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Senate Bills

- 1) SB 3 (Sanborn) specify definition of individual to include fetus. Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee
- 2) SB 64 (Jacobs) expand prescription coverage to include contraceptives. Assigned to Senate Health Policy Committee. **MI Women's Commission supports.**
- 3) SB 67 (Kahn) require child support payment from lawsuit settlement or judgement. Assigned to Families and Human Services.
- 4) SB 68 (Gilbert) require payment of child support arrearages from casino winnings. Assigned to Families and Human Services.
- 5) SB 99-107 (Jansen, etc) changes in Friend of Court, child support and family law. Passed Senate and assigned to the House Families and Children Services Committee.
- 6) SB 114 (Basham) prohibit smoking in places of employment and expand smoking prohibition in food service establishments. Assigned to the Senate Government Reform and Regulation. **MI Women's Commission supports the concept.**
- 7) SB 147 (Brown) prohibit partial-birth abortions. Assigned to the Senate Health Policy Committee.
- 8) SB 148 (Papageorge) provide sentencing guidelines for the crime of performing a partial-birth abortion. Assigned to the Senate Health Policy Committee.
- 9) SB 158 (Anderson) provide for prohibition against employment decisions based on the health or illness of an employees family member. Assigned to Senate Commerce and Tourism Committee.
- 10) SB 159 (Anderson) require schools to have policy prohibiting harassment and bullying at school. Assigned to Senate Education Committee.
- 11) SB 167 (Scott, Martha) expand prescription coverage to include contraceptives. Assigned to Senate Health Policy Committee. **MI Women's Commission supports.**
- 12) SB 185 (Olshove) allow for certain victims of domestic assault early lease termination. Assigned to Economic Development and Regulatory Reform.

- 13) SB 197 (McManus) establish circumstances under which putative father may sue to establish paternity of a child born to a married women. Assigned to Senate Families and Human Services.
- 14) SB 211 (Olshove) prohibit setting aside convictions for solicitation or conspiracy to commit criminal sexual conduct. Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee.
- 15) SB 220 (Jelinek) repeal adultery law. Assigned to the Senate Judiciary Committee.
- 16) SB 221 (Jelinek) eliminate reference to crime of adultery to reflect repeal of criminal statute. Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee.
- 17) SB 275 (Jelinek) require schools to have policy prohibiting harassment and bullying at school. Assigned to the Senate Education Committee.
- 18) SB 372 (Garcia) require Hispanic ethnicity of abortion patient to be reported. Assigned to the Senate Health Policy Committee.
- 19) SB 486 (Brater) - same as HB 4851 - amend Elliott Larsen to provide equal compensation for comparable work. Assigned to the Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism. **MWC supports.**
- 20) SB 487 (Brater) - same as HB 4853- modifies provision regarding wage discrimination based on sex. Assigned to the Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism. **MWC supports.**
- 21) SB 488 - (Whitmer)- same as HB 4854- establishes commission on pay equity. Assigned to the Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism. **MWC supports.**
- 22) SB 489 (Whitmer) - same as HB 4852- increases penalties for wage discrimination based on gender. Assigned to the Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism. **MWC supports.**
- 23) SR 43 (George) resolution to express opposition to the Obama Administration's plan to repeal recently-adopted federal conscience clause regulations. April 29, 2009, passed Senate, 23 yes, 12 nos, 1 excused and 1 not voting.

House Bills

- 1) HB 4005 (Calley) require document notarization before termination of rights of putative father. Assigned to the House Families and Children Services Committee.
- 2) HB 4061 (Lemmons) provide for termination of child support obligations when DNA evidence demonstrates payer is not the biological parent. Assigned to the House Families and Children Services Committee.
- 3) HB 4131 (Smith, Alma) provide for second parent adoption. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee. **MWC supports.**

