

# HOUSE BILL No. 4755

June 3, 1999, Introduced by Reps. Thomas, Schermesser, Pappageorge, Wojno, Rivet, Howell, Bovin, Cherry, Baird, Lemmons, Ehardt, Hale, DeHart, Schauer, Minore, Jacobs, Jellema, Scott, Voorhees, Brater, Vaughn and Kilpatrick and referred to the Committee on Conservation and Outdoor Recreation.

A bill to amend 1984 PA 22, entitled  
"Michigan civilian conservation corps act,"  
by amending section 6 (MCL 409.306), as amended by 1998 PA 71.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1       Sec. 6. (1) A person is eligible to become a corpsmember if  
2 he or she:
- 3       (a) Is a resident of this state.
- 4       (b) Except for supervisors, is ~~not~~ EITHER OF THE  
5 FOLLOWING:
- 6       (i) NOT less than 18 years of age and not more than 25 years  
7 of age on the date of application.
- 8       (ii) FIFTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER ON THE DATE OF  
9 APPLICATION.
- 10      (c) Is not employed at the time of hire.

1 (d) Is not a son or daughter of an elected or appointed  
2 official of this state or of a city, village, county, township,  
3 school district, intermediate school district, or other govern-  
4 mental authority.

5 (e) If employed as a supervisor, was not on the department's  
6 or recipient's payroll within 30 days before being hired through  
7 a program established with funds received under this act unless  
8 he or she was promoted from a general corpsmember to a corps  
9 supervisor.

10 (2) If the number of persons applying for positions in a  
11 work training program established under this act exceeds the  
12 number of positions created, the chief shall give priority in  
13 hiring to recipients of ~~general assistance and aid to families~~  
14 ~~with dependent children~~ PUBLIC ASSISTANCE. In hiring supervi-  
15 sors, the chief also shall give priority to qualified recipients  
16 of ~~general assistance and aid to families with dependent~~  
17 ~~children~~ PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

18 (3) The chief shall ensure that eligible minority persons,  
19 eligible persons who are members of households the heads of which  
20 are single, eligible persons with disabilities, and equal numbers  
21 of eligible males and females, to the extent that these persons  
22 apply for the program, are hired as corpsmembers.

23 (4) The chief shall notify the director of the ~~department~~  
24 ~~of social services~~ MICHIGAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION of  
25 any work training program established under this act. The direc-  
26 tor of the ~~department of social services~~ MICHIGAN ECONOMIC  
27 DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION shall take any action necessary to notify

1 all employable recipients of ~~general assistance and aid to~~  
2 ~~families with dependent children~~ PUBLIC ASSISTANCE who are eli-  
3 gible under this act, who are not currently assigned to employ-  
4 ment, training, or an educational program, of the work training  
5 programs established under this act.

6 (5) An employable recipient of ~~general assistance or aid to~~  
7 ~~families with dependent children~~ PUBLIC ASSISTANCE who is eligi-  
8 ble for employment under this act and who is not currently  
9 assigned to employment, training, or an educational program, who,  
10 without good cause, refuses an offer of employment under this act  
11 is subject to section 55a of the social welfare act, 1939 PA 280,  
12 MCL 400.55a.