HOUSE BILL NO. 6303

June 30, 2022, Introduced by Reps. Calley, Beeler, Harris, Steenland, Borton, Anthony and Sneller and referred to the Committee on Rules and Competitiveness.

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956,"

(MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 1341a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1341a. (1) In addition to investments in common stock, 2 preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities permitted
- 3 under this chapter, and except as otherwise provided in this
- 4 section, a domestic insurer may invest in common stock, preferred
- 5 stock, debt obligations, and other securities of 1 or more
- 6 subsidiaries, amounts that do not exceed the lesser of 10% of the

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- 1 insurer's assets or 50% of the insurer's surplus with regard to
- 2 policyholders, if after the investments, the insurer's surplus with
- 3 regard to policyholders will be reasonable in relation to the
- 4 insurer's outstanding liabilities and adequate to meet its
- 5 financial needs.
- 6 (2) In calculating the amount described in subsection (1), any
- 7 investment in domestic or foreign insurance subsidiaries, licensed
- 8 third-party administrators, and domestic health maintenance
- 9 organizations must be excluded from the calculation and both of the
- 10 following must be included in the calculation:
- 11 (a) Total net monies or other consideration expended and
- 12 obligations assumed in the acquisition or formation of a
- 13 subsidiary, including all organizational expenses and contributions
- 14 to capital and surplus of the subsidiary whether or not represented
- 15 by the purchase of capital stock or issuance of other securities.
- 16 (b) All amounts expended in acquiring additional common stock,
- 17 preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities, and all
- 18 contributions to the capital or surplus of a subsidiary subsequent
- 19 to its acquisition or formation.
- 20 (3) With the approval of the director, an insurer may invest a
- 21 greater amount than prescribed by subsection (1) in common stock,
- 22 preferred stock, debt obligations, or other securities of 1 or more
- 23 subsidiaries, if after the investment the insurer's surplus with
- 24 regard to policyholders will be reasonable in relation to the
- 25 insurer's outstanding liabilities and adequate to its financial
- 26 needs.
- 27 (4) All existing investments held on or before the effective
- 28 date of the amendatory act that added this section comply with this
- 29 section and do not count toward the limits prescribed by subsection

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- 1 (1) if held by an insurer that writes only premium in this state or
- 2 that is a nonprofit insurer statutorily prohibited from converting
- 3 to a mutual holding company under chapter 60. Any additional
- 4 amounts expended in the investments are subject to the requirements
- 5 of this section except for any additional amounts expended by or in
- 6 existing investments held by any nonprofit insurer that is
- 7 statutorily prohibited from converting to a mutual holding company
- 8 under chapter 60. An investment in new subsidiaries after the
- 9 effective date of the amendatory act that added this section by a
- 10 nonprofit insurer statutorily prohibited from converting to a
- 11 mutual holding company that exceeds the thresholds prescribed by
- 12 subsection (1) is subject to the approval of the director.
- 13 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 14 unless all of the following bills of the 101st Legislature are
- 15 enacted into law:
- 16 (a) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 6297 (request no.
- **17** 05935'22).
- 18 (b) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6299 (request no.
- **19** 06317'22).
- 20 (c) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6301 (request no.
- **21** 06318'22).
- 22 (d) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6302 (request no.
- 23 06319'22).
- (e) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6300 (request no.
- **25** 06321'22).
- 26 (f) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 6298 (request no.
- **27** 06322'22).