

Messages from the Governor

The following line item veto from the Governor was received and read:

Executive Office, Lansing, April 12, 2012

Michigan House of Representatives

State Capitol

Lansing, MI 48909-7536

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Today I have signed **Enrolled House Bill 4289**, which makes supplemental appropriations for various departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012.

However, I have disapproved one item pursuant to Section 19 of Article V of the Michigan Constitution of 1963. My action results in the veto of Section 301, which targets up to \$10 million (\$3.4 million general fund/general purpose) to a limited group of hospitals for uncompensated care. This provision uses disproportionate share hospital funds that the fiscal year 2013 Executive Budget recommends carrying forward for use in fiscal year 2013. The specific item veto is contained in the attached copy of the bill that has been filed with the Secretary of State.

I thank the Legislature its work on this bill.

Respectfully,

Rick Snyder

Governor

The bill was signed by the Governor April 12, 2012, at 11:57 a.m.