

# HOUSE BILL No. 6142

June 7, 2006, Introduced by Rep. Newell and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending sections 16411 and 16421 (MCL 333.16411 and 333.16421), section 16411 as amended by 2002 PA 734 and section 16421 as amended by 1993 PA 79.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 16411. (1) An individual shall not engage in the  
2 practice of chiropractic, including, but not limited to, performing  
3 a chiropractic adjustment, chiropractic manipulation, or other  
4 chiropractic services or chiropractic opinion, unless licensed, or  
5 otherwise authorized by a chiropractor, under this article.

6           (2) ~~The 2002 amendatory act that added this subsection~~ 2002  
7 PA 734 is intended to codify existing law and to clarify and cure  
8 any misinterpretation of the operation of sections 16261, 16401,

1 and 16411 since ~~the effective date of their enactment~~ **DECEMBER**  
2 **30, 2002.**

3 (3) ~~The 2002 amendatory act that added this subsection~~ **2002**  
4 **PA 734** is not intended to affect the authority of a veterinarian to  
5 delegate certain functions as provided by law.

6 (4) ~~The 2002 amendatory act that added this subsection~~ **2002**  
7 **PA 734** does not affect the scope of practice of medicine or  
8 osteopathic medicine and surgery provided for in parts 170 and 175.  
9 ~~The 2002 amendatory act that added this subsection~~ **2002 PA 734**  
10 does not amend the scope of practice of physical therapy provided  
11 for in part 178.

12 (5) **THE FOLLOWING WORDS, TITLES, OR LETTERS OR A COMBINATION**  
13 **THEREOF, WITH OR WITHOUT QUALIFYING WORDS OR PHRASES, ARE**  
14 **RESTRICTED IN USE ONLY TO THOSE PERSONS AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS PART**  
15 **TO USE THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND IN A WAY PRESCRIBED IN THIS PART:**  
16 **"CHIROPRACTIC", "DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC", "CHIROPRACTOR", "D.C.",**  
17 **AND "CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN".**

18 Sec. 16421. (1) The Michigan board of chiropractic is created  
19 in the department and shall consist of the following 9 voting  
20 members who shall meet the requirements of part 161: 5  
21 chiropractors and 4 public members.

22 (2) **THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD**  
23 **CREATED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), EXCEPT THOSE APPOINTED TO FILL**  
24 **VACANCIES, EXPIRE 4 YEARS AFTER APPOINTMENT ON DECEMBER 31 OF THE**  
25 **YEAR IN WHICH THE TERM WILL EXPIRE.**

26 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
27 unless Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 6147(request no.

1 05150'05) of the 93rd Legislature is enacted into law.