

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 10, 1971.

The committee on Education, to whom were referred so much of the recommendations of the Board of Higher Education (House, No. 132) as relates to authorizing increased flexibility in awarding general, medical, dental and nursing scholarship, and to reduce the residence requirement to one year for medical, dental and nursing scholarships (accompanied by bill, House, No. 133); so much of the recommendations of the Board of Higher Education (House, No. 132) as relates to providing for Commonwealth opportunity grants at institutions of higher learning (accompanied by bill, House, No. 134); so much of the recommendations of the Board of Higher Education (House, No. 132) as relates to providing student assistance matching and other funds at the public institutions of higher learning (accompanied by bill, House, No. 135); the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 10) of Samuel Harmon for legislation to increase the amount of money appropriated for scholarships offered by the Board of Higher Education; the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 455) of David H. Locke for legislation to authorize the Board of Higher Education to grant scholarship loans; the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 477) of John M. Quinlan for legislation to provide certain sums of money to be placed in the budget for scholarship programs in the Commonwealth; the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 481) of William L. Saltonstall for legislation to permit the early award of scholarships in certain cases; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1114) of Paul J. Sheehy, Raymond F. Rourke, Cornelius F. Kiernan, Bruce N. Freeman and Felix R. Perrault relative to the granting of additional scholarships at the Lowell Technological Institute of Massachusetts; the petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 1305) of William G. Arvanitis for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the feasibility of establishing a state loan agency or outright grants to enable qualified needy students to attend institutions of higher learning in the Commonwealth; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1316) of Alan Paul Danovitch for legislation to increase the amount

of money appropriated for scholarships offered by the Board of Higher Education; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1504) of Martin A. Linsky and other members of the House that the Board of Higher Education be authorized to establish a tuition assistance program for state employees; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1509) of John F. St. Cyr relative to establishing a loan program for residents of the Commonwealth attending certain institutions of higher education; the petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 2805) of Michael J. Daly, I. Edward Serlin and another for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the establishment of a revolving fund for the purpose of making educational and training loans to certain persons in need of financial assistance; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3190) of Paul W. Cronin for the establishment of a loan program for residents of the Commonwealth attending certain institutions of higher education; the petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 3383) of Theodore J. Aleixo, Jr., for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the feasibility of paying student activities fees for veterans at state institutions of higher learning and other related matters; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3389) of Marie E. Howe that provision be made for state opportunity grants at institutions of higher education to certain needy students; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3573) of Chester G. Atkins relative to establishing a loan program for residents of the Commonwealth attending certain institutions of higher education; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4376) of Raymond M. LaFontaine that the Board of Higher Education be required to grant full tuition scholarships to certain residents attending medical school; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4777) of Charles Enright relative to establishing a dental student loan program to be administered by the Massachusetts Higher Education Assistance Corporation, report recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5509) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

MICHAEL J. DALY

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1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Education be authorized to
2 sit during the recess of the general court for the purpose of
3 making an investigation and study of the subject matter of
4 current senate documents numbered 10, increasing the amount
5 of money appropriated for scholarships offered by the board of
6 higher education; 455, authorizing the board of higher education
7 to grant scholarship loans; 477, providing certain sums of money
8 to be placed in the budget for scholarship programs in the
9 Commonwealth; 481, permitting the early award of scholarships
10 in certain cases; of current house documents numbered 133,
11 authorizing increased flexibility in awarding general, medical,
12 dental and nursing scholarships, and reducing the residence
13 requirement to one year for medical, dental, and nursing
14 scholarships; 134, providing for Commonwealth opportunity
15 grants at institutions of higher learning; 135, providing student
16 assistance matching and other funds at the public institutions of
17 higher learning; 1114, providing for additional scholarships at the
18 Lowell Technological Institute of Massachusetts; 1305 relative to
19 establishing a state loan agency or outright grants to enable
20 qualified needy students to attend institutions of higher learning
21 in the Commonwealth; 1316, increasing the amount of money
22 appropriated for scholarships offered by the board of higher
23 education; 1504, providing that the board of higher education
24 shall establish a tuition assistance program for state employees;
25 1509, establishing a loan program for residents of the Common-
26 wealth attending certain institutions of higher education; 2805,
27 relative to establishing a revolving fund for the purpose of
28 making loans to enable the education and training of persons in
29 need of financial assistance for such purpose; 3190, establishing a
30 loan program for residents of the Commonwealth attending
31 certain institutions of higher education; 3383 relative to the
32 Commonwealth paying student activities fees for veterans at state
33 institutions for higher learning; 3389, providing for common-
34 wealth opportunity grants at institutions of higher education to
35 certain needy students; 3573, establishing a loan program for
36 residents of the Commonwealth attending certain institutions of
37 higher education; 4376 requiring the board of higher education

38 to grant full tuition scholarships to residents of the common-
39 wealth attending a medical school; and 4777, establishing a
40 dental student loan program to be administered by the Massachu-
41 setts Higher Education Assistance Corporation.

42 Said committee shall be provided with quarters in the state
43 house or elsewhere, may hold public hearings, may travel within
44 the commonwealth, and may expend for clerical and other
45 services and expenses such sums as may be appropriated therefor.
46 Said committee shall report to the general court the results of
47 investigation and study, and its recommendations, if any,
48 together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such
49 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the clerk of
50 the house of representatives on or before the last Wednesday of
51 December, nineteen hundred and seventy-one.