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HR 197

Military In-State Tuition Act of 2005 Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Jan 4, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. (Jan 27, 2005)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 4, 2005)

Military In-State Tuition Act of 2005 - Prohibits a member of the armed forces on active duty for a period of more than 30 days whose domicile or permanent duty station is in a State, and the dependents of such a member, from being charged tuition for attendance at a public institution of higher education in that State at a greater rate than that charged for residents of that State. Requires such rate to continue notwithstanding a subsequent change in permanent duty station outside that State.

Actions Timeline

- Jan 27, 2005: Executive Comment Requested from DOD.
- Jan 27, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- Jan 4, 2005: Introduced in House
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