## **HOUSE BILL No. 4770**

June 10, 1987, Introduced by Rep. Bennett and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

A bill to amend section 510 of Act No. 281 of the Public Acts of 1967, entitled

"Income tax act of 1967,"

being section 206.510 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. Section 510 of Act No. 28! of the Public Acts of
- 2 1967, being section 206.510 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
- 3 amended to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 510. (1) "Income" means the sum of federal adjusted
- 5 gross income as defined in the internal revenue code plus all
- 6 income specifically excluded or exempt from the computations of
- 7 the federal adjusted gross income. The term does not include the
- 8 first \$300.00 of gifts in cash or kind from nongovernmental
- 9 sources or the first \$300.00 received from awards, prizes,
- 10 lottery, bingo, or other gambling winnings. Income does not

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- 1 include surplus foods; relief in kind supplied by a
- 2 governmental agency; payments or credits under this act; -
- 3 any governmental grant which has to be used by the claimant for
- 4 rehabilitation of the homestead; amounts deducted from
- 5 monthly social security or railroad retirement benefits for medi-
- 6 care premiums; -, or contributions by an employer to life, acci-
- 7 dent, or health insurance plans; OR OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, AND DIS-
- 8 ABILITY INSURANCE PAYMENTS RECEIVED UNDER TITLE II OF THE SOCIAL
- 9 SECURITY ACT, 42 U.S.C. 401, 402-405, 406-410, 411-418, 420-423,
- 10 424a-426-1, 427-433. Income does not include energy assistance
- 11 grants -and OR energy assistance tax credits. -Beginning with
- 12 the 1977 tax year and thereafter FOR TAX YEARS BEGINNING AFTER
- 13 DECEMBER 31, 1976, a person who is enrolled in an accident or
- 14 health insurance plan may deduct from income the amount the
- 15 person has paid in premiums in the tax year for that insurance
- 16 plan for the person's family.
- 17 (2) "Owner" means a natural person who owns or is purchasing
- 18 a homestead under a mortgage or land contract or who owns or is
- 19 purchasing a dwelling situated on the leased lands of another or
- 20 is a tenant-stockholder of a cooperative housing corporation.