SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5245

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 1445 (MCL 600.1445).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1445. (1) Whenever in any proceedings before any IF A
- 2 court, board or commission, or other public body or officer -, an
- 3 order is made by such court, board or commission, or other public
- 4 body or officer, requiring and commanding that a person shall
- 5 ORDERS AN INDIVIDUAL TO submit to a physical examination, the order
- 6 shall also provide that the NOTIFY THE INDIVIDUAL THAT HE OR SHE
- 7 HAS THE RIGHT TO HAVE HIS OR HER attorney for such person may be
- 8 present at -such THE physical examination. -if the party to such
- 9 examination desires that an attorney representing him be present.
- 10 (2) The EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, BOARD

- 1 OR COMMISSION, OR OTHER PUBLIC BODY OR OFFICER, THE order may -also
- 2 recite and provide that the party to be examined INDIVIDUAL
- 3 shall, at least 3 days prior to the date set for -said THE
- 4 examination, be paid a fee of \$2.00 per diem for the day ordered
- 5 for attendance -, and -that such party also be paid a mileage
- 6 fee at the rate of 10 cents per mile, going to the place at
- 7 attendance, to be 1 WAY, estimated from the INDIVIDUAL'S
- 8 residence. of such party. The court, board or commission, or
- 9 other public body or officer may in its order— determine the
- 10 PER DIEM fees and mileage fees to be paid, and when so fixed, such
- 11 determination shall be conclusive— THAT THE INDIVIDUAL IS ENTITLED
- 12 TO RECEIVE.
- 13 (3) A -correct copy of any written report and findings
- 14 rendered by the examining LICENSED physician OR CERTIFIED NURSE
- 15 PRACTITIONER relative to the condition of -such person THE
- 16 INDIVIDUAL shall be delivered forthwith to -such person THE
- 17 INDIVIDUAL or his OR HER attorney. X-rays, cardiograms, and like
- 18 diagnostic aids shall be made available for inspection by -such
- 19 person or other person designated by him THE INDIVIDUAL OR HIS OR
- 20 HER DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE, upon reasonable notice. THIS
- 21 SUBSECTION, AS AMENDED BY THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS
- 22 SENTENCE, DOES NOT REQUIRE NEW OR ADDITIONAL THIRD PARTY
- 23 REIMBURSEMENT OR WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS FOR SERVICES
- 24 RENDERED.
- 25 (4) Notwithstanding any provision of this section, the rules
- 26 of the supreme court shall govern in appropriate cases.