ARKANSAS SENATE

85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005

Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1141

"TO AMEND THE TUITION WAIVER AND ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD SOLDIERS AND AIRMAN."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1141.

Amend House Bill No. 1141 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Salmon as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following: "SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-60-211 is amended to read as follows:

6-60-211. Tuition waiver for Arkansas National Guard soldiers and airmen -- Tuition assistance for soldiers.

(a) Colleges, universities, community colleges, technical schools, and other postsecondary institutions of higher learning located in the State of Arkansas that directly receive funds appropriated by the General Assembly may waive up to twenty-five percent (25%) of the tuition at the institution for soldiers and airmen of the Arkansas National Guard who are participants in the Arkansas National Guard Tuition Assistance Plan.

(b) The plan shall fund the first seventy-five percent (75%) of all the tuition costs for the soldiers and airmen.

(e)(1)(b)(1) The Adjutant General of Arkansas shall establish and publish regulations for the eligibility and implementation of the plan tuition assistance programs sponsored by the armed services.

(2) The Adjutant General's regulations shall conform to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(3) The Adjutant General shall provide each postsecondary institution of higher learning located in the State of Arkansas a copy of the regulations within thirty (30) days after publication."

AND

If appropriate, renumber the remaining sections of the bill



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and ______ By: Senator Salmon KAC/TAT - 01-24-2005 16:13 KAC273