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SENATE BILL No. 319

April 25, 2017, Introduced by Senators WARREN, KNEZEK, HERTEL, HOOD, ANANICH, HOPGOOD, GREGORY, JOHNSON, YOUNG and BIEDA and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 390, entitled

"An act to regulate the time and manner of payment of wages and fringe benefits to employees; to prescribe rights and responsibilities of employers and employees, and the powers and duties of the department of labor; to require keeping of records; to provide for settlement of disputes regarding wages and fringe benefits; to prohibit certain practices by employers; to prescribe penalties and remedies; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,"

by amending section 13a (MCL 408.483a), as added by 1982 PA 524.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 13a. (1) An employer shall not do any of the following:
- (a) Require as a condition of employment nondisclosure by an employee of his or her wages.
- (b) Require an employee to sign a waiver or other document which—THAT purports to deny an employee the right to disclose his or her wages.

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- 1 (c) Discharge, formally discipline, or otherwise discriminate
- 2 against for job advancement an employee who discloses his or her
- 3 wages.
- 4 (D) WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER AN EMPLOYEE'S REQUEST, FAIL TO
- 5 PROVIDE THE EMPLOYEE WITH WAGE INFORMATION FOR SIMILARLY SITUATED
- 6 EMPLOYEES COVERING A PERIOD OF UP TO 3 YEARS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF
- 7 THE REQUEST. THE EMPLOYER MAY REDACT THE NAMES OF SIMILARLY
- 8 SITUATED EMPLOYEES, BUT SHALL PROVIDE INFORMATION ABOUT THE SEX AND
- 9 SENIORITY OF SIMILARLY SITUATED EMPLOYEES FOR WHOM WAGE INFORMATION
- 10 IS PROVIDED. AS USED IN THIS SUBDIVISION:
- 11 (i) "SIMILARLY SITUATED EMPLOYEES" MEANS EMPLOYEES WHO ARE
- 12 WITHIN THE SAME JOB CLASSIFICATION AS THE EMPLOYEE REQUESTING THE
- 13 INFORMATION OR WHOSE DUTIES ARE COMPARABLE IN SKILL, EFFORT,
- 14 RESPONSIBILITY, WORKING CONDITIONS, AND TRAINING TO THOSE OF THE
- 15 REQUESTING EMPLOYEE.
- 16 (ii) "WAGE INFORMATION" INCLUDES SALARY AND HOURLY WAGE
- 17 INFORMATION AS WELL AS INFORMATION ABOUT BONUS PAY, OVERTIME PAY,
- 18 AND OTHER FORMS OF COMPENSATION PROVIDED BY THE EMPLOYER.
- 19 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 20 after the date it is enacted into law.