## 2 <u>SSB 5215</u> - H AMD **0160 WITHDRAWN 04/08/99**

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- 5 On page 3, after line 6, insert the following:
- 6 "Sec. 4. RCW 28B.15.012 and 1997 c 433 s 2 are each amended to 7 read as follows:
- 8 Whenever used in chapter 28B.15 RCW:
- 9 (1) The term "institution" shall mean a public university, college, 10 or community college within the state of Washington.
- 11 (2) The term "resident student" shall mean:
- (a) A financially independent student who has had a domicile in the state of Washington for the period of one year immediately prior to the time of commencement of the first day of the semester or quarter for which the student has registered at any institution and has in fact established a bona fide domicile in this state primarily for purposes other than educational;
- (b) A dependent student, if one or both of the student's parents or legal guardians have maintained a bona fide domicile in the state of Washington for at least one year immediately prior to commencement of the semester or quarter for which the student has registered at any institution;
- (c) A student classified as a resident based upon domicile by an institution on or before May 31, 1982, who was enrolled at a state institution during any term of the 1982-1983 academic year, so long as such student's enrollment (excepting summer sessions) at an institution in this state is continuous;
- 28 (d) Any student who has spent at least seventy-five percent of both his or her junior and senior years in high schools in this state, whose 29 30 parents or legal guardians have been domiciled in the state for a period of at least one year within the five-year period before the 31 student graduates from high school, and who enrolls in a public 32 institution of higher education within six months of leaving high 33 34 school, for as long as the student remains continuously enrolled for 35 three quarters or two semesters in any calendar year;

- 1 (e) A student who is on active military duty stationed in the 2 state;
- 3 <u>(f)</u> A student who is the spouse or a dependent of a person who is 4 on active military duty stationed in the state;
- $((\frac{f}{f}))$  (g) A student of an out-of-state institution of higher education who is attending a Washington state institution of higher education pursuant to a home tuition agreement as described in RCW 28B.15.725; or
- 9  $((\frac{q}{q}))$  (h) A student who meets the requirements of RCW 10 28B.15.0131: PROVIDED, That a nonresident student enrolled for more than six hours per semester or quarter shall be considered as attending 11 for primarily educational purposes, and for tuition and fee paying 12 13 purposes only such period of enrollment shall not be counted toward the establishment of a bona fide domicile of one year in this state unless 14 15 such student proves that the student has in fact established a bona 16 fide domicile in this state primarily for purposes other than 17 educational.
- 18 (3) The term "nonresident student" shall mean any student who does 19 not qualify as a "resident student" under the provisions of RCW 20 28B.15.012 and 28B.15.013. Except for students qualifying under 21 subsection  $(2)((\frac{f}{f}))$  (g) of this section, a nonresident student shall 22 include:
- 23 (a) A student attending an institution with the aid of financial 24 assistance provided by another state or governmental unit or agency 25 thereof, such nonresidency continuing for one year after the completion 26 of such semester or quarter.

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- (b) A person who is not a citizen of the United States of America who does not have permanent or temporary resident status or does not hold "Refugee-Parolee" or "Conditional Entrant" status with the United States immigration and naturalization service or is not otherwise permanently residing in the United States under color of law and who does not also meet and comply with all the applicable requirements in RCW 28B.15.012 and 28B.15.013.
- 34 (4) The term "domicile" shall denote a person's true, fixed and 35 permanent home and place of habitation. It is the place where the 36 student intends to remain, and to which the student expects to return 37 when the student leaves without intending to establish a new domicile 38 elsewhere. The burden of proof that a student, parent or guardian has

- 1 established a domicile in the state of Washington primarily for 2 purposes other than educational lies with the student.
- (5) The term "dependent" shall mean a person who is not financially independent. Factors to be considered in determining whether a person is financially independent shall be set forth in rules and regulations adopted by the higher education coordinating board and shall include, but not be limited to, the state and federal income tax returns of the person and/or the student's parents or legal guardian filed for the calendar year prior to the year in which application is made and such
- 11 **Sec. 5.** RCW 28B.15.014 and 1997 c 433 s 3 are each amended to read 12 as follows:

other evidence as the board may require.

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- Subject to the limitations of RCW 28B.15.910, the governing boards of the state universities, the regional universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may exempt the following nonresidents from paying all or a portion of the nonresident tuition fees differential:
- (1) Any person who resides in the state of Washington and who holds a graduate service appointment designated as such by a public institution of higher education or is employed for an academic department in support of the instructional or research programs involving not less than twenty hours per week during the term such person shall hold such appointment.
- (2) Any faculty member, classified staff member or administratively exempt employee holding not less than a half time appointment at an institution who resides in the state of Washington, and the dependent children and spouse of such persons.
- 28 (3) ((Active-duty military personnel stationed in the state of 29 Washington.
- (4)) Any immigrant refugee and the spouse and dependent children of such refugee, if the refugee (a) is on parole status, or (b) has received an immigrant visa, or (c) has applied for United States citizenship.
- (((5))) (4) Any dependent of a member of the United States congress representing the state of Washington."
- Renumber the remaining section consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

1 Correct the title.

 $\underline{\text{EFFECT:}}$  Students on active military duty stationed in the state are defined as residents for tuition paying purposes.

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