HOUSE BILL No. 4445

March 25, 2003, Introduced by Reps. Kooiman, Tobocman, Milosch, Vander Veen, Nofs and Voorhees and referred to the Committee on Family and Children Services.

A bill to amend 1973 PA 116, entitled

"An act to provide for the protection of children through the licensing and regulation of child care organizations; to provide for the establishment of standards of care for child care organizations; to prescribe powers and duties of certain departments of this state and adoption facilitators; to provide penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,"

by amending section 1a (MCL 722.111a), as added by 1984 PA 139.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. la. (1) A private residence licensed as a foster
- 2 family home or foster family group home may be concurrently
- 3 licensed as an adult foster care family home. Additional
- 4 children not related to a resident of the foster family home or
- 5 foster family group home shall not be received in the foster
- **6** family home or foster family group home after the filing of an
- dapplication for an adult foster care family home license.
- 8 (2) A child caring institution with a licensed capacity of 6
 - or fewer residents may be concurrently licensed as an adult

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- 1 foster care small group home. Additional children not related
- 2 to a resident of the child caring institution shall not be
- 3 received in the child caring institution after the filing of an
- 4 application for an adult foster care small group home license.
- 5 The combined licensed capacity shall not exceed a combination of
- 6 6 children and adults.
- 7 (3) As used in this section:
- 8 (a) "Adult foster care family home" means that term as
- 9 defined in section 3 of the adult foster care facility licensing
- 10 act, Act No. 218 of the Public Acts of 1979, being section
- 11 400.703 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1979 PA 218, MCL 400.703.
- 12 (b) "Adult foster care small group home" means that term as
- 13 defined in section 3 of the adult foster care facility licensing
- 14 act, Act No. 218 of the Public Acts of 1979, being section
- 15 400.703 of the Michigan Compiled Laws 1979 PA 218, MCL 400.703.

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