SENATE BILL NO. 222

February 2, 1999, Introduced by Senators HOFFMAN, GOUGEON, GOSCHKA, NORTH, BENNETT, SHUGARS, BULLARD, ROGERS and JAYE and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 228, entitled
"The legislative merit award program act,"
by amending section 4 (MCL 390.1304), as amended by 1980 PA 386,
and by adding section 4a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 4. A person shall be IS eligible for a scholarship
- 2 award UNDER THIS ACT if the person meets all of the following
- 3 qualifications:
- 4 (a) Has resided in this state continuously for the preceding
- 5 12 months and is not considered a resident of any other state.
- **6** (b) Has not graduated from high school at the time of the
- 7 scholarship examination.
- 8 (c) Enrolls in a recognized postsecondary educational
- 9 institution within 4 years after graduation from high school and

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- 1 is not enrolled in a program of study leading to a degree in
- 2 theology, divinity, or religious education.
- 3 (D) IS NOT INELIGIBLE UNDER SECTION 4A.
- SEC. 4A. IF AN INDIVIDUAL IS SUBJECT TO A COURT ORDER DENY-
- 5 ING FEDERAL BENEFITS AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 421 OF PART D OF THE
- 6 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT, TITLE II OF THE COMPREHENSIVE DRUG
- 7 ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970, PUBLIC LAW 91-513, 21
- 8 U.S.C. 862, THE INDIVIDUAL IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR A SCHOLARSHIP
- 9 AWARD UNDER THIS ACT FOR THE DURATION OF THE COURT ORDER.