

HOUSE BILL No. 6381

August 30, 2006, Introduced by Reps. Farhat, Emmons, Nitz, Mortimer and Moore and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Preparation.

A bill to amend 1986 PA 102, entitled

"An act to establish a grant program for certain part-time, independent students in this state; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies and institutions of higher education,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 390.1283), as amended by 2004 PA 180.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 3. A person is eligible to participate in the grant
- 2 program if he or she meets all of the following:
- 3 (a) Is a part-time student.
- 4 (b) Is an independent student.
- 5 (c) Has not been enrolled in a high school diploma program
- 6 other than general educational development (GED) or adult education

1 for at least the 2 preceding years.

2 (d) Is enrolled or accepted for enrollment in an undergraduate
3 program of not less than 9 months duration leading to a degree or
4 certificate from a Michigan degree granting educational institution
5 that is approved by the ~~department of labor and economic growth~~

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7 (e) Has resided continuously in this state for the immediately
8 preceding 12 months and is not considered a resident of any other
9 state.

10 (f) Is not incarcerated in a corrections institution.

11 (g) Has complied with this act and the rules promulgated under
12 this act by the authority.

13 (h) Is a United States citizen or permanent resident.

14 (i) Is not enrolled in an institution whose primary purpose is
15 to prepare students for ordination or appointment as a member of
16 the clergy of a church, denomination, or religious association,
17 order, or sect.

18 (j) Is not in default on a loan guaranteed by the authority.

19 (k) Is shown by the school to be making satisfactory academic
20 progress.

21 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act is intended to
22 transfer back to the superintendent of public instruction certain
23 powers, duties, and functions that were transferred to the former
24 department of career development by Executive Reorganization Order
25 No. 1999-7, MCL 388.995.