

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**HOUSE BILL 1601**

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TUITION AND FEE WAIVERS--MEMBERS OF WASHINGTON NATIONAL GUARD

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/6/96

Passed by the House January 12, 1996  
Yeas 80 Nays 11

CLYDE BALLARD  
**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Passed by the Senate February 27, 1996  
Yeas 48 Nays 0

JOEL PRITCHARD  
**President of the Senate**

Approved March 6, 1996

MIKE LOWRY  
**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1601** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN  
**Chief Clerk**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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By Representatives D. Schmidt, Carlson, Mulliken, Jacobsen, Koster, Sheldon, Costa, Radcliff, Lambert, Robertson, Carrell, Backlund, Ballasiotes, Skinner, Huff, Johnson, Thompson, Elliot, Wolfe, Talcott, Conway, Kremen, Campbell, Benton, Mason, Cooke and Kessler

Read first time 02/01/95. Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

1            AN ACT Relating to tuition and fee waivers; and amending RCW  
2 28B.15.535.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.15.535 and 1992 c 231 s 15 are each amended to  
5 read as follows:

6            (1) The governing boards of the state universities, the regional  
7 universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community colleges  
8 may waive all or a portion of the tuition and services and activities  
9 fees for full-time employees of their respective institutions of higher  
10 education and for members of the Washington national guard enrolled in  
11 said institutions' courses on a space available basis pursuant to the  
12 following conditions:

13            (a) Employees of the institutions and members of the Washington  
14 national guard shall register for and be enrolled in courses on a space  
15 available basis, and no new course sections shall be created as a  
16 direct result of such registration;

17            (b) Enrollment information on employees and on members of the  
18 Washington national guard registered on a space available basis shall  
19 be maintained separately from other enrollment information and shall

1 not be included in official enrollment reports, nor shall persons  
2 enrolled pursuant to the provisions of this section be considered in  
3 any enrollment statistics which would affect budgetary determinations;

4 (c) Employees of the institutions and members of the Washington  
5 national guard registering on a space available basis shall be charged  
6 a registration fee (~~((of not less than five dollars))~~) that will fully  
7 cover institutional costs of administering the student's enrollment.

8 (2) The governing boards of the respective colleges and  
9 universities may waive all or a portion of tuition and services and  
10 activities fees for full-time intercollegiate center for nursing  
11 education, cooperative extension service, and agricultural research  
12 employees of Washington State University for such employees stationed  
13 off the Pullman, Whitman county campus: PROVIDED, That such waiver  
14 complies with the conditions spelled out in subsection (1) (a), (b),  
15 and (c) of this section.

16 (3) The governing boards of the state universities, the regional  
17 universities, and The Evergreen State College and the state board for  
18 community and technical colleges shall adopt guidelines for the  
19 implementation of institutional employee and Washington national guard  
20 waivers granted pursuant to this section.

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