THAT HAVE 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 21 (I) MORE THAN 10% OF THE COMPANY'S REVENUES OR ASSETS LINKED
- 22 TO SUDAN INVOLVE OIL-RELATED ACTIVITIES OR MINERAL EXTRACTION
- 23 ACTIVITIES, LESS THAN 75% OF THE COMPANY'S REVENUES OR ASSETS
- 24 LINKED TO SUDAN INVOLVE CONTRACTS WITH OR PROVISION OF OIL-RELATED
- 25 OR MINERAL EXTRACTING PRODUCTS OR SERVICES TO THE REGIONAL
- 26 GOVERNMENT OF SOUTHERN SUDAN OR A PROJECT OR CONSORTIUM CREATED
- 27 EXCLUSIVELY BY THAT REGIONAL GOVERNMENT, AND THE COMPANY HAS FAILED

- 1 TO TAKE SUBSTANTIAL ACTION.
- 2 (II) MORE THAN 10% OF THE COMPANY'S REVENUES OR ASSETS LINKED
- 3 TO SUDAN INVOLVE POWER PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES, LESS THAN 75% OF THE
- 4 COMPANY'S POWER PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES INCLUDE PROJECTS WHOSE INTENT
- 5 IS TO PROVIDE POWER OR ELECTRICITY TO THE MARGINALIZED POPULATIONS
- 6 OF SUDAN, AND THE COMPANY HAS FAILED TO TAKE SUBSTANTIAL ACTION.
- 7 (ii) THE COMPANY IS COMPLICIT IN THE DARFUR GENOCIDE.
- 8 (iii) THE COMPANY SUPPLIES MILITARY EQUIPMENT WITHIN SUDAN,
- 9 UNLESS THE FIDUCIARY FINDS THAT THE MILITARY EQUIPMENT WILL NOT BE
- 10 USED TO FACILITATE OFFENSIVE MILITARY ACTIONS IN SUDAN OR THE
- 11 FIDUCIARY FINDS THAT THE COMPANY IMPLEMENTS RIGOROUS AND VERIFIABLE
- 12 SAFEGUARDS TO PREVENT USE OF THAT EQUIPMENT BY FORCES ACTIVELY
- 13 PARTICIPATING IN ARMED CONFLICT.
- 14 (P) "SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT COMPANY" MEANS A COMPANY WHOSE PRIMARY
- 15 PURPOSE IN SUDAN IS TO PROVIDE HUMANITARIAN GOODS OR SERVICES,
- 16 INCLUDING MEDICINE OR MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, AGRICULTURAL SUPPLIES OR
- 17 INFRASTRUCTURE, EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES, JOURNALISM-RELATED
- 18 ACTIVITIES, INFORMATION OR INFORMATION MATERIALS, SPIRITUAL-RELATED
- 19 ACTIVITIES, SERVICES OF A PURELY CLERICAL OR REPORTING NATURE,
- 20 FOOD, CLOTHING, OR GENERAL CONSUMER GOODS THAT ARE UNRELATED TO
- 21 OIL-RELATED ACTIVITIES, MINERAL EXTRACTION ACTIVITIES, OR POWER
- 22 PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES.
- 23 (Q) "SUBSTANTIAL ACTION" MEANS ADOPTING, PUBLICIZING, AND
- 24 IMPLEMENTING A FORMAL PLAN TO CEASE SCRUTINIZED BUSINESS OPERATIONS
- 25 WITHIN 1 YEAR AND TO REFRAIN FROM ANY NEW BUSINESS OPERATIONS,
- 26 UNDERTAKING SIGNIFICANT HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS IN CONJUNCTION WITH AN
- 27 INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION, THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN, THE REGIONAL

- 1 GOVERNMENT OF SOUTHERN SUDAN, OR A NONPROFIT ENTITY AND EVALUATED
- 2 AND CERTIFIED BY AN INDEPENDENT THIRD PARTY TO BE SUBSTANTIAL IN
- 3 RELATIONSHIP TO THE COMPANY'S SUDAN BUSINESS OPERATIONS AND OF
- 4 BENEFIT TO 1 OR MORE MARGINALIZED POPULATIONS OF SUDAN, OR THROUGH
- 5 ENGAGEMENT WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN, MATERIALLY IMPROVING
- 6 CONDITIONS FOR THE GENOCIDALLY VICTIMIZED POPULATION IN DARFUR.
