

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1430

Page 1, line 1, replace "15.1-21-02.7" with "15.1-21-02.8"

Page 1, line 2, remove "resident student"

Page 1, line 2, replace "to receive both" with "requirements for"

Page 1, line 8, after "a." insert "(1) The state board of higher education shall provide to any student who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 on or before December 31, 2021, and who is certified as being eligible by the superintendent of public instruction either a North Dakota academic scholarship or a North Dakota career and technical education scholarship in the amount of seven hundred fifty dollars for each semester during which the student is enrolled full time at an accredited institution of higher education in this state, maintains a cumulative grade point average of 2.75, and maintains progress toward degree completion.

(2) The state board of higher education shall provide to any student who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 on or before December 31, 2021, and who is certified as being eligible by the superintendent of public instruction either a North Dakota academic scholarship or a North Dakota career and technical education scholarship in the amount of five hundred dollars for each quarter during which the student is enrolled full time at an accredited institution of higher education in this state, maintains a cumulative grade point average of 2.75, and maintains progress toward degree completion.

b. The state board shall monitor each scholarship recipient to ensure the student meets the academic and other requirements of this section. Upon determining a recipient student has failed to meet the requirements of this section, the board shall provide notification to the student within ten days.

c. A student is not entitled to receive more than six thousand dollars under this section.

d. The state board of higher education shall forward the scholarship directly to the institution in which the student is enrolled.

e. (1) (a) This section does not require a student to be enrolled in consecutive semesters.

(b) This section does not require a student to be enrolled in consecutive quarters.

(2) A scholarship under this section is valid only for six academic years after the student's graduation from high school and may be applied to a graduate program.

- f. A scholarship under this section is available to any eligible resident student who fulfills the requirements of section 15.1-21-02.4 or 15.1-21-02.5 and who:
- (1) Graduates from a high school in this state;
  - (2) Graduates from a high school in a bordering state under chapter 15.1-29;
  - (3) Graduates from a nonpublic high school in a bordering state while residing with a custodial parent in this state; or
  - (4) Completes a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23.
- g. (1) For purposes of North Dakota scholarship eligibility under this section, "full time" has the same meaning as the term is defined by the institution the student is attending.
- (2) A student who is enrolled less than full-time may retain scholarship eligibility if the student is in the final semester or quarter before graduation. The waiver of the full-time enrollment status requirement for scholarship eligibility may not apply to a student more than once.
- (3) For the purpose of North Dakota scholarship eligibility under this section, "progress toward degree completion" means earning the following minimum number of credits after each semester or quarter term disbursement to qualify for the subsequent disbursement:
- (a) Twenty-four credits after disbursement two;
  - (b) Thirty-nine credits after disbursement three;
  - (c) Fifty-four credits after disbursement four;
  - (d) Sixty-nine credits after disbursement five;
  - (e) Eighty-four credits after disbursement six; and
  - (f) Ninety-nine credits after disbursement seven.

2. a. (1)"

Page 1, line 8, after "student" insert "who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 after December 31, 2021, and who is"

Page 1, line 9, remove the overstrike over "either"

Page 1, line 9, remove "for"

Page 1, line 11, remove ", a scholarship"

Page 1, line 11, remove the overstrike over "seven"

Page 1, line 11, remove the underscored colon

Page 1, line 12, remove "(1) Seven"

Page 1, line 12, remove "the North Dakota academic scholarship for"

Page 1, line 13, overstrike "full time"

Page 1, line 13, after "at" insert "least half time at"

Page 1, line 13, after "accredited" insert "public research institution, public four-year institution, or private four-year"

Page 1, line 14, overstrike the comma and insert immediately thereafter "and"

Page 1, line 15, overstrike ", and maintains progress toward degree completion"

Page 1, line 15, remove the underscored semicolon

Page 1, remove lines 16 through 24

Page 2, remove lines 1 and 2

Page 2, line 3, remove "progress toward degree completion"

Page 2, line 4, overstrike "b." and insert immediately thereafter "(2) The state board of higher education shall provide to any student who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 after December 31, 2021, and who is certified as being eligible by the superintendent of public instruction either a North Dakota academic scholarship or a North Dakota career and technical education scholarship in the amount of one thousand five hundred dollars for each semester during which the student is enrolled at least half time at an accredited public two-year institution or tribal institution of higher education in this state and maintains a cumulative grade point average of 2.75.

b. (1)"

Page 2, line 4, after "student" insert "who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 after December 31, 2021, and who is"

Page 2, line 5, remove the overstrike over "either"

Page 2, line 5, remove "for"

Page 2, line 7, remove ", a scholarship"

Page 2, line 7, remove the overstrike over "five"

Page 2, line 7, remove the underscored colon

Page 2, line 8, remove "(1) Five"

Page 2, line 8, remove "the North Dakota academic scholarship for"

Page 2, line 9, overstrike "full time"

Page 2, line 9, after "at" insert "least half time at"

Page 2, line 9, after "accredited" insert "public research institution, public four-year institution, or private four-year"

Page 2, line 10, overstrike the comma and insert immediately thereafter "and"

Page 2, line 11, overstrike ", and maintains progress toward degree completion"

Page 2, line 11, remove the underscored semicolon

Page 2, remove lines 12 through 21

Page 2, line 22, remove "point average of 2.75, and maintains progress toward degree completion"

Page 2, after line 22, insert:

"(2) The state board of higher education shall provide to any student who graduated from a high school or completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23 after December 31, 2021, and who is certified as eligible by the superintendent of public instruction either a North Dakota academic scholarship or a North Dakota career and technical education scholarship in the amount of one thousand dollars for each quarter during which the student is enrolled at least half time at an accredited public two-year institution or tribal institution of higher education in this state and maintains a cumulative grade point average of 2.75."

Page 2, line 23, overstrike "2." and insert immediately thereafter "c."

Page 2, line 23, overstrike "that"

Page 2, line 24, overstrike "and other"

Page 2, line 24, overstrike "that"

Page 2, line 27, overstrike "3." and insert immediately thereafter "d."

Page 2, line 27, remove "for a North Dakota"

Page 2, line 28, remove "academic or career and technical education scholarship"

Page 2, line 28, remove ", unless the"

Page 2, remove lines 29 and 30

Page 2, line 31, remove "to receive more than twelve thousand dollars under this section"

Page 3, line 1, overstrike "4." and insert immediately thereafter "e."

Page 3, line 2, after "the" insert "degree-seeking or certificate-seeking"

Page 3, line 3, overstrike "5. a." and insert immediately thereafter "f."

Page 3, line 3, after "(1)" insert "(a)"

Page 3, line 5, overstrike "(2)" and insert immediately thereafter "(b)"

Page 3, line 7, overstrike "b." and insert immediately thereafter "(2)"

Page 3, line 9, overstrike "6." and insert immediately thereafter "g."

Page 3, line 11, overstrike "a." and insert immediately thereafter "(1)"

Page 3, line 12, overstrike "b." and insert immediately thereafter "(2)"

Page 3, line 13, overstrike "c." and insert immediately thereafter "(3)"

Page 3, line 15, overstrike "d." and insert immediately thereafter "(4)"

Page 3, line 17, overstrike "7. a." and insert immediately thereafter "h. (1)"

Page 3, line 17, overstrike "full-time" and insert immediately thereafter "half time"

Page 3, line 20, overstrike "b." and insert immediately thereafter "(2)"

Page 3, line 20, overstrike "full-time" and insert immediately thereafter "half time"

Page 3, line 22, overstrike "full-time" and insert immediately thereafter "half time"

Page 3, overstrike lines 24 through 31

Page 4, overstrike lines 1 and 2

Page 4, replace lines 3 through 20 with:

**"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-21-02.8 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**15.1-21-02.8. North Dakota scholarship - Eligibility - One-time exception.**

1. a. Notwithstanding section 15.1-21-02.6, if a student's cumulative grade point average as determined by the state board of higher education at the conclusion of a semester is below 2.75, the board shall grant an exception and provide the North Dakota scholarship to which the student would otherwise be entitled for the next semester in which the student is enrolled ~~full-time~~ at least half time. The exception provided by this section is applicable to a student only one time.
- b. If a student's cumulative grade point average as determined by the state board of higher education at the conclusion of a semester is below 2.75 for a second time, the student is no longer eligible to receive any additional North Dakota academic or career and technical education scholarships.
2. a. Notwithstanding section 15.1-21-02.6, if a student's cumulative grade point average as determined by the state board of higher education at the conclusion of a quarter is below 2.75, the board shall grant an exception and provide the North Dakota scholarship to which the student would otherwise be entitled for the next quarter in which the student is enrolled ~~full-time~~ at least half time. The exception provided by this section is applicable to a student only one time.
- b. If a student's cumulative grade point average as determined by the state board of higher education at the conclusion of a quarter is below 2.75 for a second time, the student is no longer eligible to receive any additional North Dakota academic or career and technical education scholarships."

Renumber accordingly