



SENATE BILL No. 482

April 27, 1995, Introduced by Senators HOFFMAN, GAST, CARL, MC MANUS, KOIVISTO, DINGELL and SHUGARS and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend section 3 of Act No. 102 of the Public Acts of 1986, 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,"

being section 390.1283 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to add section 3a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Act No. 102 of the Public Acts of
2 1986, being section 390.1283 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
3 amended and section 3a is added to read as follows:

4 Sec. 3. A person is eligible to participate in the grant
5 program if he or she MEETS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

6 (a) Is a part-time student.

1 (b) Is an independent student.

2 (c) Has not been enrolled in a high school diploma program
3 other than general educational development (GED) or adult educa-
4 tion for at least the 2 ~~preceding~~ years IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING
5 THE DATE OF APPLICATION.

6 (d) Is enrolled or accepted for enrollment in an undergradu-
7 ate program of not less than 9 months duration leading to a
8 degree or certificate from a Michigan degree granting educational
9 institution that is approved by the state board of education.

10 (e) Has resided continuously in this state for the
11 ~~immediately preceding~~ 12 months IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE DATE
12 OF APPLICATION and is not considered a resident of any other
13 state.

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

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

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

18 (i) Is not enrolled in a program leading to a degree in the-
19 ology or divinity.

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

22 (k) Is shown by the school to be making satisfactory aca-
23 demic progress.

24 (l) IS NOT INELIGIBLE UNDER SECTION 3A.

25 SEC. 3A. AN INDIVIDUAL CONVICTED OF A FELONY IN VIOLATION
26 OF SECTION 7401, 7402, 7403, 7407, 7407A, OR 7416 OF THE PUBLIC
27 HEALTH CODE, ACT NO. 368 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1978, BEING

1 SECTIONS 333.7401, 333.7402, 333.7403, 333.7407, 333.7407A, AND
2 333.7416 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, IS NOT ELIGIBLE TO PAR-
3 TICIPATE IN THE GRANT PROGRAM UNDER THIS ACT AS FOLLOWS:

4 (A) IF IT IS THE INDIVIDUAL'S FIRST CONVICTION FOR ANY OF
5 THOSE VIOLATIONS, THE INDIVIDUAL IS INELIGIBLE FOR A PERIOD OF 1
6 YEAR AFTER THE DATE OF CONVICTION.

7 (B) IF THE INDIVIDUAL HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN CONVICTED OF ANY
8 OF THOSE VIOLATIONS ONCE, THE INDIVIDUAL IS INELIGIBLE FOR A
9 PERIOD OF 2 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE LATEST CONVICTION.

10 (C) IF THE INDIVIDUAL HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN CONVICTED OF ANY
11 OF THOSE VIOLATIONS OR A COMBINATION OF THEM 2 OR MORE TIMES, THE
12 INDIVIDUAL IS INELIGIBLE FOR LIFE.