

HOUSE BILL No. 4296

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

A bill to amend section 4 of Act No. 208 of the Public Acts of 1964, entitled as amended

"An act to grant scholarships to students enrolled in postsecondary education institutions; and to provide for the administration of the scholarship program,"

as amended by Act No. 270 of the Public Acts of 1986, being section 390.974 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 4 of Act No. 208 of the Public Acts of
2 1964, as amended by Act No. 270 of the Public Acts of 1986, being
3 section 390.974 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read
4 as follows:

5 Sec. 4. (1) An applicant is eligible for the award of a
6 first-year scholarship if the authority finds that the applicant
7 MEETS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

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

3 (b) Has graduated from a high school, or is a student in
4 good standing in a high school who will graduate at the end of
5 the academic year, or an individual who has passed a graduate
6 equivalency examination approved by the state board of education,
7 or, if not a high school graduate, is recommended favorably by an
8 appropriate educational institution as defined in rules promul-
9 gated by the authority.

10 (c) Except for the applicant for a graduate scholarship,
11 based upon the state competitive scholarship examination, the
12 applicant shows promise of satisfactorily completing a course of
13 study at an approved postsecondary institution of the applicant's
14 choice in this state. For an applicant for a graduate scholar-
15 ship, the authority shall determine the examination standards for
16 eligibility.

17 (d) Has complied with this act and the rules promulgated
18 under this act by the authority.

19 (e) Is not incarcerated in a corrections institution.

20 (F) HAS NOT BEEN CONVICTED OF HARASSMENT OF MILITARY PERSON-
21 NEL IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 147C OF THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE, ACT
22 NO. 328 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1931, BEING SECTION 750.147C OF THE
23 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

24 (2) An applicant who the authority determines is eligible
25 for award of a scholarship under this act shall complete using
26 the scholarship within 10 years after his or her eligibility is
27 determined.

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