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AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 36-150; RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 36, chapter 1, article 2, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 36-150, to read:

4 36-150. Perimenopause and menopause education

5 THE DEPARTMENT SHALL:

6 1. ENTER INTO PARTNERSHIPS WITH HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS, INCLUDING
7 OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNECOLOGISTS, AND COMMUNITY-BASED HEALTH CENTERS AND
8 HOSPITALS TO EDUCATE WOMEN ON THE SYMPTOMS, PROCESSES AND OTHER ISSUES
9 SURROUNDING PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE SO THAT WOMEN MAY BE PREPARED FOR
10 PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE.

11 2. IN COORDINATION WITH THE PARTNERS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1 OF
12 THIS SECTION, CREATE INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS IN ELECTRONIC AND PHYSICAL
13 FORM THAT MAY BE DISTRIBUTED TO OR ACCESSED BY WOMEN WHO ARE DETERMINED BY
14 THEIR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO BE EXPERIENCING OR SOON BE EXPERIENCING
15 PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE. THE INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS MUST INCLUDE:

16 (a) SYMPTOMS OF AND TREATMENTS FOR PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE.

17 (b) SYMPTOMS OF PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE FOR WHICH A WOMAN WOULD
18 CONSULT A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER.

19 (c) THE BIOLOGICAL PROCESS BEHIND PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE.

20 (d) HOW TO TALK TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS ABOUT PERIMENOPAUSE AND
21 MENOPAUSE.

22 (e) ANY OTHER INFORMATION THAT THE DEPARTMENT DEEMS NECESSARY TO
23 PREPARE AND EDUCATE WOMEN REGARDING PERIMENOPAUSE AND MENOPAUSE.