

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Action Item

September 23, 2016

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-14.0305, Out-of-State Fee Waiver for Veterans and Other Eligible Students

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1009.26, Florida Statutes

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The rule is being amended to include active duty members of the Armed Forces of the United States residing or stationed outside of Florida as eligible for the out-of-state fee waiver pursuant to section 1009.26(14)(a), F.S.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-14.0305, F.A.C

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6A-14.0305 Out-of-State Fee Waiver for Veterans and Other Eligible Students

(1) Each Florida College System institution board of trustees, each district school board with a career center authorized under Section 1001.44, F.S. and each board of directors for a charter technical career center authorized under Section 1002.34, F.S., shall waive out-of-state fees for:

(a) Honorably discharged veterans of the United States Armed and Reserve Forces (Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marines, and Navy) and the National Guard (Army and Air) or any other student who is entitled to and uses educational assistance provided by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs who physically resides in Florida while enrolled as a degree or certificate seeking student. Tuition and fees charged to a student who qualifies for the out-of-state fee waiver under this subsection may not exceed the tuition and fees charged a resident student enrolled in the same program.

(b) Active duty member of the Armed Forces of the United States residing or stationed outside of Florida who are enrolled as a degree or certificate seeking student. Tuition and fees charged to a student who qualifies for the out-of-state fee waiver under this subsection may not exceed the tuition and fees charged to a resident student enrolled in the same program.

(2) through (3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1009.26 FS. Law Implemented 1009.26 FS. History—New 7-28-15.