

ALLOWS USE OF MERIT TRUST FUND FOR NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS



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SUMMARY

HB 6054 amends section 5 of the Michigan Merit Award Scholarship Act to permit specific use of Merit Award Trust Fund monies to support the Michigan Nursing Scholarship Program.

It is tie-barred to the enactment of HB 6053, which creates an educational scholarship program for resident students enrolled in certain nursing programs. There is no fiscal impact from this bill, since it does not directly appropriate funds for a nursing scholarship program.