

(3) UPON COMPLETION OF THE FRESHMAN YEAR, HAS ACHIEVED A CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE OF AT LEAST 3.0 ON A 4.0 SCALE, AND MAINTAINS THIS MINIMUM CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE THROUGHOUT THE REMAINDER OF THE AWARD, OR FAILING TO DO SO, PROVIDES EVIDENCE SATISFACTORY TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES;

(4) IN THE JUDGMENT OF THE INSTITUTION, IS MAKING SATISFACTORY PROGRESS TOWARD A DEGREE; AND

(5) MAINTAINS THE STANDARDS OF THE INSTITUTION.

(B) EACH RECIPIENT OF A MARYLAND HOPE SCHOLARSHIP WHO IS ENROLLED IN AN ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM AS PERMITTED IN THIS SUBTITLE MAY HOLD THE AWARD FOR 3 YEARS IF THE SAME CONDITIONS OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION ARE MET.

(C) EACH RECIPIENT OF A MARYLAND HOPE SCHOLARSHIP WHO TRANSFERS FROM A 2-YEAR ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION TO A 4-YEAR ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION MAY HOLD THE AWARD FOR A TOTAL OF 5 YEARS, INCLUDING THE YEARS AT BOTH THE 2-YEAR ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION AND THE 4-YEAR ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION, IF THE SAME CONDITIONS OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION ARE MET.

~~(C)~~ (D) A RECIPIENT OF AN AWARD MADE UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL RECEIVE THE AWARD FOR EACH YEAR INDICATED IN WHICH THE RECIPIENT IS ELIGIBLE IF:

~~(1)~~ (1) THE RECIPIENT SIGNS AN AGREEMENT AT THE TIME OF THE INITIAL AWARD TO:

~~(1)~~ (1) COMMENCE EMPLOYMENT IN THE STATE WITHIN 1 YEAR AFTER COMPLETION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES FOR 1 YEAR FOR EACH YEAR THAT THE SCHOLARSHIP WAS AWARDED; AND

~~(2)~~ (2) REPAY THE STATE THE AMOUNTS AWARDED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE AND SIMPLE INTEREST EQUAL TO THE PRIME RATE OF INTEREST PLUS 2 PERCENT CALCULATED FROM THE DATE OF THE FIRST PAYMENT OF THE GRANT AWARD UNDER THIS SUBTITLE FOR ANY PORTION OF THE AWARD IF THE RECIPIENT DOES NOT:

~~(1)~~ (I) SATISFY THE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION OR FULFILL OTHER REQUIREMENTS AS PROVIDED IN THIS SUBTITLE; AND

~~(2)~~ (II) PERFORM THE SERVICE OBLIGATION FOR 1 YEAR FOR EACH YEAR THAT THE RECIPIENT HAS A SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE; AND

~~(3)~~ (E) THE SERVICE OBLIGATION BEGINS AFTER GRADUATION AND CANNOT BE FULFILLED PRIOR TO GRADUATION FROM AN ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION.