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AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 46, CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING
SECTION 46-219; RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Title 46, chapter 2, article 1, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 46-219, to read:
4 46-219. Ineligibility for assistance; affidavit; rule making
5 A. A PERSON SHALL NOT RECEIVE ASSISTANCE OR CASH ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS
6 TITLE IF THE PERSON IS FOUND:
7 1. IN POSSESSION OF, CONSUMING OR PURCHASING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES,
8 TOBACCO PRODUCTS OR ILLEGAL DRUGS.
9 2. WITH A CELLULAR PHONE IF THE CELLULAR PHONE IS NOT THE ONLY PHONE
10 IN THE PERSON'S HOME.
11 3. WITH A CELLULAR PHONE CONTRACT THAT INCLUDES MORE THAN BASIC PHONE
12 SERVICE.
13 4. PURCHASING AN AUTOMOBILE THAT IS WORTH MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND
14 DOLLARS.
15 5. PURCHASING A TELEVISION THAT IS WORTH MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED
16 DOLLARS.
17 6. WITH A CABLE TELEVISION CONTRACT THAT PROVIDES MORE THAN BASIC
18 CABLE TELEVISION SERVICE.
19 B. ON DETERMINATION AND REDETERMINATION OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE BENEFITS,
20 EACH APPLICANT AND RECIPIENT SHALL SIGN A SWORN AFFIDAVIT STATING THAT THE
21 APPLICANT OR RECIPIENT WILL COMPLY WITH SUBSECTION A.
22 C. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ADOPT RULES TO IMPLEMENT THIS SECTION.