

1 1. Is currently serving as a member of the active uniformed
2 military services of the United States on full-time active duty
3 status of more than thirty (30) days;

4 2. Is currently serving as a member of the military reserve on
5 active duty orders of more than thirty (30) days; or

6 3. Is currently serving as a certified active member of the
7 Oklahoma Air or Army National Guard in good standing.

8 B. To be eligible for resident tuition as provided for in
9 subsection A of this section and to maintain eligibility, the
10 student shall:

11 1. Satisfy admission and retention standards as determined by
12 the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education for the appropriate
13 type of institution;

14 2. Have secured admission to and enrolled in a full-time or
15 part-time program of study at an institution within The Oklahoma
16 State System of Higher Education;

17 3. Be enrolled in a program of study leading to an associate or
18 a baccalaureate degree;

19 4. Be stationed in Oklahoma or temporarily present through
20 military orders; and

21 5. Be continuously enrolled in a program of study at an
22 institution within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education.
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1 C. The spouse and dependent children of a person who meets the
2 in-state status eligibility requirement as set forth in subsection A
3 of this section shall be eligible for resident tuition as long as
4 they meet the requirements as set forth in subsection B of this
5 section.

6 D. When a student who meets the requirements of this section is
7 transferred out-of-state through military orders, the student, the
8 spouse of the student and dependent children shall continue to be
9 classified as in-state status for as long as they remain
10 continuously enrolled in a program of study at an institution within
11 The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education.

12 E. A student who meets the requirements of this section and has
13 been discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable
14 and who remains in the state, may retain in-state status
15 classification without the twelve-month waiting period if the
16 student establishes domicile in the state.

17 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
18 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 14-108.2 of Title 70, unless
19 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

20 A. A student shall be eligible for residency status for a
21 program offered at a technology center school district regardless of
22 the residency of the student if the student:

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2 military services of the United States on full-time active duty
3 status of more than thirty (30) days;

4 2. Is currently serving as a member of the military reserve on
5 active duty orders of more than thirty (30) days; or

6 3. Is currently serving as a certified active member of the
7 Oklahoma Air or Army National Guard in good standing.

8 B. To be eligible for resident tuition as provided for in
9 subsection A of this section and to maintain eligibility, the
10 student shall:

11 1. Satisfy enrollment and retention standards as determined by
12 the board of education of the technology center school district;

13 2. Have enrolled in a full-time or part-time program at a
14 technology center school district;

15 3. Be stationed in Oklahoma or temporarily present through
16 military orders; and

17 4. Be continuously enrolled in a program at a technology center
18 school district.

19 C. The spouse and dependent children of a person who meets the
20 resident status eligibility requirement as set forth in subsection A
21 of this section shall be eligible for resident tuition as long as
22 they meet the requirements as set forth in subsection B of this
23 section.

1 D. When a student who meets the requirements of this section is
2 transferred out-of-state through military orders, the student, the
3 spouse of the student and dependent children shall continue to be
4 classified as resident status for as long as they remain
5 continuously enrolled in a program at a technology center school
6 district.

7 E. A student who meets the requirements of this section and has
8 been discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable
9 and who remains in the state, may retain resident status
10 classification if the student establishes domicile in the state.

11 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2012.

12 SECTION 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
13 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
14 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
15 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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17 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET, dated
18 02/28/2012 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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