SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5519

A bill to make appropriations for the department of history, arts, and libraries for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005; to provide for the expenditure of those appropriations; to provide for the disposition of fees and other income received by the state agencies; to provide for the disbursement of certain grants; to provide for reports; to prescribe powers and duties of certain state departments and certain state and local agencies and officers; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 PART 1
- 2 LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
- 3 Sec. 101. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the
- 4 amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the department of
- 5 history, arts, and libraries for the fiscal year ending September 30,
- 6 2005, from the funds indicated in this part. The following is a

1	summary of the appropriations in this part:	
2	DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES	
3	APPROPRIATION SUMMARY:	
4	Full-time equated unclassified positions6.0	
5	Full-time equated classified positions232.0	
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	58,743,200
7	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
8	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
9	transfers	139,000
10	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	58,604,200
11	Federal revenues:	
12	Total federal revenues	8,151,300
13	Special revenue funds:	
14	Total local revenues	0
15	Total private revenues	577,400
16	Total other state restricted revenues	2,412,400
17	State general fund/general purpose\$	47,463,100
18	Sec. 102. DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS	
19	Full-time equated unclassified positions6.0	
20	Full-time equated classified positions29.0	
21	Unclassified salaries6.0 FTE positions\$	219,300
22	Management services28.0 FTE positions	1,882,600
23	Building occupancy charges and rent	2,678,600
24	Worker's compensation	17,000
25	Film office1.0 FTE positions	131,800
26	Human resources optimization user charges	29,500
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	4,958,800

1	Appropriated from:	
2	State general fund/general purpose\$	4,958,800
3	Sec. 103. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
4	Information technology services and projects \$	1,022,100
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	1,022,100
6	Appropriated from:	
7	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
8	IDG-MDOT, comprehensive transportation fund	200
9	IDG-MDOT, state aeronautics fund	100
10	IDG-MDOT, state trunkline fund	3,300
11	Special revenue funds:	
12	Game and fish protection fund	100
13	Mackinac Island state park fund	42,500
14	Special revenue, internal service and pension trust.	2,900
15	State lottery fund	900
16	State general fund/general purpose\$	972,100
17	Sec. 104. MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL	
18	AFFAIRS	
19	Full-time equated classified positions9.0	
20	Administration9.0 FTE positions\$	707,900
21	Arts and cultural grants	11,771,300
22	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	12,479,200
23	Appropriated from:	
24	Federal revenues:	
25	NFAH-NEA, promotion of the arts, partnership	
26	agreements	700,000
27	Special revenue funds:	

1	State general fund/general purpose\$	11,779,200
2	Sec. 105. MACKINAC ISLAND STATE PARK COMMISSION	
3	Full-time equated classified positions39.0	
4	Mackinac Island park operation24.3 FTE positions \$	1,354,300
5	Historical facilities system14.7 FTE positions	1,645,700
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	3,000,000
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Mackinac Island state park operation fees	150,000
10	Mackinac Island state park fund	1,329,200
11	State general fund/general purpose\$	1,520,800
12	Sec. 106. MICHIGAN HISTORICAL PROGRAM	
13	Full-time equated classified positions83.0	
14	Federal programs12.0 FTE positions\$	1,893,900
15	Heritage publications	700,000
16	Historical administration and services71.0 FTE	
17	positions	5,255,400
18	Private grants and gifts	502,400
19	Thunder Bay national marine sanctuary and underwater	
20	preserve	189,600
21	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	8,541,300
22	Appropriated from:	
23	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
24	IDG-MDOT, comprehensive transportation fund	5,700
25	IDG-MDOT, state aeronautics fund	3,400
26	IDG-MDOT, state trunkline fund	126,300
27	Federal revenues:	

1	DOI-NPS, historic preservation grants-in-aid	1,348,000
2	Federal funds	545,900
3	Special revenue funds:	
4	Private - grants and gifts	400,000
5	Private - Mann house trust fund	102,400
6	Game and fish protection fund	3,600
7	Heritage publication fund	700,000
8	Marine safety fund	500
9	Special revenue, internal service and pension trust.	70,700
10	State lottery fund	24,300
11	Waterways fund	800
12	State general fund/general purpose\$	5,209,700
13	Sec. 107. LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN	
14	Full-time equated classified positions72.0	
15	Book distribution centers\$	327,500
16	Collected gifts and fees	161,900
17	Grant to the Grand Rapids public library	100,000
18	Grant to the Detroit public library	500,000
19	Library of Michigan operations72.0 FTE positions	6,313,100
20	Library services and technology act	5,557,400
21	Preservation and access for Michigan project	1,500,000
22	State aid to libraries	13,732,100
23	Subregional state aid	505,000
24	Wayne County library for the blind and physically	
25	handicapped	44,800
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	28,741,800
27	Appropriated from:	

