## **HOUSE BILL No. 4642**

April 24, 2001, Introduced by Reps. Cassis, Sheltrown, Van Woerkom, DeRossett, Richardville, Hager, Bisbee, Bishop, Wojno, Schauer, Ruth Johnson and Kooiman and referred to the Committee on Redistricting and Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled

"Michigan election law,"

by amending section 509t (MCL 168.509t), as amended by 1998 PA 21.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 509t. (1) Notwithstanding any other ANOTHER provi-
- 2 sion of law to the contrary, a person who is a qualified elector
- 3 in this state and who registers to vote in a manner consistent
- 4 with the national voter registration act of 1993 is consid-
- 5 ered a registered voter under this act.
- 6 (2) A person who registers to vote in a jurisdiction in this
- 7 state by mail shall vote in person if that person has not previ-
- 8 ously voted in person in that jurisdiction. This subsection does
- 9 not apply to any of the following registered voters:

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- 1 (a) A person entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the
- 2 uniformed and overseas citizens absentee voting act, Public Law
- **3** 99-410, 100 Stat. 924.
- 4 (b) A person who has WITH a disability as defined in sec-
- 5 tion 103 of the persons with disabilities civil rights act, 1976
- 6 PA 220, MCL 37.1103. -, or
- 7 (C) A PERSON who is 60 years of age or older.
- 8 (D)  $\frac{1}{1}$  A person who is entitled to vote other than in
- 9 person under any other federal law.
- 10 (E) IF THE SIGNATURE OF THE PERSON ON THE ABSENT VOTER
- 11 BALLOT APPLICATION IS NOTARIZED, A PERSON WHO IS ENTITLED TO VOTE
- 12 AS AN ABSENT VOTER UNDER SECTION 758.
- 13 (3) This section does not preclude this state from prosecut-
- 14 ing a violation of this act that is also a violation of -any A
- 15 federal election or voting rights law.