

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4544**

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled
"The social welfare act,"
(MCL 400.1 to 400.119b) by adding section 10g.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **SEC. 10G. (1) FOR ANY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR WHICH FINANCIAL**
2 **ELIGIBILITY IS DETERMINED UNDER THIS ACT, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL**
3 **DISREGARD IN ITS FINANCIAL ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION MONEY**
4 **ASSOCIATED WITH A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY'S ABLE SAVINGS ACCOUNT,**
5 **INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:**

6 **(A) MONEY IN A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY'S ABLE SAVINGS ACCOUNT.**

7 **(B) EARNINGS ON MONEY IN A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY'S ABLE**
8 **SAVINGS ACCOUNT.**

9 **(C) CONTRIBUTIONS TO A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY'S OWN ABLE**
10 **SAVINGS ACCOUNT.**

1 (D) DISTRIBUTIONS FROM AN ABLE SAVINGS ACCOUNT FOR THE
2 DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY'S QUALIFIED DISABILITY EXPENSES.

3 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ABLE SAVINGS ACCOUNT",
4 "DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY", AND "QUALIFIED DISABILITY EXPENSES" MEAN
5 THOSE TERMS AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2 OF THE MICHIGAN ACHIEVING A
6 BETTER LIFE EXPERIENCE (ABLE) PROGRAM ACT.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
8 after the date it is enacted into law.

9 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
10 unless all of the following bills of the 98th Legislature are
11 enacted into law:

12 (a) Senate Bill No. 360.

13 (b) House Bill No. 4542.

14 (c) House Bill No. 4543.