

HOUSE BILL No. 4292

February 15, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Rocca, Hoffman, Bartnik, DeMars, Owen, Hertel and Muxlow and referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs.

A bill to amend section 4 of Act No. 273 of the Public Acts of 1986, entitled

"An act to establish a Michigan educational opportunity grant program for resident qualified students enrolled in eligible public postsecondary schools; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies,"

being section 390.1404 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 4 of Act No. 273 of the Public Acts of
2 1986, being section 390.1404 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
3 amended to read as follows:

4 Sec. 4. A student is eligible to participate in the MEOG
5 program under this act if the student meets ALL OF the following
6 requirements:

1 (a) Has resided in this state continuously for the 12 months
2 preceding his or her application for a MEOG and is not considered
3 a resident of any other state.

4 (b) Is not incarcerated in a corrections institute.

5 (c) Is enrolled in at least a half-time undergraduate pro-
6 gram of study at a postsecondary school that meets the require-
7 ments of section 3.

8 (d) Is certified by the financial aid officer at the post-
9 secondary school as needing the grant in order to meet recognized
10 educational expenses.

11 (e) Is a United States citizen or permanent resident.

12 (f) Is not in default on a loan guaranteed by the
13 authority.

14 (G) HAS NOT BEEN CONVICTED OF HARASSMENT OF MILITARY PERSON-
15 NEL IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 147C OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE, ACT
16 NO. 328 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1931, BEING SECTION 750.147C OF THE
17 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

18 (2) A student shall maintain satisfactory academic progress,
19 as defined by the postsecondary school in which the student is
20 enrolled, to remain eligible for a MEOG under this act.

21 (3) A student shall not be eligible for a MEOG for more than
22 10 semesters of undergraduate education, or its equivalent in
23 trimesters or quarters, or the equivalent as determined by the
24 authority for less than full-time students.

25 (4) If a student possessing a degree at a given academic
26 level enrolls for a second degree at the same or lower academic
27 level, the authority shall include MEOGs received by the student

1 when he or she was enrolled for the previous degree at the same
2 or lower level in determining the student's eligibility under
3 this act.

4 Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless
5 Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. 4294 (request
6 no. 02319'91) of the 86th Legislature is enacted into law.