SENATE BILL No. 487

June 8, 1989, Introduced by Senators NICHOLS, WELBORN, DI NELLO and SHINKLE and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend section 510 of Act No. 281 of the Public Acts of 1967, entitled

"Income tax act of 1967,"

as amended by Act No. 261 of the Public Acts of 1988, being section 206.510 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. Section 510 of Act No. 281 of the Public Acts of
- 2 1967, as amended by Act No. 261 of the Public Acts of 1988, being
- 3 section 206.510 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read
- 4 as follows:
- 5 Sec. 510. (1) "Income" means, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED
- 6 IN THIS SUBSECTION, the sum of -federal- adjusted gross income as
- 7 defined in SECTION 62 OF the internal revenue code plus all
- 8 income specifically excluded or exempt from the computations of
- 9 the federal adjusted gross income, except that, beginning with

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- 1 the 1988 tax year, a deduction for a carryback or carryover of a
- 2 net operating loss shall not exceed federal modified taxable
- 3 income as -defined DESCRIBED in section 172(b)(2) of the inter-
- 4 nal revenue code. The term INCOME does not include the first
- 5 \$300.00 of gifts in cash or kind from nongovernmental sources or
- 6 the first \$300.00 received from awards, prizes, lottery, bingo,
- 7 or other gambling winnings. Income does not include surplus
- 8 foods, relief in kind supplied by a governmental agency, payments
- 9 or credits under this act, any governmental grant that has to be
- 10 used by the claimant for rehabilitation of the homestead, amounts
- 11 deducted from monthly social security or railroad retirement ben-
- 12 efits for medicare premiums, or contributions by an employer to
- 13 life, accident, or health insurance plans. Income does not
- 14. include energy assistance grants and energy assistance tax
- 15 credits. Beginning with the 1977 tax year and for tax years
- 16 after 1977, IN CALCULATING INCOME UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, a person
- 17 who is enrolled in an accident or health insurance plan may
- 18 deduct from income the amount the person has paid in premiums
- 19 in the tax year for that insurance plan for the person's family.
- 20 IN CALCULATING INCOME UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, A PERSON MAY DEDUCT
- 21 FROM INCOME THE AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS TO SUPPORT CHILDREN, AS
- 22 DESCRIBED AND CALCULATED UNDER SECTION 71(c) OF THE INTERNAL REV-
- 23 ENUE CODE, MADE BY THE PERSON.
- 24 (2) "Owner" means a natural person who owns or is purchasing
- 25 a homestead under a mortgage or land contract, who owns or is
- 26 purchasing a dwelling situated on the leased lands of another, or

- 1 who is a tenant-stockholder of a cooperative housing
- 2 corporation.

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