

SENATE BILL NO. 1231

November 29, 2022, Introduced by Senators ANANICH and GEISS and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 203, entitled
"Foster care and adoption services act,"
(MCL 722.951 to 722.960) by adding section 4f.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 4f. (1) Beginning January 1, 2023 and subject to
2 appropriation, the department must provide a 1-time stipend of
3 \$1,500.00 to youth who are exiting foster care upon reaching 18
4 years of age. The 1-time stipend is to be used toward a deposit of
5 first and last month's rent for the youth.

6 (2) The 1-time stipend described in subsection (1) must be

- 1 paid directly to the landlord upon the youth securing a lease after
- 2 exiting foster care upon reaching 18 years of age.