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Amendment No. \_\_\_\_ (for drafter's use only)

	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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Representative(s) Lynn, Fasano, and Stansel offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, of the bill

insert:

Section 2. Section 295.02, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

295.02 Use of funds; age, etc.--All sums appropriated and expended under this chapter shall be used to pay tuition and registration fees, board, and room rent and to buy books and supplies for the children of deceased or disabled veterans or service members, as defined and limited in s. 295.01, s. 295.016, s. 295.017, s. 295.018, s. 295.0185, or s. 295.0195, or of parents classified as prisoners of war or missing in action, as defined and limited in s. 295.015, who are between the ages of 12 ~~16~~ and 22 years and who are in attendance at a state-supported institution of higher learning, including a community college or vocational-technical school. Any child having entered upon a course of training or education under

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1 the provisions of this chapter, consisting of a course of not  
 2 more than 4 years, and arriving at the age of 22 years before  
 3 the completion of such course may continue the course and  
 4 receive all benefits of the provisions of this chapter until  
 5 the course is completed. The Department of Education shall  
 6 administer this educational program subject to regulations of  
 7 the department.

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11 And the title is amended as follows:

12 On page 1, lines 3-13,  
 13 remove: all of said lines

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and insert:

16 dependent children of military personnel;  
 17 creating s. 295.0185, F.S.; providing  
 18 educational opportunity at state expense for  
 19 dependent children of military personnel who  
 20 died or suffered a service-connected  
 21 100-percent total and permanent disability in  
 22 Operation Enduring Freedom; specifying  
 23 documentation which constitutes proof of  
 24 eligibility for such benefits; amending s.  
 25 295.02, F.S.; revising the eligibility age for  
 26 dependent children of certain military  
 27 personnel to receive educational benefits;  
 28 providing an effective date.

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