- 7 (2) WITHIN 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY
- 8 ACT THAT ADDED THIS SECTION, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL MAKE ITS BEST
- 9 EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY ALL SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES IN WHICH THE
- 10 FIDUCIARY HAS DIRECT OR INDIRECT HOLDINGS OR COULD POSSIBLY HAVE
- 11 SUCH HOLDINGS IN THE FUTURE. THE EFFORTS SHALL INCLUDE 1 OR MORE OF
- 12 THE FOLLOWING:
- 13 (A) REVIEWING AND RELYING, AS APPROPRIATE IN THE FIDUCIARY'S
- 14 JUDGMENT, ON PUBLICLY AVAILABLE INFORMATION REGARDING COMPANIES
- 15 WITH BUSINESS OPERATIONS IN SUDAN, INCLUDING INFORMATION PROVIDED
- 16 BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, RESEARCH FIRMS, INTERNATIONAL
- 17 ORGANIZATIONS, AND GOVERNMENT ENTITIES.
- 18 (B) CONTACTING ASSET MANAGERS CONTRACTED BY THE FIDUCIARY THAT
- 19 INVEST IN COMPANIES WITH BUSINESS OPERATIONS IN SUDAN.
- 20 (C) CONTACTING OTHER INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS THAT HAVE
- 21 DIVESTED FROM OR ENGAGED WITH COMPANIES THAT HAVE BUSINESS
- 22 OPERATIONS IN SUDAN.
- 23 (3) AT THE END OF THE 90-DAY PERIOD OR BY THE FIRST MEETING OF
- 24 THE FIDUCIARY FOLLOWING THE 90-DAY PERIOD DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION
- 25 (2), THE FIDUCIARY SHALL ASSEMBLE ALL SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES
- 26 IDENTIFIED INTO A SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST.
- 27 (4) THE FIDUCIARY SHALL UPDATE THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST

- 1 ON A QUARTERLY BASIS BASED ON EVOLVING INFORMATION FROM, AMONG
- 2 OTHER SOURCES, THOSE SOURCES LISTED IN SUBSECTION (2). THE
- 3 FIDUCIARY SHALL MAKE THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST FREELY
- 4 AVAILABLE TO THE FIDUCIARIES OF OTHER PUBLIC RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
- 5 LOCATED IN THIS STATE IF MAKING THE LIST AVAILABLE DOES NOT VIOLATE
- 6 ANY AGREEMENTS WITH THIRD PARTIES OR REVEAL PROPRIETARY INFORMATION
- 7 OF A THIRD PARTY.
- 8 (5) THE FIDUCIARY SHALL ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE FOR
- 9 COMPANIES ON THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST:
- 10 (A) THE FIDUCIARY SHALL IMMEDIATELY DETERMINE THE COMPANIES ON
- 11 THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST IN WHICH THE FIDUCIARY OVERSEES
- 12 PURSUANT TO ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AS DEFINED IN SUBSECTION (1) (F).
- 13 (B) FOR EACH COMPANY IDENTIFIED IN SUBDIVISION (A) WITH ONLY
- 14 INACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL SEND A WRITTEN
- 15 NOTICE INFORMING THE COMPANY OF THIS SECTION AND ENCOURAGE THE
- 16 COMPANY TO CONTINUE TO REFRAIN FROM INITIATING ACTIVE BUSINESS
- 17 OPERATIONS IN SUDAN UNTIL IT IS ABLE TO AVOID SCRUTINIZED BUSINESS
- 18 OPERATIONS AND FURTHER ENCOURAGE THE COMPANY TO ENGAGE IN
- 19 SUBSTANTIAL HUMANITARIAN OPERATIONS IN THE COUNTRY. THE FIDUCIARY
- 20 SHALL CONTINUE THE CORRESPONDENCE ON A SEMIANNUAL BASIS.
