



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 791

SENATE BILL NO. 2486

By Briggs, Yager, Powers, Lundberg, Crowe, Mr. Speaker McNally

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2710

By Ragan, Cochran, Garrett, Lafferty, Hazlewood, Darby, Keisling, Whitson, White, Moody, Doggett, Gillespie, Parkinson, Moon

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 13, relative to the Tennessee Veterans Education Transition Support Act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-1303, is amended by adding the following subdivision:

() "Military-affiliated" means active-duty military personnel, reservists, members of the national guard, and reserve officer training corps program cadets.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-1304, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following as a new subsection:

(b) The board of regents, the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee, and each state university board of trustees may classify a veteran or military-affiliated individual as a Tennessee resident who is not required to pay out-of-state tuition or an out-of-state fee if the veteran or military-affiliated individual is:

- (1) Enrolled in the public institution of higher education; and
- (2) Resides outside the state of Tennessee.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: March 23, 2022



RANDY McNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 8th day of April 2022



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR