HOUSE BILL No. 5451

February 4, 2004, Introduced by Reps. Hummel and Moolenaar and referred to the Committee on Higher 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
 - 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.
- (i) -(j) Is not in default on a loan guaranteed by the
- 13 authority.
- 14 (j) $\frac{-(k)}{}$ Is shown by the school to be making satisfactory
- 15 academic progress.

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