IC 21-13-8

Chapter 8. Student Teaching Stipend for Minorities

IC 21-13-8-1

Application requirements

- Sec. 1. An individual may apply for a stipend under this chapter if the individual:
 - (1) is a minority student;
 - (2) will participate in student teaching as part of the student's degree requirements;
 - (3) has earned a cumulative grade point average upon entering student teaching of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the eligible institution; and
 - (4) meets any other minimum criteria established by the commission.

As added by P.L.205-2013, SEC.329.

IC 21-13-8-2

Payment of stipends

- Sec. 2. (a) A student who has applied for the stipend under section 1 of this chapter and has been approved by the commission may request payment of the stipend after demonstrating that the student will engage in student teaching during the upcoming academic term.
 - (b) The stipend may not exceed:
 - (1) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the eligible institution, based on the most recently concluded academic term, five thousand dollars (\$5,000); or
 - (2) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 and less than 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the eligible institution, based on the most recently concluded academic term, four thousand dollars (\$4,000).
- (c) The commission shall pay the stipend directly to the student. *As added by P.L.205-2013, SEC.329*.

IC 21-13-8-3

Effect of other scholarships, stipends, or financial aid

- Sec. 3. (a) The amount of a stipend awarded under this chapter may not be reduced because the student receives other scholarships or forms of financial aid.
- (b) Except as otherwise permitted by law, the amount of any other state financial aid received by a student may not be reduced because the student receives a stipend under this chapter.
- (c) A student may concurrently receive a stipend under this chapter and a stipend under IC 21-13-7. *As added by P.L.205-2013, SEC.329.*

IC 21-13-8-4

Rules

Sec. 4. The commission may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to administer this chapter.

As added by P.L.205-2013, SEC.329.