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HOUSE MOTION _____

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 177 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new
- 2 paragraph and insert:
- 3 "SECTION 1. IC 21-14-4-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.6-2012,
- 4 SECTION 148, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 5 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 1. This chapter applies to the
- 6 following persons:
- 7 (1) A person who:
- 8 (A) is a pupil at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Children's Home;
- 9 (B) was admitted to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Children's Home
- 10 because the person was related to a member of the armed
- 11 forces of the United States;
- 12 (C) is eligible to pay the resident tuition rate at the state
- 13 educational institution the person will attend as determined by
- 14 the institution; and
- 15 (D) possesses the requisite academic qualifications.
- 16 (2) A person:
- 17 (A) whose mother or father:
- 18 (i) served in the armed forces of the United States;
- 19 (ii) received the Purple Heart decoration or was wounded as
- 20 a result of enemy action;
- 21 (iii) received a discharge or separation from the armed
- 22 forces other than a dishonorable discharge; and
- 23 (iv) either designated Indiana as home of record at the time
- 24 of enlistment in the armed forces of the United States or

- 1 resided in Indiana at least five (5) years before the person
 2 first applies for benefits under this chapter;
 3 (B) who is eligible to pay the resident tuition rate at the state
 4 educational institution the person will attend as determined by
 5 the institution;
 6 (C) who possesses the requisite academic qualifications;
 7 (D) who, if the person was adopted by the person's mother or
 8 father, was adopted before the person was eighteen (18) years
 9 of age; and
 10 (E) who is not more than thirty-two (32) years of age when the
 11 person first applies and becomes eligible for benefits under
 12 this chapter.

- 13 (3) A person:
 14 (A) whose mother or father:
 15 (i) served in the armed forces of the United States during a
 16 war or performed duty equally hazardous that was
 17 recognized by the award of a service or campaign medal of
 18 the United States;
 19 (ii) suffered a service connected death or disability as
 20 determined by the United States Department of Veterans
 21 Affairs **and received a disability rating by the United**
 22 **States Department of Veterans Affairs equal to zero**
 23 **percent (0%) or more;**
 24 (iii) received any discharge or separation from the armed
 25 forces other than a dishonorable discharge; and
 26 (iv) either listed Indiana as home of record at the time of
 27 enlistment in the armed forces of the United States or
 28 resided in Indiana at least five (5) years before the person
 29 first applies for benefits under this chapter;
 30 (B) who is eligible to pay the resident tuition rate at the state
 31 educational institution the person will attend, as determined by
 32 the institution;
 33 (C) who possesses the requisite academic qualifications;
 34 (D) who, if the person was adopted by the person's mother or
 35 father, was adopted before the person was eighteen (18) years
 36 of age; and
 37 (E) who is not more than thirty-two (32) years of age when the
 38 person first applies and becomes eligible for benefits under
 39 this chapter.

40 SECTION 2. IC 21-14-4-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.169-2011,
 41 SECTION 16, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 42 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2. (a) Subject to this section, **and section 2.5 of**
 43 **this chapter**, an eligible applicant is entitled to enter, remain, and
 44 receive instruction in a state educational institution upon the same
 45 conditions, qualifications, and regulations prescribed for other
 46 applicants for admission to or scholars in the state educational

1 institutions, without the payment of any educational costs for one
 2 hundred twenty-four (124) semester credit hours in the state
 3 educational institution.

4 (b) The maximum amount that an eligible applicant is exempt from
 5 paying for a semester hour is an amount equal to the cost of an
 6 undergraduate semester credit hour at the state educational institution
 7 in which the eligible applicant enrolls.

8 (c) This subsection applies only to an individual who qualifies for
 9 a benefit under this chapter because of a father or mother (or in the
 10 case of section 1(1) of this chapter, a related member) who enlisted or
 11 otherwise initially served in the armed forces of the United States after
 12 June 30, 2011. This subsection applies to a student who initially enrolls
 13 in an eligible institution for a semester (or its equivalent) beginning
 14 after June 30, 2012. Subject to subsection (d), any benefits awarded
 15 under this chapter may not be renewed, subject to subsections (a) and
 16 (b), if the eligible individual fails to maintain at least the following
 17 cumulative grade point average:

18 (1) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the applicant's
 19 freshman academic year, a cumulative grade point average that
 20 the eligible institution determines is satisfactory academic
 21 progress.

22 (2) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the applicant's
 23 sophomore academic year, a cumulative grade point average of
 24 2.25 on a 4.0 grading scale or its equivalent as established by the
 25 eligible institution.

26 (3) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the applicant's
 27 junior or senior academic year, a cumulative grade point average
 28 of 2.5 on a 4.0 grading scale or its equivalent as established by the
 29 eligible institution.

30 (d) After the first semester or its equivalent at the eligible institution
 31 that a person does not achieve the requisite cumulative grade point
 32 average specified in subsection (c), the person is considered to be on
 33 probation and must achieve the requisite cumulative grade point
 34 average by the next semester or its equivalent at the eligible institution
 35 in order to continue to receive benefits under this chapter.

36 (e) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter or another
 37 law, a change in the criteria for or the amount of a benefit awarded
 38 under this chapter enacted in the 2011 session of the general assembly
 39 applies only to an individual who qualifies for a benefit under this
 40 chapter because of a father or mother (or in the case of section 1(1) of
 41 this chapter, a related member) who enlisted or otherwise initially
 42 served in the armed forces of the United States after June 30, 2011.

43 SECTION 3. IC 21-14-4-2.5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY
 44 1, 2013]. Sec. 2-5: (a) This section applies to an individual who
 45 qualifies as an eligible applicant under section 1(3) of this chapter
 46 because the individual's father or mother:

- 1 (1) enlisted or otherwise initially served in the armed forces of the
 2 United States after June 30, 2011; and
 3 (2) suffered a disability as determined by the United States
 4 Department of Veterans Affairs.
- 5 (b) This subsection does not apply to an individual who:
 6 (1) is an eligible applicant under section 1(3) of this chapter; and
 7 (2) qualifies as an eligible applicant under section 1(1) or 1(2) of
 8 this chapter.
- 9 (c) Subject to subsection (d) and section 2(b) of this chapter, the
 10 eligible applicant is entitled to a reduction in the educational costs that
 11 would otherwise apply as follows:
- 12 (1) If the individual's father or mother suffered a disability as
 13 determined by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs
 14 with a rating of eighty percent (80%) or more, the individual is
 15 entitled to a one hundred percent (100%) reduction in education
 16 costs.
- 17 (2) If the individual's father or mother suffered a disability as
 18 determined by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs
 19 with a rating of less than eighty percent (80%); the individual is
 20 entitled to a reduction in education costs equal to the sum of:
- 21 (A) twenty percent (20%); plus
 22 (B) the disability rating of the individual's father or mother.
- 23 (d) The latest disability rating determined by the United States
 24 Department of Veterans Affairs for an individual's father or mother
 25 shall be used to compute the percentage by which education costs are
 26 reduced under this section. If the disability rating of the individual's
 27 father or mother changes after the beginning of an academic semester,
 28 quarter, or other period for which educational costs have been reduced
 29 under this section, the change in disability rating shall be applied
 30 beginning with the immediately following academic semester, quarter,
 31 or other period."
- 32 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to ESB 177 as printed March 12, 2013.)

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