

# HOUSE BILL No. 6218

June 5, 2008, Introduced by Reps. Spade, Byrnes, Bauer, Byrum, Melton, Hopgood, Mayes, Polidori and Dean and referred to the Committee on Families and Children's Services.

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled  
"The social welfare act,"  
(MCL 400.1 to 400.119b) by adding section 74h.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 74H. (1) A DAY CARE AIDE OR RELATIVE CARE PROVIDER SHALL  
2        MAINTAIN TIME AND ATTENDANCE RECORDS FOR EACH CHILD IN HIS OR HER  
3        CARE. THE DAY CARE AIDE OR RELATIVE CARE PROVIDER SHALL SUBMIT TIME  
4        AND ATTENDANCE RECORDS EVERY 2 WEEKS BY TELEPHONE OR USING THE  
5        DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE.

6        (2) EACH PARENT OR GUARDIAN RECEIVING A CHILD CARE SUBSIDY  
7        UNDER THIS ACT SHALL REPORT THE HOURS HIS OR HER CHILD SPENT IN  
8        CHILD CARE TO THE DEPARTMENT EVERY 2 WEEKS.

9        (3) BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT PAYS A CHILD CARE SUBSIDY TO THE  
10       PROVIDER, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL COMPARE THE INFORMATION RECEIVED

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1 FROM THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN AND THE DAY CARE AIDE OR RELATIVE CARE  
2 PROVIDER TO DETERMINE THE ACCURACY OF THE REPORTING. IF THE  
3 DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT THERE HAS BEEN FRAUDULENT REPORTING OF  
4 TIME, ATTENDANCE, OR HOURS NEEDED FOR CHILD CARE, THE PERSON  
5 SUBMITTING THE FRAUDULENT REPORT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES  
6 PRESCRIBED UNDER THIS ACT [AND AS PRESCRIBED BY CFR 273.16].

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect January  
8 1, 2009.