## **HOUSE BILL No. 4029**

February 1, 1989, Introduced by Rep. Perry Bullard and referred to the Committee on Corporations and Finance.

A bill to amend section 8 of Act No. 217 of the Public Acts of 1985, entitled

"An act to establish an employee-owned corporation revolving loan fund; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and employee-owned corporations; and to make an appropriation,"

being section 450.808 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Section 8 of Act No. 217 of the Public Acts of
- 2 1985, being section 450.808 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
- 3 amended to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 8. The department shall establish the interest rate at
- 5 which money may be loaned under this act. However, the minimum
- 6 interest rate at which money may be loaned is 6% less than the
- 7 current United States treasury rate for a loan of a similar size,
- 8 purpose, and period of maturity, or the maximum interest rate

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- 1 permitted under section to of the municipal finance act, Act
- 2 No. 202 of the Public Acts of 1943, being section 133.1a of the
- 3 Michigan Compiled Laws, whichever is less. AT THE TIME OF THE
- 4 LOAN CLOSING, THE INTEREST RATE CHARGED BY THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
- 5 BE SET AT 3% LESS THAN THE PRIME RATE AS PUBLISHED IN THE PREVI-
- 6 OUS MONDAY EDITION OF THE WALL STREET JOURNAL, BUT SHALL NOT BE
- 7 GREATER THAN 12%.