## **HOUSE BILL No. 5553**

February 13, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Yaroch and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 3157a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 3157A. (1) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO PROVIDES ATTENDANT CARE TO 2 AN INJURED PERSON FOR AN ACCIDENTAL BODILY INJURY COVERED BY 3 PERSONAL PROTECTION INSURANCE AND WHO IS A RELATIVE OF THE INJURED 4 PERSON IS ENTITLED TO BE PAID THE AVERAGE CUSTOMARY WAGE OF A 5 DIRECT CARE WORKER OR THE STATE MINIMUM HOURLY WAGE RATE DETERMINED 6 UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE WORKFORCE OPPORTUNITY WAGE ACT, 2014 PA 138, 7 MCL 408.414, WHICHEVER IS GREATER.

8 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DIRECT CARE WORKER" MEANS A HOME 9 HEALTH AIDE, PSYCHIATRIC AIDE, NURSING ASSISTANT, OR PERSONAL CARE 10 AIDE, AS THOSE OCCUPATIONS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE 2010 STANDARD 11 OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT

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