

SENATE BILL No. 1374

June 12, 2008, Introduced by Senator THOMAS and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A bill to amend 2001 PA 63, entitled
"History, arts, and libraries act,"
by amending the title and section 2 (MCL 399.702), section 2 as
amended by 2008 PA 85, and by adding section 9.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 TITLE

2 An act to create a department of history, arts, and libraries;
3 to provide for its administration; ~~and~~ to provide for its powers,
4 duties, functions, and responsibilities; **AND TO ESTABLISH THE**
5 **HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES FUND.**

6 Sec. 2. As used in this act:

7 (a) "Council" means the Michigan council for arts and cultural
8 affairs established by Executive Order No. 1991-21.

9 (b) "Department" means the department of history, arts, and

1 libraries created in section 3.

2 (c) "Director" means the director of the department.

3 (D) "FUND" MEANS THE HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES FUND CREATED
4 IN SECTION 9

5 (E) ~~(d)~~—"Person" means an individual, partnership,
6 corporation, association, governmental entity, or other legal
7 entity.

8 (F) ~~(e)~~—"Type II transfer" means that term as it is defined in
9 section 3 of the executive organization act of 1965, 1965 PA 380,
10 MCL 16.103.

11 SEC. 9. (1) THE HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES FUND IS CREATED
12 IN THE DEPARTMENT. THE FUND SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY THE
13 DEPARTMENT, AND MONEY IN THE FUND SHALL BE EXPENDED ONLY TO FUND
14 GRANTS ADMINISTERED BY THE COUNCIL.

15 (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CREDIT TO THE FUND ALL AMOUNTS
16 APPROPRIATED TO THE FUND UNDER THIS ACT AND ANY MONEY RECEIVED AS
17 CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PURPOSES UNDER THIS ACT, INCLUDING MONEY CREDITED
18 TO THE FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 435 OF THE INCOME TAX ACT OF 1967,
19 1967 PA 281, MCL 206.435, ANY INTEREST AND EARNINGS ACCRUING FROM
20 THE SAVING AND INVESTMENT OF THAT MONEY, AND ANY OTHER
21 APPROPRIATIONS, MONEY, OR OTHER THINGS OF VALUE RECEIVED BY THE
22 FUND.

23 (3) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL DIRECT THE INVESTMENT OF THE
24 FUND.

25 (4) MONEY APPROPRIATED OR MONEY RECEIVED AS A CONTRIBUTION TO
26 THE FUND SHALL BE AVAILABLE FOR DISBURSEMENT UPON APPROPRIATION.

27 (5) MONEY IN THE FUND AT THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR SHALL REMAIN IN

1 THE FUND AND SHALL NOT LAPSE TO THE GENERAL FUND.

2 (6) BY NOVEMBER 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE A
3 REPORT TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES APPROPRIATIONS
4 SUBCOMMITTEES ON HISTORY, ARTS, AND LIBRARIES OF ALL REVENUES TO
5 AND EXPENDITURES FROM THE FUND. THE REPORT SHALL INCLUDE AN
6 ESTIMATED FUND BALANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
8 unless Senate Bill No. 1373

9 of the 94th Legislature is enacted into law.