1	Federal revenues:
2	Library services and technology act 5,557,400
3	Special revenue funds:
4	Private - gifts and bequests revenues
5	User fees
6	State general fund/general purpose\$ 23,022,500
7	PART 2
8	PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS
9	GENERAL SECTIONS
10	Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state
11	constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources under
12	part 1 for fiscal year 2004-2005 is \$49,875,500.00 and state spending
13	from state resources to be paid to local units of government for
14	fiscal year 2004-2005 is \$18,535,400.00. The itemized statement below
15	identifies appropriations from which spending to units of local
16	government will occur:
17	DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES
18	Arts and cultural grants\$ 3,653,500
19	Grant to the Grand Rapids public library 100,000
20	Grant to the Detroit public library 500,000
21	State aid to libraries
22	Subregional state aid
23	Wayne County library for the blind and physically
24	handicapped
25	Total department of history, arts, and libraries \$ 18,535,400
26	Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are
27	subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to

- **1** 18.1594.
- 2 Sec. 203. As used in this appropriation act:
- 3 (a) "Department" means the department of history, arts, and
- 4 libraries.
- 5 (b) "Director" means the director of the department of history,
- 6 arts, and libraries.
- 7 (c) "DOI-NPS" means the United States department of interior,
- 8 national park service.
- 9 (d) "Fiscal agencies" means the house fiscal agency and
- 10 the senate fiscal agency.
- 11 (e) "FTE" means full-time equated.
- 12 (f) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
- 13 (g) "MDOT" means the Michigan department of transportation.
- 14 (h) "NEA" means the national endowment for the arts.
- 15 (i) "NFAH" means the national foundation of the arts and the
- 16 humanities.
- 17 (j) "Subcommittees" means all members of the appropriate
- 18 subcommittees of the house and senate appropriations committees.
- 19 Sec. 204. The department of civil service shall bill the
- 20 departments at the end of the first fiscal quarter for the 1% charge
- 21 authorized by section 5 of article XI of the state constitution of
- 22 1963. Payments shall be made for the total amount of the billing by
- 23 the end of the second fiscal quarter.
- 24 Sec. 205. (1) A hiring freeze is imposed on the state classified
- 25 civil service. State departments and agencies are prohibited from
- 26 hiring any new full-time state classified civil service employees and
- 27 prohibited from filling any vacant state classified civil service

- 1 positions. This hiring freeze does not apply to internal transfers of
- 2 classified employees from 1 position to another within a department.
- 3 (2) The state budget director shall grant exceptions to this
- 4 hiring freeze when the state budget director believes that the hiring
- 5 freeze will result in rendering a state department or agency unable to
- 6 deliver basic services, cause a loss of revenue to the state, result
- 7 in the inability of the state to receive federal funds, or would
- 8 necessitate additional expenditures that exceed any savings from
- 9 maintaining a vacancy. The state budget director shall report
- 10 quarterly to the chairpersons of the senate and house standing
- 11 committees on appropriations the number of exceptions to the hiring
- 12 freeze approved during the previous quarter and the reasons to justify
- 13 the exception.
- 14 Sec. 207. At least 60 days before beginning any effort to
- 15 privatize, the department shall submit a complete project plan to the
- 16 subcommittees and the fiscal agencies. The plan shall include the
- 17 criteria under which the privatization initiative will be evaluated.
- 18 The evaluation shall be completed and submitted to the fiscal agencies
- 19 and to the subcommittees within 30 months.
- 20 Sec. 208. Unless otherwise specified, the department receiving
- 21 appropriations in part 1 shall use the Internet to fulfill the
- 22 reporting requirements of this act. This may include transmission of
- 23 reports via electronic mail to the recipients identified for each
- 24 reporting requirement or it may include placement of reports on the
- 25 Internet or Intranet site.
- 26 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for the
- 27 purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if competitively

