

SENATE BILL NO. 556

June 4, 1997, Introduced by Senators ROGERS, BULLARD, SHUGARS, HOFFMAN, BENNETT and GOUGEON and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1966 PA 313, entitled
"An act to award tuition grants to resident students enrolled in independent nonprofit institutions of higher learning; and to make an appropriation therefor,"
by amending section 3 (MCL 390.993), as amended by 1980 PA 503, and by adding section 3a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 3. (1) Upon application of an eligible resident stu-
2 dent ~~—~~ who has resided in this state continuously for the pre-
3 ceding 12 months, is not considered a resident of any other
4 state, is not incarcerated in a corrections institution, IS NOT
5 INELIGIBLE UNDER SECTION 3A, and is registered in an independent
6 nonprofit college or university in this state, as described in
7 section 1, the Michigan higher education assistance authority
8 shall grant an amount as provided for in this act for each
9 semester of attendance. A student shall ~~not~~ be eligible for a

1 grant for tuition and fees for NOT more than 10 semesters of
2 undergraduate education, or its equivalent in trimesters, or
3 equivalent as determined by the authority for less than full-time
4 students; ~~in~~ FOR not more than 6 semesters of graduate educa-
5 tion, or its equivalent in trimesters; and ~~in~~ FOR not more than
6 8 semesters in dental education, or its equivalent in
7 trimesters.

8 (2) A student shall maintain satisfactory academic progress,
9 as defined by the college or university in which the student is
10 enrolled, in order to remain eligible for the tuition grant under
11 this act.

12 (3) If a student possessing a degree at a given academic
13 level enrolls for a second degree at the same academic level, the
14 authority shall include tuition grants received by the student
15 when enrolled for the previous degree at the same level in deter-
16 mining the student's eligibility ~~pursuant to~~ UNDER subsection
17 (1).

18 SEC. 3A. IF AN INDIVIDUAL IS SUBJECT TO A COURT ORDER DENY-
19 ING FEDERAL BENEFITS AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 421 OF PART D OF THE
20 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT, TITLE II OF THE COMPREHENSIVE DRUG
21 ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970, PUBLIC LAW 91-513, 21
22 U.S.C. 862, THE INDIVIDUAL IS NOT ELIGIBLE TO BE AWARDED A
23 TUITION GRANT UNDER THIS ACT FOR THE DURATION OF THE COURT ORDER.