HOUSE BILL No. 6583

September 20, 2006, Introduced by Reps. Pearce, Kooiman, Stahl and Pastor and referred to the Committee on Family and Children Services.

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled "The social welfare act,"

(MCL 400.1 to 400.119b) by adding section 57p.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 57P. (1) IF AN APPLICANT FOR FAMILY INDEPENDENCE
- 2 ASSISTANCE WHO RESIDED IN THIS STATE FOR LESS THAN 1 YEAR ASSERTS
- 3 THAT HE OR SHE DID NOT RECEIVE CASH ASSISTANCE OR OTHER MEDICAL
- 4 ASSISTANCE FROM THE STATE OR STATES HE OR SHE RESIDED IN
- 5 PREVIOUSLY, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DO BOTH OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 6 (A) DETERMINE THE STATE OR STATES OF RESIDENCE FOR THE
- 7 APPLICANT IN THE YEAR IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE DATE OF APPLICATION
 - FOR FAMILY INDEPENDENCE ASSISTANCE.
 - (B) DETERMINE IF THE APPLICANT RECEIVED ANY TYPE OF CASH
- 10 ASSISTANCE OR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BENEFITS FROM THE STATE OR STATES

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- 1 IN WHICH HE OR SHE RESIDED.
- 2 (2) IF THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT AN INDIVIDUAL RECEIVED
- 3 ASSISTANCE IN A STATE OTHER THAN MICHIGAN, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
- 4 DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF TIME THAT THE APPLICANT RECEIVED ASSISTANCE
- 5 IN THAT STATE. THE AMOUNT OF TIME THE APPLICANT RECEIVED ASSISTANCE
- 6 IN A STATE OTHER THAN MICHIGAN, AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT,
- 7 SHALL BE COUNTED IN THE APPLICANT'S 48-MONTH LIFETIME CUMULATIVE
- 8 TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONTHS TO RECEIVE FAMILY INDEPENDENCE ASSISTANCE
- 9 UNDER THIS ACT.