

# SENATE BILL No. 834

October 20, 2005, Introduced by Senator SWITALSKI and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1999 PA 94, entitled  
"Michigan merit award scholarship act,"  
by amending section 5 (MCL 390.1455), as amended by 2002 PA 586.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 5. Upon appropriation by the legislature, the board shall  
2 authorize disbursement of funds from the trust fund for 1 or more  
3 of the following purposes:

4           (a) Michigan merit award scholarships under this act.

5           (b) Expenses properly incurred by the commission in carrying  
6 out its powers and duties.

7           (c) Costs associated with the development, preparation,  
8 distribution, and scoring of the assessment test and any costs  
9 associated with dissemination of results of the assessment test.

10          (d) Funding of the tuition incentive program as described in

1 section 310 of 1998 PA 271 or a successor to that program.

2 (e) Funding of the ~~Michigan~~ nursing scholarship ~~program as~~  
3 ~~described in the Michigan nursing scholarship act~~ **AND NURSING**  
4 **SCHOOL GRANT PROGRAMS ESTABLISHED IN THE NURSING EDUCATION**  
5 **INCENTIVES ACT, 2002 PA 591, MCL 390.1181 TO 390.1189.**

6 (f) Other expenditures as determined by law.

7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
8 unless Senate Bill No. 835

9 of the 93rd Legislature is enacted into law.