

ALLOWS USE OF MERIT TRUST FUND FOR NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS



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SUMMARY

HB 6054, now Public Act 586 of 2002, 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 was tie-barred to the enactment of SB 793, now Public Act 591 of 2002, which created an educational scholarship program for resident students enrolled in certain nursing programs.

This bill has no direct fiscal impact, since it does not appropriate funds for a nursing scholarship program.