

1 1. Dependent child or spouse of a person currently serving as a
2 member of the active uniformed services of the United States on
3 full-time active duty status of more than thirty (30) days and for
4 whom Oklahoma is the home of record;

5 2. Dependent child or spouse of a person currently serving as a
6 member of the military reserve on active duty orders of more than
7 thirty (30) days and for whom Oklahoma is the home of record;

8 3. Person, or spouse or dependent child of a person, currently
9 serving as a member of the uniformed services of the United States
10 who is on full-time active duty for a period of more than thirty
11 (30) days and is stationed or temporarily present in Oklahoma
12 through military orders;

13 4. Person, or spouse or dependent child of a person, who was
14 discharged or released from a period of not fewer than ninety (90)
15 days of active uniformed service, ~~less than ten (10) years before~~
16 ~~the date of enrollment in the course(s) concerned and for whom~~
17 ~~Oklahoma is the home of record; or~~

18 5. Person who is participating in or has received a partial or
19 full scholarship from the Air Force Reserve Officers' Training
20 Corps, Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps or the Navy/Marines
21 Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

22 B. To be eligible for in-state status as provided for in
23 subsection A of this section and to maintain eligibility, the
24 student shall:

1 1. Satisfy admission and retention standards as determined by
2 the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education for an institution
3 within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education; and

4 2. Have secured admission to and enrolls full-time or part-time
5 in a program of study at an institution within The Oklahoma State
6 System of Higher Education.

7 C. A student who files with the institution within The Oklahoma
8 State System of Higher Education at which the student intends to
9 register a letter of intent to establish residence in the state and
10 who resides in the state while enrolled in the institution shall be
11 eligible for in-state status, regardless of the residency of the
12 student or home of record, if the student:

13 1. Is a person who:

14 a. was discharged or released from a period of not fewer
15 than ninety (90) days of active duty uniformed
16 service, ~~less than five (5) years before the date of~~
17 ~~enrollment in the course(s) concerned,~~ and

18 b. is pursuing a course of education with educational
19 assistance under Chapter 30 ~~or~~, 31, 33, or 35 of Title
20 38 of the United States Code while living in this
21 state; or

22 2. Is a person who:

23 a. is entitled to assistance under Section 3311(b) (9) or
24 3319 of Title 38 of the United States Code by virtue

1 of a relationship to a person who was discharged or
2 released from a period of not fewer than ninety (90)
3 days of active duty uniformed services, and

4 b. enrolls in the course(s) concerned within five (5)
5 years of the date the related person was discharged or
6 released from a period of not fewer than ninety (90)
7 days of active duty uniformed services.

8 D. To be eligible for in-state status as provided for in
9 subsection C 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 an institution
13 within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education; and

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

17 E. A student who meets the eligibility requirements for in-
18 state status shall maintain in-state status if the student remains
19 continuously enrolled at an institution within The Oklahoma State
20 System of Higher Education after the student:

21 1. As described in ~~paragraphs~~ paragraph 1, 2 or, 3, or 4 of
22 subsection A or paragraph 1 or 2 of subsection C of this section is
23 discharged or released from active duty service;

1 2. ~~As described in paragraph 4 of subsection A of this section~~
2 ~~or paragraph 1 and 2 of subsection C of this section exceeds the~~
3 ~~five-year period after being discharged or released from active duty~~
4 ~~uniformed service;~~

5 ~~3.~~ As described in paragraph 1 of subsection C of this section
6 has exhausted education assistance provided under Chapter 30 ~~or, 31,~~
7 33, or 35 of Title 38 of the United States Code; or

8 ~~4.~~ 3. As described in paragraph 2 of subsection C of this
9 section has exhausted education assistance provided under Section
10 3311(b) (9) or 3319 of Title 38 of the United States Code.

11 F. For purposes of this section, "home of record" means the
12 place where one was living when the person enlisted or was
13 commissioned into the military or reenlisted in the military.

14 G. The State Regents for Higher Education shall develop
15 policies and procedures necessary to implement the provisions of
16 this section.

17 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
18 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
19 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
20 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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22 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND MILITARY AFFAIRS,
23 dated 02/22/2023 - DO PASS, As Coauthored.