

**THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979 (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 94 of 1979**

\*\*\*\*\* 388.1816.added THIS ADDED SECTION IS EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2022 \*\*\*\*\*

**388.1816.added Michigan reconnect grant program short-term training grants; expansion to include students at least 21 years old.**

Sec. 216. (1) The funds appropriated in section 201(7) for the Michigan reconnect grant program short-term training grants must be used to expand the Michigan reconnect grant program short-term training grants to include eligible students who are at least 21 years old. The funds appropriated in section 201(7) must be expended to award grants, administer the program, and support the duties outlined in section 21 of the Michigan reconnect grant recipient act, 2020 PA 68, MCL 390.1721.

(2) Federal funds appropriated in section 201(7) must be allocated and expended in a manner consistent with federal rules and regulations.

(3) The department of labor and economic opportunity must report on the status of funds appropriated in section 201(7), and all funds appropriated related to the coronavirus relief effort, to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on community colleges, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget director on a quarterly basis until all funds are exhausted.

(4) Any unexpended and unencumbered funds remaining on September 30, 2023 from the amounts appropriated in section 201(7) for the Michigan reconnect grant program short-term training grants for fiscal year 2022-2023 do not lapse on September 30, 2023 but continue to be available for the purposes described in subsection (1) in the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 fiscal years under a work project account. The use of these unexpended fiscal year 2022-2023 funds under this subsection terminates at the end of the 2024-2025 fiscal year.

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