- 21 (C) FOR EACH COMPANY NEWLY IDENTIFIED IN SUBDIVISION (A) WITH
- 22 ACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL SEND A WRITTEN
- 23 NOTICE INFORMING THE COMPANY OF ITS SCRUTINIZED COMPANY STATUS AND
- 24 THAT IT MAY BECOME SUBJECT TO DIVESTMENT BY THE FIDUCIARY. THE
- 25 NOTICE SHALL OFFER THE COMPANY THE OPPORTUNITY TO CLARIFY ITS
- 26 SUDAN-RELATED ACTIVITIES AND SHALL ENCOURAGE THE COMPANY, WITHIN 90
- 27 DAYS, TO EITHER CEASE ITS SCRUTINIZED BUSINESS OPERATIONS OR

- 1 CONVERT SUCH OPERATIONS TO INACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS IN ORDER TO
- 2 AVOID QUALIFYING FOR DIVESTMENT BY THE FIDUCIARY.
- 3 (D) IF, WITHIN 90 DAYS FOLLOWING THE FIDUCIARY'S FIRST
- 4 ENGAGEMENT WITH A COMPANY PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION (C), THAT COMPANY
- 5 CEASES SCRUTINIZED BUSINESS OPERATIONS, THE COMPANY SHALL BE
- 6 REMOVED FROM THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST AND THIS SECTION SHALL
- 7 CEASE TO APPLY TO IT UNLESS IT RESUMES SCRUTINIZED BUSINESS
- 8 OPERATIONS. IF, WITHIN 90 DAYS FOLLOWING THE FIDUCIARY'S FIRST
- 9 ENGAGEMENT, THE COMPANY CONVERTS ITS SCRUTINIZED ACTIVE BUSINESS
- 10 OPERATIONS TO INACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS, THE COMPANY SHALL BE
- 11 SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION.
- 12 (E) IF, AFTER 90 DAYS FOLLOWING THE FIDUCIARY'S FIRST
- 13 ENGAGEMENT WITH A COMPANY PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION (C), THE COMPANY
- 14 CONTINUES TO HAVE SCRUTINIZED ACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS, AND ONLY
- 15 WHILE THE COMPANY CONTINUES TO HAVE SCRUTINIZED ACTIVE BUSINESS
- 16 OPERATIONS, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL SELL, REDEEM, DIVEST, OR WITHDRAW
- 17 ALL PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY, ACCORDING TO THE
- 18 FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:
- 19 (i) AT LEAST 50% OF THE ASSETS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE
- 20 FIDUCIARY'S ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT WITHIN 9 MONTHS AFTER THE
- 21 COMPANY'S MOST RECENT APPEARANCE ON THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST.
- 22 (ii) 100% OF THE ASSETS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE FIDUCIARY'S
- 23 ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT WITHIN 15 MONTHS AFTER THE COMPANY'S MOST
- 24 RECENT APPEARANCE ON THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST.
- 25 (F) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISIONS (G) AND (H), AT NO TIME
- 26 SHALL THE FIDUCIARY ACOUIRE SECURITIES OF COMPANIES ON THE
- 27 SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST THAT HAVE ACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS.

- 1 (G) NO COMPANY WHICH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
- 2 AFFIRMATIVELY DECLARES TO BE EXCLUDED FROM ITS PRESENT OR ANY
- 3 FUTURE FEDERAL SANCTIONS REGIME RELATING TO SUDAN SHALL BE SUBJECT
- 4 TO DIVESTMENT OR INVESTMENT PROHIBITION PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISIONS
- 5 (E) AND (F).