- 1 priced and of comparable quality American goods or services, or both,
- **2** are available. Preference should be given to goods or services, or
- 3 both, manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses if they are
- 4 competitively priced and of comparable value.
- 5 Sec. 210. The director shall take all reasonable steps to ensure
- 6 businesses in deprived and depressed communities compete for and
- 7 perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The
- 8 director shall strongly encourage firms with which the department
- 9 contracts to subcontract with certified businesses in depressed and
- 10 deprived communities for services, supplies, or both.
- 11 Sec. 211. The department shall establish and maintain
- 12 affirmative action programs based on guidelines developed by the state
- 13 equal opportunity workforce planning council which was created by
- 14 Executive Order No. 1996-13 in order to receive general fund/general
- 15 purpose dollars.
- 16 Sec. 213. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for information
- 17 technology, the department shall pay user fees to the department of
- 18 information technology for technology related services and projects.
- 19 The user fees shall be subject to provisions of an interagency
- 20 agreement between the departments and agencies and the department of
- 21 information technology.
- 22 Sec. 214. Amounts appropriated in part 1 for information
- 23 technology may be designated as work projects and carried forward to
- 24 support technology projects under the direction of the department of
- 25 information technology. Funds designated in this manner are not
- 26 available for expenditure until approved as work projects under
- 27 section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,

- 1 MCL 18.1451a.
- 2 Sec. 215. The department may provide and enter into agreements
- 3 to provide general services, training, meetings, information, special
- 4 equipment, software, and facility use, and technical consulting
- 5 services to other principal executive departments, state agencies,
- 6 local units of government, the judicial branch of government, other
- 7 organizations, and patrons of department facilities. Fees for
- 8 services shall be reasonably related to the cost of providing the
- 9 services and shall be used to offset the costs of the services. The
- 10 department may receive and expend funds in addition to those
- 11 authorized in part 1 for the following:
- 12 (a) Supplying census-related information and technical services,
- 13 publications, statistical studies, population projections and
- 14 estimates, and other demographic products.
- (b) Microfilming and other document and data imaging services,
- 16 media, storage, and copies.
- 17 (c) Patron copier and document reproduction services and copies.
- 18 (d) Conferences, training classes, and workshops conducted as part
- 19 of the department's mission.
- 20 (e) Use of specialized equipment, facilities, and software that
- 21 permit distance learning and meetings, and group decision making.
- 22 Funds not expended at year-end may be carried forward and expended for
- 23 the same purposes for which they were originally received.
- 24 (f) Special services including the rental of department exhibits
- 25 and collections. Funds not expended at year-end may be carried
- 26 forward and expended for the same purposes for which they were
- 27 originally received. The funds received under this section may be

- 1 deposited and expended from the history, arts, and libraries service
- 2 fund created in section 216.
- 3 Sec. 216. A fund known as the history, arts, and libraries
- 4 service fund is created in the department. The fund may be used to
- 5 receive and expend funds in addition to those authorized in part 1.
- 6 The fund balance may be carried forward by the department for
- 7 expenditure in subsequent fiscal years.
- 8 Sec. 217. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 9 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 for
- 10 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 11 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item in
- 12 this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- **13** PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 14 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 15 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for state
- 16 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 17 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item in
- 18 this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- **19** PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 20 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 21 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00 for local contingency
- 22 funds. These funds are not available for expenditure until they have
- 23 been transferred to another line item in this act under section 393(2)
- 24 of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 25 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 26 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for private
- 27 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure

- 1 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 2 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- **3** MCL 18.1393.

4 MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

- 5 Sec. 401. (1) The Michigan council for arts and cultural affairs
- 6 in the department shall administer the arts and cultural grants
- 7 appropriated in part 1. The council shall provide for fair and
- 8 independent decisions on arts and cultural grant requests based upon
- 9 published criteria to evaluate program quality. These criteria shall
- 10 include a prohibition of art projects that include displays of human
- 11 wastes on religious symbols, displays of sex acts, and depictions of
- 12 flag desecration. The council shall seek to award grants on an
- 13 equitable geographic basis to the extent possible given the quality of
- 14 grant applications received. Priority shall be given to projects that
- 15 serve multiple counties and that leverage significant additional
- 16 public and private investment. Counties, cities, villages, townships,
- 17 community foundations, and organizations, including science
- 18 museums/centers, may apply for the following categories of grants:
- 19 (a) Anchor organization program for organizations that serve
- 20 regional and statewide audiences. Anchor organizations shall
- 21 demonstrate a commitment to education, to mentoring smaller
- 22 organizations, and to reaching underserved audiences.
- (b) Arts projects program.
- 24 (c) Arts and learning program.
- 25 (d) Artists in residence for education program.
- 26 (e) Arts organization development program.

