LAWS OF MARYLAND

Ch. 621

Article - Education

Section 18-1901 through 18-1906, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 19. Public Service Partnership Program"

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1989 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Education

18 1602.

- (a) There is a program of loan assistance repayment in the State.
- (b) The State Scholarship Administration shall assist in the repayment of the amount of any higher education loan owed by an individual who:
 - (1) (I) Receives a graduate, professional, or undergraduate degree from:
 - [(i)] 1. A college or university in the State of Maryland; or
 - $\{(ii)\}$ -2. A school of medicine;
 - (2) (II) Obtains eligible employment;
- [(3)] (III) Receives an income that is less than the maximum eligible total income levels established by the Administration, including any additional sources of income; and
 - {(4)} (IV) Satisfies any other criteria established by the Administration; OR
- (2) PARTICIPATES IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY SUBTITLE 19 OF THIS TITLE.
 - (e) An applicant for assistance in the repayment of a commercial loan shall:
- (1) [demonstrate] DEMONSTRATE to the Administration that the commercial loan was used for tuition, educational expenses, or living expenses for graduate or undergraduate study; OR
- (2) SHOW PROOF OF PARTICIPATION IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM.

18 1603.

- (a) The State Scholarship Administration shall adopt regulations to establish:
- (1) The maximum starting income for eligibility in the Loan Assistance Repayment Program;
- (2) The maximum total income for eligibility in the Loan Assistance Repayment Program, including any additional sources of income;