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Michigan House of Representatives
State Capitol
Lansing, Michigan 48909-7514

Dear Legislators:

Today I have signed Enrolled House Bill 5394, which authorizes \$492,800 in fiscal year 2010 supplemental appropriations for the Departments of Education and Transportation. However, I am returning it to you because of several items of which I disapprove, pursuant to Article V, Section 19, of the Michigan Constitution. The specific vetoes are contained in the attached copy of the bill, which has been filed with the Secretary of State.

I am concerned with the boilerplate provision that requires the Library of Michigan to maintain custody of the non-Michigan genealogy and federal documents collections and to not sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of these collections. I want to preserve the Library of Michigan's flexibility in exploring suitable candidates to assume the custodial responsibilities of these collections. Therefore, I have vetoed sections 101(7), 302, and 1001.

I thank the Legislature for its work on this legislation.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer M. Granholm".

Jennifer M. Granholm
Governor

cc: Michigan Senate
The Honorable Terri Lynn Land