- 1 (f) Capital improvement program.
- 2 (g) Local arts agencies services program.
- 3 (h) Regional regranting program.
- 4 (i) Partnership program.
- 5 (j) Discretionary grants program.
- **6** (k) Rural arts and cultural program.
- 7 (l) Cultural projects program.
- 8 (m) Historical projects program.
- 9 (2) The appropriation for arts and cultural grants in part 1 and
- 10 disbursed under this section shall, at a minimum, be matched on an
- 11 equal dollar-for-dollar basis from local and private contributions
- 12 paid and received by each awardee receiving grants under this
- 13 section. The dollar-for-dollar match may include the reasonable value
- 14 of services, materials, and equipment as allowed under the federal
- 15 internal revenue code for charitable contributions subject also to the
- 16 preapproval of the match by the Michigan council for arts and cultural
- 17 affairs. The council shall receive proof of the entire amount of the
- 18 matching funds, services, materials, or equipment by the end of the
- 19 award period.
- 20 (3) Before any amount appropriated for arts and cultural grants in
- 21 part 1 may be expended for a grant to eligible applicants for the
- 22 purposes in this section, the department shall execute a grant
- 23 agreement with each grantee. The grant agreement shall specify the
- 24 criteria included in this section with which the application
- 25 complies. The grant agreement shall include a list of the projects
- 26 funded.
- 27 (4) Counties, cities, villages, townships, community foundations,

- 1 and organizations receiving funds under this section shall provide the
- 2 Michigan council for arts and cultural affairs with the following:
- 3 (a) A final report covering the grant period within 30 days after
- 4 the end of the grant period indicating at least the following:
- 5 (i) Project revenues and expenditures indicating grant matching
- 6 fund amounts.
- 7 (ii) Number of patrons attracted or benefiting during the grant
- 8 period.
- 9 (iii) A narrative summary of each project and its outcome.
- 10 (b) Awardees receiving grants greater than \$100,000.00 shall also
- 11 submit a report as identified in subdivision (a) on an interim basis
- 12 by April 7 of the grant year.
- 13 (5) The applicants for arts and cultural grants funds shall be
- 14 charged a nonrefundable application fee of \$300.00 or 3% of the grant,
- 15 whichever is less. The application fee may be used by the department
- 16 to recover direct and indirect costs as appropriated in part 1.
- 17 (6) It is the intent of the legislature that the Michigan council
- 18 for arts and cultural affairs continue to take appropriate steps to
- 19 ensure that all organizations receiving state arts anchor organization
- 20 grants have combined grant awards, as defined in subsection (8), of no
- 21 more than 15.0% of operating revenue for the fiscal year ending
- 22 September 30, 2005 and beyond. As used in this subsection, "operating
- 23 revenue" is defined in the same manner as it was defined during the
- 24 fiscal year 2000 state arts anchor organization application process.
- 25 (7) The council shall continue and expand its efforts to encourage
- 26 and support nonprofit arts and cultural organizations transitioning
- 27 from solely volunteer-based organizations to professionally directed

- 1 operations. This includes the provision of funds and services from
- 2 the arts organization development, partnership, arts projects, anchor
- 3 organization, and regional regranting programs as well as the rural
- 4 arts and culture initiative to support professional development within
- 5 these organizations. Criteria for support include the requirement of
- 6 collaboration between these organizations and other community
- 7 organizations.
- 8 (8) Any organizations receiving grants within the anchor
- 9 organization program category in excess of 10.0% of their operating
- 10 revenue for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004 shall not
- 11 receive a combined grant award from all grant categories, except the
- 12 partnership program, that is greater than the combined grant award
- 13 from these categories that the organization received for the fiscal
- 14 year ending September 30, 2004. As used in this subsection,
- 15 "operating revenue" is defined in the same manner as it was defined
- 16 during the fiscal year 2000 state arts anchor organization application
- 17 process.
- 18 (9) The council shall provide for fair, equitable, and efficient
- 19 distribution of funds granted through the regional regranting
- 20 program. The council shall provide for an annual assessment of grant
- 21 management and distribution of mini-grant awards by designated
- 22 regional regranting agencies and review the methodology employed.
- 23 (10) The council shall make every effort to provide total grant
- 24 awards in the anchor organization program at a level not to exceed 70%
- 25 of the total amount appropriated for arts and cultural grants.
- 26 (11) The department shall submit 2 annual reports to the
- 27 appropriations subcommittees, the state budget office, and the fiscal

