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(By Senator BAILEY, ET AL)

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Senate Bill No. 18

(SENATORS BAILEY, DEMPSEY, SHARPE, MINARD,
HUNTER AND LOVE, *original sponsors*)

[Passed March 11, 2006; to take effect July 1, 2006.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact §18B-10-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to granting tuition waivers to the children and spouses of parole and probation officers killed in the line of duty.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §18B-10-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 10. FEES AND OTHER MONEY COLLECTED AT STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

§18B-10-7. Tuition and fee waivers for children and spouses of officers and firefighters killed in the line of duty.

- 1 (a) Each state institution of higher education shall
- 2 permit any person to attend its undergraduate courses and

3 classes if classroom space is available without charging
4 the person any tuition or any fees if:

5 (1) The person is the child or spouse of an individual who
6 was:

7 (A) A law-enforcement officer as defined in section one,
8 article twenty-nine, chapter thirty of this code;

9 (B) A correctional officer at a state penal institution;

10 (C) A parole officer;

11 (D) A probation officer;

12 (E) A conservation officer; or

13 (F) A registered firefighter; and

14 (2) Killed in the line of duty while:

15 (A) Employed by the state or any political subdivision of
16 the state; or

17 (B) A member of a volunteer fire department serving a
18 political subdivision of this state.

19 (b) The state institution of higher education may require
20 the person to pay:

21 (1) Special fees, including any laboratory fees, if the fees
22 are required of all other students taking a single or that
23 particular course; and

24 (2) Parking fees.

25 (c) The governing boards may promulgate rules:

26 (1) For determining the availability of classroom space;

27 (2) As it considers necessary to implement this section;
28 and

29 (3) Regarding requirements for attendance, which may
30 not exceed such requirements for other persons.

31 (d) The governing boards may extend to persons attend-
32 ing courses and classes under this section any rights,
33 privileges or benefits extended to other students which it
34 considers appropriate.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chand White
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Chairman Senate Committee

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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect July 1, 2006.

Parrell Thomas
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Clerk of the Senate

Bruce W. Bell
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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Earl Ray Tomblin
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President of the Senate

Robert
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Speaker House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *10*
Day of *April*, 2006.

Paul M. Hancock
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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

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