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- 5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the 6 following:
- 7 "Sec. 1. RCW 28B.15.620 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 24 are each amended 8 to read as follows:
- Subject to the limitations of RCW 28B.15.910, the governing boards 9 10 of the state universities, the regional universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may exempt veterans of the 11 12 Vietnam conflict who have served in the southeast Asia theater of 13 operations from the payment of all or a portion of any increase in 14 tuition and fees ((otherwise applicable to any other resident or 15 nonresident student. In such cases, the veteran shall not be required 16 to pay more than the total amount of tuition and fees paid by veterans of the Vietnam conflict on)) that occur after October 1, 1977: 17 PROVIDED, That for the purposes of this exemption, "veterans of the 18 Vietnam conflict shall be those persons who have been on active 19 federal service as a member of the armed military or naval forces of 20 21 the United States between a period commencing August 5, 1964, and 22 ending on May 7, 1975, and who qualify as a resident student under RCW 23 28B.15.012, and who enrolled in state institutions of higher education on or before May 7, 1990. This section shall expire June 30, ((1995)) 24
- 26 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.15.628 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 25 are each amended 27 to read as follows:
- Subject to the limitations of RCW 28B.15.910, the governing boards 28 29 of the state universities, the regional universities, The Evergreen 30 State College, and the community colleges may exempt veterans of the 31 Persian Gulf combat zone from all or a portion of increases in tuition and fees that occur ((during and after their period of service. In 32 33 such cases, the veteran shall not be required to pay more than the total amount of tuition and fees established for)) after the 1990-91 34 academic year, if the veteran could have qualified as a Washington 35

- 1 resident student under RCW 28B.15.012(2), had he or she been enrolled
- 2 as a student on August 1, 1990, and if the veteran's adjusted gross
- 3 family income as most recently reported to the internal revenue service
- 4 does not exceed Washington state's median family income as established
- 5 by the federal bureau of the census. For the purposes of this section,
- 6 "a veteran of the Persian Gulf combat zone" means a person who during
- 7 any portion of calendar year 1991, served in active federal service as
- 8 a member of the armed military or naval forces of the United States in
- 9 a combat zone as designated by the president of the United States by
- 10 executive order.
- 11 Sec. 3. 1991 c 164 s 11 (uncodified) is amended to read as
- 12 follows:
- Section 2 of this act shall expire June 30, $((\frac{1995}{}))$ $\frac{1997}{}$.
- 14 Sec. 4. 1991 c 228 s 15 (uncodified) is amended to read as
- 15 follows:
- Sections 13 and 14 of this act shall expire on June 30, ((1994))
- 17 1997."

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