- 1 agencies as follows:
- 2 (a) The first report is due 30 days after the council makes the
- 3 annual grant awards. The report shall contain the following:
- 4 (i) A listing of each applicant.
- 5 (ii) The county of residence of an applicant.
- 6 (iii) The amount awarded.
- 7 (iv) The amount requested.
- (v) The grant category under which an applicant applied.
- 9 (vi) A summary of projects funded for each awardee.
- (vii) The expected number of patrons for an applicant during the
- 11 grant period.
- 12 (viii) The amount of matching funds proposed by an applicant.
- 13 (ix) The review score for each application.
- 14 (x) A listing containing the information in subparagraphs (i) to
- 15 (iii) for any regranted funds in the preceding fiscal year.
- 16 (b) The second report is due when materials are first distributed
- 17 by the council seeking grant applications for the subsequent fiscal
- 18 year. The report shall contain the following:
- 19 (i) The guidelines by which the council awards grants.
- 20 (ii) A summary of any changes in the program guidelines from the
- 21 previous fiscal year.
- 22 (iii) A summary of any initiatives the council is taking to
- 23 improve public access to the arts and culture, including, but not
- 24 limited to, the use of technology applications.
- 25 (12) Within 1 business day following the final council vote, the
- 26 department shall notify each legislator electronically regarding the
- 27 website location of the list of grant awardees by county receiving a

- 1 grant from arts and cultural grant funds appropriated in part 1.
- 2 (13) From the state funds appropriated in part 1 for arts and
- 3 cultural grants, no 1 organization may receive more than 18% of this
- 4 funding. It is the intent of the legislature that this percentage be
- 5 reduced to 17% in fiscal year 2006, 16% in fiscal year 2007, and 15%
- 6 in fiscal year 2008.

7 MICHIGAN HISTORICAL PROGRAM

- 8 Sec. 501. The federal funds appropriated in part 1 for the
- 9 historic site preservation grants are for work projects and shall not
- 10 lapse at the end of the fiscal year but shall continue to be available
- 11 for expenditure until the projects for which the funds were reserved
- 12 have been completed or are terminated. The purpose of these work
- 13 projects is the identification, designation, and preservation of
- 14 historic resources. The method used will be to solicit applications
- 15 from eligible recipients, score applications based upon established
- 16 criteria, and award the contracts and subgrants. The total cost is
- 17 \$1,348,000.00 and the tentative completion date is September 30,
- **18** 2006.
- 19 Sec. 502. Funds collected by the department under sections 6, 7,
- 20 and 7a of 1913 PA 271, MCL 399.6, 399.7, and 399.7a, are appropriated
- 21 to the department for the purpose for which they were received and may
- 22 be carried forward for expenditure in subsequent fiscal years.
- 23 Sec. 503. For the purposes of administering the museum store as
- 24 provided in section 7a of 1913 PA 271, MCL 399.7a, the department is
- 25 exempt from section 261 of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- 26 MCL 18.1261.

- 1 Sec. 504. (1) From the state funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 2 department may award discretionary historical grants to preserve
- 3 Michigan lighthouses. The department may award up to \$91,500.00 in
- 4 grants for this purpose and may use a portion of those funds to assist
- 5 in the transfer of lighthouses from federal ownership. A portion of
- 6 the funds may also be dedicated to program administration and project
- 7 coordination.
- 8 (2) The department shall allocate grant funds under this section
- 9 pursuant to eligibility and scoring requirements established by the
- 10 department. The method used will be to solicit applications from
- 11 eligible recipients, score applications based on the established
- 12 criteria, and award grants through executed contracts.
- 13 (3) Grants under this section may be awarded for purposes of
- 14 stabilization, rehabilitation, or other preservation work on a
- 15 Michigan lighthouse, but shall not be awarded for operational
- 16 purposes. The department shall not allocate a grant under this
- 17 section that exceeds \$40,000.00.
- 18 Sec. 505. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for historical
- 19 administration and services, \$49,700.00 shall be allocated to support
- 20 the operations of the Michigan freedom trail commission as specified
- 21 in section 4 of the Michigan freedom trail commission act, 1998
- 22 PA 409, MCL 399.84. These funds shall be used to reimburse commission
- 23 members, to pay for necessary contractual services of the commission,
- 24 and to hire not more than 1.0 FTE position in the department's
- 25 Michigan historical center to support commission operations.
- 26 Sec. 506. Proceeds in excess of costs incurred in the conduct of
- 27 auctions, sales, or transfers of artifacts no longer considered

