

**Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2005**

SENATE BILL NO. 2076
(Education Committee)
(At the request of the State Board of Higher Education)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 15-10-19.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of resident student for tuition purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 2 of section 15-10-19.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

2. A "resident student" for tuition purposes means:
 - a. A person whose guardian, custodial parent, or parents are legal residents of this state and have resided in this state for twelve months, or a dependent child whose custodial parent moved into the state with the intent to establish legal residency for a period of years within the last twelve months immediately prior to the beginning of the academic term;
 - b. A person of age eighteen or over who is a legal resident of this state and has resided in this state after reaching age eighteen for twelve months immediately prior to the beginning of the academic term;
 - c. A person who graduated from a North Dakota high school;
 - d. A full-time active duty member of the armed forces ~~assigned to a military installation in this state~~ or a member of a North Dakota national guard unit;
 - e. A spouse or dependent of a full-time active duty member of the armed forces ~~assigned to a military installation in this state~~ or a member of a North Dakota national guard unit or of an employee of any institution of higher education in this state, and a spouse of any other resident for tuition purposes; ~~and~~
 - f. A person who was a legal resident of this state for at least three consecutive years within six years of the beginning of the academic term; or
 - g. A child, spouse, widow, or widower of a veteran as defined in section 37-01-40 who was killed in action or died from wounds or other service-connected causes, was totally disabled as a result of service-connected causes, died from service-connected disabilities, was a prisoner of war, or was declared missing in action.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2076.

Senate Vote: Yeas 46 Nays 0 Absent 1

House Vote: Yeas 70 Nays 18 Absent 6

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2005.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2005.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2005,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State