- 6 (H) SUBDIVISIONS (E) AND (F) SHALL NOT APPLY TO INDIRECT
- 7 HOLDINGS IN ACTIVELY MANAGED INVESTMENT FUNDS. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS
- 8 SECTION, ACTIVELY MANAGED INVESTMENT FUNDS INCLUDE PRIVATE EQUITY
- 9 FUNDS AND PUBLICLY TRADED FUNDS. BEFORE THE FIDUCIARY INVESTS IN A
- 10 NEW PRIVATE EQUITY FUND THAT IS NOT IN THE FIDUCIARY'S PORTFOLIO AS
- 11 OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS
- 12 SECTION, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL PERFORM DUE DILIGENCE TO PREVENT
- 13 INVESTMENT IN ANY PRIVATE EQUITY FUND WHERE THE OFFERING MEMORANDUM
- 14 OR PROSPECTUS IDENTIFIES THE PURPOSE OF THE PRIVATE EQUITY FUND AS
- 15 INVESTING IN SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES WITH ACTIVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS
- 16 IN SUDAN. THE FIDUCIARY IS NOT REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY HOLDINGS IN
- 17 PRIVATE EQUITY FUNDS OR SUBMIT ENGAGEMENT LETTERS TO THOSE FUNDS.
- 18 IF THE MANAGER OF A PUBLICLY TRADED, ACTIVELY MANAGED FUND THAT IS
- 19 IN THE FIDUCIARY'S PORTFOLIO ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE
- 20 AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SECTION CREATES A SIMILAR PUBLICLY
- 21 TRADED, ACTIVELY MANAGED FUND WITH INDIRECT HOLDINGS DEVOID OF
- 22 IDENTIFIED SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES WITH SCRUTINIZED ACTIVE BUSINESS
- 23 OPERATIONS AS DEFINED IN THIS SECTION, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL REPLACE
- 24 ALL APPLICABLE INVESTMENTS WITH INVESTMENTS IN THE SIMILAR FUND IN
- 25 AN EXPEDITED TIME FRAME CONSISTENT WITH PRUDENT INVESTMENT
- 26 STANDARDS.
- 27 (6) THE FIDUCIARY SHALL FILE A PUBLICLY AVAILABLE REPORT TO

- 1 THE LEGISLATURE THAT INCLUDES THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LIST WITHIN
- 2 30 DAYS AFTER THE LIST IS CREATED. ANNUALLY THEREAFTER, THE
- 3 FIDUCIARY SHALL FILE A PUBLICLY AVAILABLE REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE
- 4 AND SEND A COPY OF THAT REPORT TO THE UNITED STATES PRESIDENTIAL
- 5 SPECIAL ENVOY TO SUDAN THAT INCLUDES ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 6 (A) A SUMMARY OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH COMPANIES ENGAGED BY THE
- 7 FIDUCIARY UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 8 (B) ALL INVESTMENTS SOLD, REDEEMED, DIVESTED, OR WITHDRAWN IN
- 9 COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION.
- 10 (C) ALL PROHIBITED INVESTMENTS UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 11 (D) ANY PROGRESS MADE UNDER SUBSECTION (5) (H).
- 12 (7) THIS SECTION IS EFFECTIVE UNTIL THE FIRST OCCURRENCE OF
- 13 ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 14 (A) THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS OR THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED
- 15 STATES DECLARES THAT THE DARFUR GENOCIDE HAS BEEN HALTED FOR AT
- 16 LEAST 12 MONTHS.
- 17 (B) THE UNITED STATES REVOKES ALL SANCTIONS IMPOSED AGAINST
- 18 THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN.
