

the University of Maryland, desires to obtain an education not provided for either in Morgan College or Princess Anne College, he may make application for a scholarship provided by the funds mentioned in the foregoing section, so that he may obtain aid to enable him to attend a college or university where equal educational facilities can be provided and furnished, whether or not such an agency or institution is operated by the State or under some other arrangement, and whether or not such facilities are located in Maryland or elsewhere. Under such conditions, it shall be provided that out of the scholarship funds mentioned in the foregoing section, the applicant, if he possesses the proper qualifications, may have paid to him or direct to the institution which he is to attend, such sum, if any, as may be necessary to supplement the amount which it would cost him to attend the University of Maryland, so that such person will be enabled to secure educational facilities, training and opportunities equal to those provided otherwise for white students, without additional cost to such person. Be it provided, however, that the Commission hereinafter established, shall, in its discretion, have authority, in exceptional cases, to allow a grant for a scholarship in reasonable excess of the differential above referred to. In determining the comparative costs of attending any of the institutions to which scholarships may be provided, there shall be taken into consideration tuition charges, living expenses and costs of transportation.

6. A commission consisting of nine persons is hereby established to carry out the provisions of this Act. It shall be known as the "Commission on Scholarships for Negroes". It shall consist of the President of Morgan College, the Principal of Princess Anne College, the Director of Admissions of the University of Maryland, who shall serve as ex-officio members, and six other citizens of the State, to be appointed by the Governor, who shall hold their appointments for terms of four years; provided, however, that James F. Walker, Edward N. Wilson and Charles E. Hodges, be and the same are hereby appointed to the said Commission to serve for two years from the effective date of this Act, and Dr. Ivan E. McDougale, Violet Hill Whyte and Dr. Francis M. Wood be and the same are hereby appointed to the said Commission to serve four years from the effective date of this Act, and that the said Dr. McDougale shall be the first Chairman of this Commission, to hold such position during his term of four years; that thereafter the Governor shall appoint three members of said Commission every two years and may designate one of said members as the Chairman thereof, and the Governor shall have power to fill vacancies occurring in the personnel of the said Commission; and provided further that this Commission shall