- 1 suitable for the collections of the state historical museum are
- 2 appropriated to the department and may be expended upon receipt for
- 3 additional material for the collection. The department shall notify
- 4 the chairpersons, vice chairpersons, and minority vice chairpersons of
- 5 the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on history, arts,
- 6 and libraries 1 week prior to any auctions or sales.
- 7 Sec. 507. Unless prohibited by law, the department shall make
- 8 available to the historical society of Michigan the use of the
- 9 Michigan history magazine subscriber list, or a portion of the
- 10 Michigan history magazine subscriber list, at a cost not to exceed the
- 11 actual expense incurred for providing a single mailing.
- 12 Sec. 508. From the funds appropriated in part 1 in the
- 13 historical administration and services line item, \$100,000.00 shall be
- 14 used to fund a competitive grant program for all state and local
- 15 historical societies. Awards shall be made for projects that can
- 16 leverage additional public and private investment and may involve, but
- 17 are not limited to, capital improvements projects, restorations,
- 18 research, educational programs, and publications.

19 LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN

- 20 Sec. 601. In order to receive subregional state aid as
- 21 appropriated in part 1 to the library of Michigan, a subregional
- 22 library's fiscal agency must agree to maintain local funding support
- 23 at the same level in the current fiscal year as in the fiscal agency's
- 24 preceding fiscal year. If a reduction in expenditures equally affects
- 25 all agencies in a local unit of government that is the subregional
- 26 library's fiscal agency, that reduction shall not be interpreted as a
- 27 reduction in local support and shall not disqualify a subregional

- 1 library from receiving state aid under part 1. If a reduction in
- 2 income affects a library cooperative or district library that is a
- 3 subregional library's fiscal agency or a reduction in expenditures for
- 4 the subregional library's fiscal agency, a reduction in expenditures
- 5 for the subregional library shall not be interpreted as a reduction in
- 6 local support and shall not disqualify a subregional library from
- 7 receiving state aid under part 1.
- 8 Sec. 602. The funds appropriated in part 1 for a subregional
- 9 library shall not be released until a budget for that subregional
- 10 library has been approved by the department for expenditures for
- 11 library services directly serving the blind and persons with
- 12 disabilities. Subregional state aid shall be used only for providing
- 13 services to the blind and to persons with disabilities.
- 14 Sec. 603. Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for the operation
- 15 of the library of Michigan, a portion may be used for statewide
- 16 database access such as making computerized databases, searches of
- 17 those databases, and the products of those searches available through
- 18 the libraries of Michigan. Only those libraries that qualify under
- 19 the federal library services and technology act, subtitle B of title
- 20 II of the museum and library services act, title II of the arts,
- 21 humanities, and cultural affairs act of 1976, Public Law 94-462, 110
- 22 Stat. 3009-295, are eligible to participate in these activities.
- 23 Sec. 607. Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for book
- 24 distribution centers, the public enrichment foundation shall receive
- 25 \$165,700.00 and the Michigan friends of education shall receive
- 26 \$161,800.00.
- 27 Sec. 608. The department shall submit a report on or before

- 1 October 31, 2005 to the senate and house standing committees on
- 2 appropriations that details the use of funds appropriated in part 1
- 3 within the grant to the Grand Rapids public library appropriation line
- 4 and the grant to the Detroit public library appropriation line.
- 5 Sec. 609. The appropriation in part 1 for the preservation and
- 6 access for Michigan project shall be used to digitize materials
- 7 currently in the possession of libraries in the state and to preserve,
- 8 store, and make these digitized images accessible via the Michigan
- 9 electronic library. The subject materials are to be significant in
- 10 the state's history, the only existing copies of unique items, or of
- 11 broad interest to the citizens of Michigan.