HOUSE BILL No. 4148

January 29, 1997, Introduced by Reps. Kelly, DeHart, Schermesser, Bogardus, Prusi, Tesanovich, Varga, LaForge, Scott, Gagliardi and Pitoniak and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled "The state school aid act of 1979,"
(MCL 388.1601 to 388.1772) by adding section 95a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 95A. (1) MEMBERS OF ELECTED DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARDS ARE
- 2 ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE IN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS IN
- 3 EDUCATION AND LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT THAT ARE DESIGNED SPECIF-
- 4 ICALLY FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS. IF A DISTRICT WITH A SCHOOL
- 5 BOARD PROVIDES EVIDENCE SATISFACTORY TO THE DEPARTMENT DEMON-
- 6 STRATING THAT ALL NEW SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS HAVE PARTICIPATED IN
- 7 THIS TYPE OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WITHIN 1 YEAR OF TAKING
- 8 OFFICE, THERE IS ALLOCATED TO THE DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR IN
- 9 WHICH THAT EVIDENCE IS PROVIDED AN AMOUNT PER PARTICIPATING NEW
- 10 SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER EQUAL TO 50% OF THE STATE BASIC FOUNDATION

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- $oldsymbol{1}$ allowance for the current state fiscal year, as calculated under
- **2** SECTION 20(2).
- 3 (2) FROM THE APPROPRIATION IN SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED
- 4 FOR THE 1996-97 FISCAL YEAR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$5,000,000.00
- 5 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION.

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