

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 837**

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,"

(MCL 722.111 to 722.128) by adding section 12a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **Sec. 12a. (1) No later than 90 days after the effective date**
2 **of the amendatory act that added this section, the department shall**
3 **establish a process by which a child care center, group child care**
4 **home, or family child care home may request a review and appeal of**
5 **a determination by the department that the child care center, group**

1 child care home, or family child care home violated a rule
2 promulgated under this act and the violation does not result in a
3 denial, revocation, or refusal to renew the license of a child care
4 center, group child care home, or family child care home under this
5 act or an injunction under section 13.

6 (2) The process established under subsection (1) must be in
7 writing and posted publicly on the department's website.