- 19 (C) THE CONGRESS OR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES DECLARES
- 20 THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF SUDAN HAS HONORED ITS COMMITMENTS TO CEASE
- 21 ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, DEMOBILIZE AND DEMILITARIZE THE JANJAWEED AND
- 22 ASSOCIATED MILITIAS, GRANT FREE AND UNFETTERED ACCESS FOR
- 23 DELIVERIES OF HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE, AND ALLOW FOR THE SAFE AND
- 24 VOLUNTARY RETURN OF REFUGEES AND INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS.
- 25 (D) THE CONGRESS OR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THROUGH
- 26 LEGISLATION OR EXECUTIVE ORDER, DECLARES THAT MANDATORY DIVESTMENT
- 27 OF THE TYPE PROVIDED FOR IN THIS ACT INTERFERES WITH THE CONDUCT OF

- 1 UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY.
- 2 (8) WITH RESPECT TO ACTIONS TAKEN IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS
- 3 SECTION, INCLUDING ALL GOOD FAITH DETERMINATIONS REGARDING
- 4 COMPANIES AS REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION, THE FIDUCIARY SHALL BE
- 5 EXEMPT FROM ANY CONFLICTING STATUTORY OR COMMON LAW OBLIGATIONS,
- 6 INCLUDING ANY OBLIGATIONS IN RESPECT TO CHOICE OF ASSET MANAGERS,
- 7 INVESTMENT FUNDS, OR INVESTMENTS FOR THE FIDUCIARY'S SECURITIES
- 8 PORTFOLIOS.
- 9 (9) THE FIDUCIARY, MEMBERS OF AN INVESTMENT ADVISORY
- 10 COMMITTEE, AND ANY PERSON WITH DECISION-MAKING AUTHORITY WITH
- 11 REGARD TO INVESTMENTS OF THE FIDUCIARY SHALL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR
- 12 ANY ACTION UNDERTAKEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLYING WITH OR
- 13 EXECUTING THE MANDATES REQUIRED UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 14 (10) SCRUTINIZED COMPANY DOES NOT INCLUDE A COMPANY THAT THE
- 15 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS AFFIRMATIVELY EXCLUDED FROM FEDERAL
- 16 SANCTIONS FOR BUSINESS THE SCRUTINIZED COMPANY CONDUCTS RELATING TO
- 17 SUDAN, OR THAT HAS CONSISTENTLY OBTAINED APPLICABLE LICENSES OR
- 18 APPROVALS TO CONDUCT TRANSACTIONS WITH SUDAN. IF THE FIDUCIARY
- 19 BECOMES AWARE AT ANY TIME THAT A COMPANY THAT HAS NOT BEEN
- 20 AFFIRMATIVELY EXCLUDED FROM FEDERAL SANCTIONS FOR BUSINESS IT
- 21 CONDUCTS RELATING TO SUDAN AND HAS NOT RECEIVED FROM THE UNITED
- 22 STATES GOVERNMENT APPLICABLE LICENSES OR APPROVALS TO CONDUCT
- 23 TRANSACTIONS WITH SUDAN, THAT COMPANY IS IMMEDIATELY SUBJECT TO
- 24 SUBSECTION (5).
- 25 (11) IF ANY PROVISION, SECTION, SUBSECTION, SENTENCE, CLAUSE,
- 26 PHRASE, OR WORD OF THIS LEGISLATION OR ITS APPLICATION TO ANY
- 27 PERSON OR CIRCUMSTANCE IS FOUND TO BE INVALID, ILLEGAL,

- UNENFORCEABLE, OR UNCONSTITUTIONAL, THE SAME IS HEREBY DECLARED TO 1
- 2 BE SEVERABLE AND THE BALANCE OF THIS LEGISLATION SHALL REMAIN
- 3 EFFECTIVE AND FUNCTIONAL NOTWITHSTANDING SUCH INVALIDITY,
- ILLEGALITY, UNENFORCEABILITY, OR UNCONSTITUTIONALITY. 4
- 5 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- unless Senate Bill No. 846 of the 94th Legislature is enacted into 6
- 7 law.