

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE BILL 177**

Short Title: UNC Tuition/Military Students.

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Sponsors: Representatives McAllister; Adams, Fitch, Hunter, Hurley, Michaux,  
and Morris.

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Referred to: Education.

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February 20, 2001

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A MEMBER OF THE MILITARY WHO ATTENDS  
2 A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OR A COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHALL BE  
3 CHARGED ONLY THE IN-STATE TUITION RATE.  
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 116-143.3(b) reads as rewritten:

7 "(b) Any member of the armed services qualifying for admission to an institution  
8 of higher education as defined in G.S. 116-143.1(a)(3) but not qualifying as a resident  
9 for tuition purposes under G.S. 116-143.1 shall be ~~charged the out of State tuition rate;~~  
10 ~~provided, that the out of State tuition shall be forgiven to the extent that the out of State~~  
11 ~~tuition rate exceeds any amounts payable to the institution or the service member by the~~  
12 ~~service member's employer by reason of enrollment pursuant to such admission while~~  
13 ~~the member is abiding in this State incident to active military duty, plus the amount that~~  
14 ~~represents the percentage of the out of State tuition rate paid to the institution or the~~  
15 ~~service member by the service member's employer multiplied by the in State tuition rate~~  
16 ~~and then subtracted from the in State tuition rate. Any member of the armed services~~  
17 ~~who does not qualify for any payment by the member's employer shall be eligible to be~~  
18 ~~charged the in State tuition rate and shall pay the full amount of the in State tuition~~  
19 ~~rate.~~eligible to be charged the in-State tuition rate."

20 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2001.