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- 1 AN ACT Relating to expanding the national guard scholarship
- 2 program; and amending RCW 28B.103.010.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.103.010 and 1994 c 234 s 5 are each amended to 5 read as follows:
- Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in this section apply throughout this section and RCW 28B.103.020 and 8 28B.103.030.
- 9 (1) "Eligible student" means an enlisted member or an officer of 10 the rank of captain or below in the Washington national guard who ((is
- 11 a resident student as defined in RCW 28B.15.012 and 28B.15.013, who))
- 12 attends an institution of higher education that is ((located in this
- 13 state and)) accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and
- 14 Colleges, and who meets any additional selection criteria adopted by
- 15 the office.
- 16 (2) "Conditional scholarship" means a loan that is forgiven in
- 17 whole or in part if the recipient renders service as a member of the
- 18 Washington national guard under rules adopted by the office.

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- 1 (3) "Forgiven" or "to forgive" or "forgiveness" means either to 2 render service in the Washington national guard in lieu of monetary 3 repayment, or to be relieved of the service obligation under rules 4 adopted by the office.
- 5 (4) "Office" means the office of the adjutant general of the state 6 military department.
- 7 (5) "Participant" means an eligible student who has received a 8 conditional scholarship under this chapter.
- 9 (6) "Service obligation" means serving in the Washington national 10 guard for one additional year for each year of conditional scholarship 11 received under this program.

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