HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 622

A bill to amend 1974 PA 258, entitled "Mental health code,"

by amending section 1003 (MCL 330.2003), as amended by 1993 PA 252.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1003. The department of corrections shall establish and
- 2 operate the corrections mental health program to provide mental
- 3 health services for prisoners who are mentally retarded or mentally
- 4 ill and need those services. The director of the department of
- 5 mental health shall review the program's structure, content,
- 6 quality standards, and implementation. The department of
- 7 corrections may contract with the department of mental health OR
- 8 THIRD-PARTY PROVIDERS to operate the corrections mental health
- 9 program. The department of corrections shall not contract with any

- 1 other provider to operate the program. The director of the
- 2 department of corrections shall appoint the director of the
- 3 corrections mental health program. The director of the corrections
- 4 mental health program shall be an individual with an advanced
- 5 degree in a mental health field and a minimum of 5 years'
- 6 experience in a mental health field.
- 7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 8 unless all of the following bills of the 94th Legislature are
- 9 enacted into law:
- 10 (a) House Bill No. 5194.
- 11 (b) House Bill No. 5198.