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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to the determination of
resident status for tuition purposes; amending
s. 1009.21, F.S.; classifying certain liaison
officers and their spouses and dependent
children as residents for tuition purposes;
providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (k) is added to subsection (10)
of section 1009.21, Florida Statutes, to read:

1009.21 Determination of resident status for tuition
purposes.--Students shall be classified as residents or
nonresidents for the purpose of assessing tuition in community
colleges and state universities.

(10) The following persons shall be classified as
residents for tuition purposes:

(k) Active duty members of a foreign nation's military
who are serving as liaison officers and are residing or
stationed in this state, and their spouses and dependent
children, attending a community college or state university
within 50 miles of the military establishment where they are
stationed.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.

SENATE SUMMARY

Classifies certain active duty members of a foreign
nation's military who are serving as liaison officers,
and their spouses and dependent children, as residents of
this state for tuition purposes.