

SENATE BILL No. 476

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-51-1-4.5.

Synopsis: Choice scholarship eligibility. Removes the requirement that a student attend a public school for at least two semesters immediately prior to receiving the choice scholarship.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

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January 14, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Education and Career Development.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 20-51-1-4.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.92-2011,
2 SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 4.5. "Eligible individual" refers to an individual
4 who:
5 (1) has legal settlement in Indiana;
6 (2) is at least five (5) years of age and less than twenty-two (22)
7 years of age on the date in the school year specified in
8 IC 20-33-2-7;
9 (3) either has been or is currently enrolled in an accredited school;
10 (4) is a member of a household with an annual income of not
11 more than one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the amount
12 required for the individual to qualify for the federal free or
13 reduced price lunch program; and
14 (5) either:
15 (A) ~~was enrolled attended in~~ grade 1 through 12 in a **public**
16 **or nonpublic** school ~~corporation that did not charge the~~
17 ~~individual transfer tuition for at least two (2) semesters that~~



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satisfies a child's obligation under IC 20-33-2 for compulsory attendance at a school immediately preceding the first semester for which the individual receives a choice scholarship under IC 20-51-4; or
(B) received a scholarship from a scholarship granting organization under IC 20-51-3 or a choice scholarship under IC 20-51-4 in a preceding school year, including a school year that does not immediately precede a school year in which the individual receives a scholarship from a scholarship granting organization under IC 20-51-3 or a choice scholarship under IC 20-51-4.

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