



HOUSE BILL No. 4715

April 25, 1995, Introduced by Reps. Martinez, Bobier, Johnson, Stallworth, Dobronski, LaForge, Tesanovich, Cherry, Scott, Baird, DeMars, Gubow, Gire, Brater, Anthony, Brewer, Hanley, Willard and Bennane and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

A bill to amend Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of 1980,
entitled as amended

"The nonprofit health care corporation reform act,"

as amended, being sections 550.1101 to 550.1704 of the Michigan
Compiled Laws, by adding section 416b.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of 1980, as
2 amended, being sections 550.1101 to 550.1704 of the Michigan
3 Compiled Laws, is amended by adding section 416b to read as
4 follows:

5 SEC. 416B. (1) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "NURSE MIDWIFE"
6 MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL LICENSED AS A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE
7 UNDER PART 172 OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH CODE, ACT NO. 368 OF THE
8 PUBLIC ACTS OF 1978, BEING SECTIONS 333.17201 TO 333.17242 OF THE
9 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, WHO HAS BEEN ISSUED A SPECIALTY

1 CERTIFICATION IN THE PRACTICE OF NURSE MIDWIFERY BY THE BOARD OF
2 NURSING UNDER SECTION 17210 OF ACT NO. 368 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF
3 1978, BEING SECTION 333.17210 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

4 (2) EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1996, A GROUP OR NONGROUP CERTIFI-
5 CATE OR CONVERSION CERTIFICATE THAT PROVIDES COVERAGE FOR MATER-
6 NITY SERVICES SHALL PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR SUCH SERVICES WHETHER
7 PERFORMED BY A PHYSICIAN OR A NURSE MIDWIFE ACTING WITHIN THE
8 SCOPE OF HIS OR HER LICENSE.