

AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to extend the fifty percent tuition privilege for National Guard members to include graduate study.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. That chapter 33-6 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

Any member of the National Guard of the State of South Dakota is, upon compliance with all the requirements for admission and subject to the provisions of § 33-6-7, entitled to a benefit as prescribed by this Act. Any member of the National Guard of the State of South Dakota who is enrolled in a program leading toward a graduate degree in any state educational institution under the control and management of the Board of Regents, including institutions or courses not subsidized by the general fund, is entitled to a benefit of fifty percent of the in-state resident graduate tuition to be paid to the institution by the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs. The benefit provided by this Act may not exceed thirty-two credit hours toward a graduate degree.

Section 2. That chapter 33-6 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of § 13-55-23, eligible national guard members enrolled in graduate courses under the control and management of the Board of Regents not subsidized by the general fund are entitled to a benefit of fifty percent of the in-state resident tuition to be paid to the institution by the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in the

HOUSE as Bill No. 1091

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Chief Clerk

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Speaker of the House

Attest:

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Chief Clerk

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President of the Senate

Attest:

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Secretary of the Senate

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Received at this Executive Office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ ,

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By \_\_\_\_\_  
for the Governor

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The attached Act is hereby approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , A.D., 20\_\_\_\_

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Governor

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,  
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