- 4) HB 4154 (Hansen) prohibit promulgation of rules on workplace ergonomics. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 5) HB 4179 (Opsommer) requires the auditor general to conduct a study that estimates the cost of state payments made to illegal immigrants and the cost of state services used by illegal immigrants. Assigned to the House Committee on Government Operations.
- 6) HB 4192 (Warren) include sexual orientation and gender identity or expression as protected categories under the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee. **MI Women's Commission supports.**
- 7) HB 4195 (Slavens) require disciplinary subcommittee to impose license revocation or denial upon conviction of first, second, or third degree criminal sexual conduct. Assigned to the House Health Policy Committee.
- 8) HB 4212 (Sheltrown) prohibit partial-birth abortions. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee.
- 9) HB 4213 (Meltzer) enact sentencing guidelines for crime of performing a partial-birth abortion. Assigned to House Judiciary Committee.
- 10) HB 4221 (Ebli) allow for personal protection orders for victims of posting certain messages on the internet, furnishing obscene publications to minors, or criminal sexual conduct. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee.
- 11) HB 4222 (Ebli) revise reference to personal protection order section of the revised judicature act in the concealed weapons act to reflect renumbering. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee.
- 12) HB 4312 (Leland) provide for adoption leave. Assigned to House Families and Children Services Committee.
- 13) HB 4315 (Meadows) modify elements of crime involving certain prisoners and probationers for criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee.
- 14) HB 4327 (Young) prohibit discrimination for pregnant workers. Passed House, 3/18/2008. Assigned to the Senate Commerce Committee. **MI Women's Commission supports.**
- 15) HB 4341 (Bauer) prohibit smoking in places of employment and expand smoking prohibition in food service establishments. Assigned to the House Regulatory Committee. **MWC supports the concept.**
- 16) HB 4406 (Espinosa) require Hispanic ethnicity of patient to be reported on abortion report form. Assigned to the House Health Policy Committee.

- 17) HB 4467 (Meadows) create worker freedom act. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 18) HB 4468 (Jones) require disciplinary subcommittee to impose license revocation or denial upon conviction of first, second, or third degree criminal sexual conduct. Assigned to the House Health Policy Committee.
- 19) HB 4469 (Scott) require disciplinary subcommittee to impose license revocation or denial upon conviction of first, second, or third degree criminal sexual conduct. Assigned to the House Health Policy Committee.
- 20) HB 4470 (Neumann) provide for adoption leave. Assigned to the House Families and Children's Services Committee.
- 21) HB 4525 (Opsommer) amends the penal code to establish a crime for performing a coercive abortion. Assigned to House Judiciary Committee.
- 22) HB 4526 (Sheltrown) amends the code of criminal procedure to establish penalties for violating the "coercive abortion prevention act." Assigned to House Judiciary Committee.
- 23) HB 4528 (Swialski) prohibit use of credit history in hiring process. Assigned to House Labor Committee.
- 24) HB 4529 (Gregory, Vincent) prohibit employment discrimination based on physical attributes or fitness. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 25) HB 4530 (Miller) prohibit employment decisions based on the health or illness of an employees' family members. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 26) HB 4531 (Gonzales) prohibit termination of employee on basis of legal conduct occurring during nonworking hours. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 27) HB 4580 (Brynes) require policy prohibiting harassment and bullying at school. Assigned to the House Education Committee.
- 28) HB 4641 (Johnson) create exception for domestic violence victim from disqualification from receiving benefits when leaving employment. Assigned to the House Labor Committee.
- 29) HB 4704 (Brynes) revise change of name procedure whenever decree of divorce is granted to make gender neutral. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee.
- 30) HB 4792 (Scott,P) encourage board to work with law enforcement and parents in implementing policy prohibiting bullying or harassment at school. Assigned to House Education Committee.
- 31) HB 4851 - (Bauer) - same as SB 486 - amend Elliott Larsen to provide equal compensation for comparable work. Assigned to the House Labor Committee. **MWC supports.**

32) HB 4852 (Byrnes) - same as SB 489 - amend the penal code- crime if wage discrimination is based on sex. Assigned to the House Labor Committee. **MWC supports.**

33) HB 4853 (Roberts) - - same as SB 487 - amend the penal code - penalties for wage discrimination based on gender increase under certain circumstances. Assigned to the House Labor Committee. **MWC supports.**

34) HB 4854 (Slavens) - same as SB 488 - amend Elliott Larsen - establishes a commission on pay equity. Assigned to the House Labor Committee. **MWC supports.**

35) HB 4835 (Stanley) amend the Code of Criminal Procedure to add penalties for violating bias-motivated crimes. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee. **MWC supports.**

36) HB 4836 (Robert Jones) amend the Michigan Penal Code to remove ethnic intimidation and include bias-motivated crimes. Assigned to the House Judiciary Committee. **MWC supports.**

37) HB 4850 (Lund) amends the Public Health Code to provide exemptions for health care professionals for not performing certain duties. Assigned to the House Health Policy Committee.

38) HR 84 (Kennedy) – commemorates April 28 as Equal Pay Day. Passed the House on April 28, 2009, 108 yeas and 1 nay and 1 absent. **MWC supports.**

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