

SENATE BILL No. 625

July 16, 2003, Introduced by Senators CASSIS, ALLEN, KUIPERS, BROWN, GARCIA, VAN WOERKOM, SANBORN, OLSHOVE, McMANUS and GILBERT and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1986 PA 102, 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,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 390.1283).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 3. A person is eligible to participate in the grant
2 program if he or she **meets all of the following:**

3 (a) Is a part-time student.

4 (b) Is an independent student.

5 (c) Has not been enrolled in a high school diploma program
6 other than general educational development (GED) or adult
7 education for at least the 2 preceding years.

8 (d) Is enrolled or accepted for enrollment in an
9 undergraduate program of not less than 9 months duration leading
10 to a degree or certificate from a Michigan degree granting

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1 educational institution that is approved by the ~~state board of~~
2 ~~education~~ **department of career development.**

3 (e) Has resided continuously in this state for the
4 immediately preceding 12 months and is not considered a resident
5 of any other state.

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

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

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

10 ~~(i) Is not enrolled in a program leading to a degree in~~
11 ~~theology or divinity.~~

12 (i) ~~(j)~~ Is not in default on a loan guaranteed by the
13 authority.

14 (j) ~~(k)~~ Is shown by the school to be making satisfactory
15 academic progress.