

~~(3) THE 24 MONTH REQUIREMENT RUNS FROM THE FIRST DAY OF CLASSES FOR THE SEMESTER.~~

~~(D) IF A RECIPIENT OF THE TUITION WAIVER UNDER THIS SECTION IS DISCHARGED FROM THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD FOR A REASON DESIGNATED BY THE MARYLAND ADJUTANT GENERAL, THE TUITION WAIVER TERMINATES AND THE MEMBER OWES THE INSTITUTION WITHIN 30 DAYS OF DISCHARGE THE AMOUNT OF THE TUITION WAIVED FOR THAT SEMESTER.~~

~~(E) (1) THE PRESIDENT OF AN INSTITUTION MAY WAIVE UP TO 100% OF THE TUITION OF ANY SCHEDULED CREDIT OR NONCREDIT COURSE, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER REGULARLY SCHEDULED COURSE SPACE IS AVAILABLE, FOR A MEMBER OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD WHO IS ELIGIBLE UNDER THIS SECTION.~~

~~(2) THE PRESIDENT OF AN INSTITUTION MAY WAIVE FEES FOR A MEMBER OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD WHO IS ELIGIBLE UNDER THIS SECTION.~~

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~~(E) (1) (I) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED:~~

~~(II) "INSTITUTION" MEANS A COMMUNITY COLLEGE LOCATED IN THE STATE.~~

~~(III) "MEMBER OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD" MEANS ANY RESIDENT OF THE STATE WHO:~~

~~1. IS REGULARLY ENLISTED IN THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD; OR~~

~~2. HOLDS A COMMISSION IN THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD AS:~~

~~A. AN OFFICER IN THE GRADE OF CAPTAIN OR BELOW; OR~~

~~B. A WARRANT OFFICER.~~

~~(IV) "TUITION" MEANS THE BASIC INSTRUCTIONAL CHARGE FOR COURSES AND DOES NOT PERTAIN TO SELF-SUPPORTING PROGRAMS OR INCLUDE FEES, SUCH AS THOSE FOR REGISTRATION, APPLICATION, OR LABORATORY WORK.~~

~~(V) "TUITION WAIVER" MEANS THE WAIVER OF ONE HALF OF THE TUITION CHARGED FOR A CREDIT OR NONCREDIT COURSE.~~

~~(2) AN INSTITUTION SHALL WAIVE ONE HALF OF THE TUITION OF ANY SCHEDULED CREDIT OR NONCREDIT COURSE FOR A MEMBER OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD IF:~~

~~(I) THE MEMBER IS ENROLLED AT THE INSTITUTION;~~

~~(II) THE MEMBER IS CERTIFIED AS ELIGIBLE BY THE MARYLAND ADJUTANT GENERAL, AS PROVIDED UNDER PARAGRAPH (4) OF THIS SUBSECTION;~~