

in action as defined herein, upon his being duly accepted for enrollment in any Minnesota state supported institution of higher education or Minnesota state supported technical or vocational school, shall be allowed to attend such institution to obtain a bachelors degree or certificate of completion, for so long as he is eligible, free of tuition or charge. A dependent who enrolls as an undergraduate in any private Minnesota institution of higher education or in any private Minnesota technical or vocational school shall be entitled to payment by the state of tuition and fees at a rate established by the Minnesota higher education coordinating commission at a rate not exceeding the undergraduate tuition at Minnesota public institutions for so long as he is eligible to attend such institution and is working toward a bachelors degree or certificate of completion.

“Prisoner of war” and “person missing in action” for purposes of this subdivision mean any person who was a resident of the state at the time he entered service of the United States Armed Forces, or whose official residence is within the state, and, who, while serving in the United States Armed Forces has been declared to be a prisoner of war, or to be a person missing in action as established by the Secretary of Defense after August 1, 1958.

“Dependent” for purposes of this subdivision means the spouse of a prisoner of war or person missing in action, or any child born before or during the period of time his parent served as a prisoner of war or was declared a person missing in action, or any child legally adopted or in the legal custody of the parent prior to and during the time the parent served as a prisoner of war or was declared to be a person missing in action. Once a person qualifies as a dependent under the terms and provisions of this subdivision there shall be no situation such as the return of the father or the reported death of the father that will remove the dependent from provisions or benefits of this subdivision.

Sec. 3. There is appropriated to the Minnesota higher education coordinating commission from the general fund the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of paying tuition and other charges as provided by section 2 of this act.

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CHAPTER 497—H.F.No.2324

*An act relating to manpower services; unemployment compensation; administration fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 268.15, Subdivision 1.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 268.15, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

**268.15 EMPLOYMENT SERVICES; UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION; ADMINISTRATION FUND.** Subdivision 1. **ADMINISTRATION FUND.** There is hereby created in the state treasury a special fund to be known as the manpower services administration fund. All moneys which are deposited or paid into this fund shall be continuously available to the commissioner for expenditure in accordance with the provisions of sections 268.03 to 268.24, and shall not lapse at any time or be transferred to any other fund. The fund shall consist of all moneys received from the United States or any agency thereof, including the United States department of labor, and include any moneys received from any agency of the United States or any other state as compensation for services or facilities supplied to such agency, any amounts received pursuant to any surety bond or insurance policy or from other sources for losses sustained by the manpower services administration fund or by reason of damage to equipment or supplies purchased from moneys in such fund, and any proceeds realized from the sale or disposition of any such equipment or supplies which may no longer be necessary for the proper administration of those sections. Notwithstanding any provision of this section, all money requisitioned and deposited in this fund pursuant to section 268.05, subdivision 5, shall remain part of the unemployment fund and shall be used only in accordance with the conditions specified in section 268.05, subdivision 5. All moneys in this fund shall be deposited, administered, and disbursed in the same manner and under the same conditions and requirements as are provided by law for the other special funds in the state treasury ~~except that moneys in this fund shall not be commingled with other state funds but maintained in a separate account on the books of a depository bank. Such moneys shall be secured by the depository in which they are held to the same extent and in the same manner as required by the general depository law of the state and collateral pledged shall be maintained in a separate custody account.~~ The state treasurer shall be liable on his official bond for the faithful performance of his duties in connection with the manpower services administration fund provided for under these sections. Such liability on the official bond shall be effective immediately upon the enactment of this provision, and such liability shall exist in addition to any liability upon any separate bond existent on the effective date of this provision, or which may be given in the future. All sums recovered on any surety bond for losses sustained by the manpower services administration fund shall be deposited in this fund. All money in this fund, except money received pursuant to section 268.05, subdivision 5(3) shall be expended solely for the purposes and in the amounts found necessary by the secretary of labor for the proper and efficient administration of the manpower services program.

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