SENATE BILL NO. 143

January 27, 1999, Introduced by Senators STILLE and ROGERS and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967,"

by amending section 506 (MCL 206.506), as amended by 1996 PA 484.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 506. (1) "Eligible serviceperson", "eligible veteran",
- 2 and "eligible widow or widower" means a serviceperson, veteran,
- 3 or widow or widower, whose income as defined in this chapter is
- 4 not more than \$7,500.00 per year unless the serviceperson, veter-
- 5 an, or widow or widower receives compensation paid by the veter-
- 6 ans administration or the armed forces of the United States for
- 7 service incurred disabilities and who meets the requirements of
- 8 the following schedule:

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1 2 3	War	Person	Service in War	Disability %	Taxable Value Allowance
456789011234516789012222222222333333333333333333333333333	Indian Civil Spanish- American Mexican	Veteran or veteran's widow or widower	3 months, or 1 day with dis- charge for serv- ice-connected disability	No requirement	\$3,500.00 \$4,500.00
	World War I World War II Korean	Widow or widower of nondisabled or nonpen- sioned veteran	3 months, or 1 day with dis- charge for serv- ice-connected disability	No requirement	\$2,500.00 \$3,500.00
	All wars or presidential executive order or presidential proclamation	veteran or veteran's widow or	Any	No requirement	\$3,500.00 \$4,500.00
	All wars or presidential executive order or presidential proclamation	nected dis- ability or veteran's	Any	10-50	\$3,500.00 \$4,500.00
	All wars or presidential executive order or presidential proclamation	service-con- nected dis- ability or veteran's	Any	60-70-80	\$4,000.00 \$5,000.00
42 43 44 45		service-con- nected dis- ability or veteran's	Any	90-100	\$4,500.00 \$5,500.00
49 50	All wars or presidential executive	Widow or widower of veteran dying	Any	No requirement	\$4,500.00 \$5,500.00

1 order or in service 2 presidential **3** proclamation **5** Current Serviceperson \$3,500.00 Any requirement \$4,500.00 **6** service or 7 serviceperson's 8 widow or 9 widower 10

- 11 (2) FOR THE 2000 TAX YEAR AND EACH TAX YEAR AFTER THE 2000
- 12 TAX YEAR, THE TAXABLE VALUE ALLOWANCE AMOUNTS UNDER SUBSECTION
- 13 (1) SHALL BE ADJUSTED BY INCREASING THE TAXABLE VALUE ALLOWANCE
- 14 AMOUNTS BY THE PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN THE UNITED STATES CONSUMER
- 15 PRICE INDEX FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR. AS USED
- 16 IN THIS SUBSECTION, "UNITED STATES CONSUMER PRICE INDEX" MEANS
- 17 THE UNITED STATES CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS AS
- 18 DEFINED AND REPORTED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,
- 19 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.
- 20 Enacting section 1. Section 506 of the income tax act of
- 21 1967, 1967 PA 281, MCL 206.506, as amended by this amendatory act
- 22 is retroactive and takes effect for tax years that begin on or
- 23 after January 1, 1999.