

ENGROSSED HOUSE AMENDMENT

TO

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 908

By: Leftwich, Brown and Cain  
of the Senate

and

Blackburn of the House

( schools - waivers of tuition fees - children of  
deceased employees - effective date -  
emergency )

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Strike the stricken title, enacting clause and  
entire bill and insert

"( schools - amending 70 O.S., Section 3218.7 - tuition  
fees - effective date - emergency )

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 1991, Section 3218.7, is  
amended to read as follows:

Section 3218.7 Within The Oklahoma State System of Higher  
Education, no general enrollment fee or nonresident tuition shall be  
charged to the children of:

1. Oklahoma peace officers as defined by Section 648 of Title  
21 of the Oklahoma Statutes who have given their lives in the line  
of duty ~~or to the children of;~~

2. Oklahoma firefighters who have given their lives in the line  
of duty; or

3. Oklahomans who have lost their lives as a result of the  
intentional acts of another while in the course of their employment.

Such waiver of general enrollment fee and nonresident tuition shall be limited to a period of five (5) years.

Such waiver of general enrollment fees or nonresident tuition to the children of deceased peace officers ~~and to the children of,~~ deceased firefighters, and deceased Oklahomans as provided for in this section shall be a service benefit of each Oklahoma peace officer ~~and,~~ Oklahoma firefighter, and Oklahoman.

The provisions of this section shall only apply when all other grants and scholarships available to such children of Oklahomans have been exhausted.

For purposes of this section, "firefighter" means a volunteer firefighter or a permanent salaried professional member of any fire department within the State of Oklahoma.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1996.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval."

Passed the House of Representatives the 8th day of April, 1996.

Speaker of the House of  
Representatives

Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1996.

President of the Senate