## **HOUSE BILL No. 4904**

September 7, 2011, Introduced by Reps. Somerville and Muxlow and referred to the Committee on Families, Children, and Seniors.

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled

"The social welfare act,"

(MCL 400.1 to 400.119b) by adding sections 10c and 57v.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 10C. FOR THE PURPOSES OF DETERMINING FINANCIAL
- 2 ELIGIBILITY FOR FOOD ASSISTANCE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL APPLY AN
- 3 ASSET TEST THAT REQUIRES ELIGIBLE HOUSEHOLDS TO HAVE NOT MORE THAN
- 4 \$3,000.00 IN COUNTABLE ASSETS IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FOOD
- 5 ASSISTANCE.
- 6 SEC. 57V. FOR THE PURPOSES OF DETERMINING FINANCIAL
- 7 ELIGIBILITY FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS ACT, MONEY RECEIVED
- 8 FROM LOTTERY OR OTHER GAMBLING WINNINGS SHALL BE CONSIDERED
- 9 COUNTABLE INCOME WHETHER THE MONEY IS RECEIVED IN A LUMP-SUM

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1 PAYMENT OR ON A MONTHLY PAYOUT BASIS.