SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 4349

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending section 2841 (MCL 333.2841).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 2841. (1) Death registration is required for each
- 2 individual who dies in this state. If the place of death is
- 3 unknown, but the body is found in this state, the death
- 4 registration shall show this fact and shall be completed and filed
- 5 in accordance with this section and section 2842. The place where
- 6 the body is found shall be shown as the place of death.
- 7 (2) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED UNDER THIS PART, AN
- 8 INDIVIDUAL WHO DISCOVERS THE BODY OF AN INDIVIDUAL HE OR SHE KNOWS
- 9 OR HAS REASON TO KNOW IS DEAD AND, WITH THE PURPOSE OF HIDING OR
- 10 CONCEALING THE FACT OR CAUSE OF DEATH OF THAT INDIVIDUAL, FAILS TO
- 11 INFORM A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR A 9-1-1 OPERATOR OF THE

- DISCOVERY IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR 1
- NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000.00, OR BOTH. 2
- 3 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect October
- 4 1, 2010.