



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 941

PRINTERS NO. 949

PRIME SPONSOR: Burns

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2020/21	FY 2021/22
General Fund	\$0	See Fiscal Impact

SUMMARY: House Bill 941, Printer's Number 949, provides in-state tuition rates for military personnel and dependents by establishing enrollment requirements to qualify.

ANALYSIS: This bill amends Act 287 of 1982, which currently provides in-state tuition to active military, their dependents and civilian personnel stationed, assigned or transferred to Pennsylvania. It further provides for residency and enrollment requirements to qualify for in-state tuition related to public institutions of higher learning, State-related or State-owned institutions and community colleges. Prospective students are considered a resident for in-state tuition provided "on the date of deposit confirming their intent to enroll, begins enrollment within the corresponding term for which the deposit was made and remains in continuous enrollment at the institution."

This legislation would take effect in 60 days upon enactment.

FISCAL IMPACT: Enactment of this bill will have no fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds. The legislation may impact tuition revenue to state-related universities, State System universities, and community colleges. Those institutions could receive less tuition revenue to the extent that individuals who would have attended as an out-of-state student will now pay less.

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Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.