

# HOUSE BILL No. 4570

April 16, 2013, Introduced by Reps. Cotter, Singh, Walsh, Victory, Lyons, Kelly, Knezek  
and Oakes and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled  
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"  
by amending section 1335 (MCL 600.1335), as amended by 2004 PA 12.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 1335. (1) The chief judge of the court to which a person  
2 is returned as a juror may excuse the person from serving when it  
3 appears that the interests of the public or of the individual juror  
4 will be materially injured by his or her attendance or the health  
5 of the juror or that of a member of his or her family requires his  
6 or her absence from court.

7           (2) The chief judge of the court to which a person is returned  
8 as a juror shall postpone the person's term of service until the  
9 end of the school year if the person is a full-time student

House Bill No. 4570 as amended October 29, 2013  
enrolled in and attending high school.

2           (3) THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE COURT TO WHICH A PERSON IS RETURNED  
3 AS A JUROR SHALL, UPON REQUEST, POSTPONE THE PERSON'S TERM OF  
4 SERVICE UNTIL THE END OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR IF THE PERSON IS A FULL-  
5 TIME STUDENT ENROLLED IN AND ATTENDING A COLLEGE, [COMMUNITY COLLEGE,  
6 UNIVERSITY, GRADUATE OR PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL, VOCATIONAL SCHOOL, OR ANY  
7 OTHER ACCREDITED EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND THE PERSON PROVIDES  
8 SATISFACTORY PROOF THAT THE TERM OF SERVICE WILL LIKELY INTERFERE WITH  
HIS OR HER CLASS SCHEDULE.]