

# HOUSE BILL No. 4002

January 11, 1989, Introduced by Rep. Terrell and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Youth.

A bill to amend Act No. 280 of the Public Acts of 1939, entitled as amended "The social welfare act," as amended, being sections 400.1 to 400.121 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, by adding sections 18e and 18f.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Act No. 280 of the Public Acts of 1939, as  
2 amended, being sections 400.1 to 400.121 of the Michigan Compiled  
3 Laws, is amended by adding sections 18e and 18f to read as  
4 follows:

5 SEC. 18E. THE SHELTER FOR THE HOMELESS FUND IS CREATED  
6 WITHIN THE STATE TREASURY TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE  
7 DEPARTMENT. THE FUND SHALL CONSIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS OF MONEY  
8 FROM INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS, OR OTHER ASSOCIATIONS, AND ANY  
9 STATE APPROPRIATIONS OR FEDERAL FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE

1 PURPOSES OF THE FUND. THE FUND SHALL BE USED BY THE STATE  
2 DEPARTMENT FOR THE PURPOSES DESCRIBED IN SECTION 18F.

3 SEC. 18F. (1) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL USE THE MONEY IN  
4 THE SHELTER FOR THE HOMELESS FUND TO SUPPORT NEW OR EXISTING  
5 SHELTERS FOR HOMELESS PERSONS, INCLUDING SHELTERS THAT ARE ESTAB-  
6 LISHED FOR THE PURPOSE OF TEMPORARILY HOUSING INDIVIDUALS AND  
7 FAMILIES WHO HAVE BEEN DISPLACED FROM THEIR HOMES THROUGH UNEM-  
8 PLOYMENT, DOMESTIC CONFLICT, ILLNESS, OR OTHER EMERGENCY, UNTIL  
9 THOSE INDIVIDUALS OR FAMILIES ARE ABLE TO RETURN TO REGULAR RESI-  
10 DENTIAL HOUSING. A SHELTER THAT RECEIVES MONEY FROM THE FUND  
11 SHALL SERVE MEALS, OR ARRANGE TO HAVE MEALS SERVED, TO THE  
12 SHELTER'S RESIDENTS.

13 (2) THE STATE DEPARTMENT MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF GOODS AND  
14 SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSES DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION. THE STATE  
15 DEPARTMENT SHALL COOPERATE WITH INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS, AND  
16 OTHER ASSOCIATIONS TO SEEK DONATIONS OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOR  
17 ACCEPTANCE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.