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H. R. 7323

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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AN ACT

Amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to disapprove courses of education offered by a public institution of higher learning that does not charge the in-State tuition rate to a veteran using certain educational assistance under title 10 of such Code, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
 2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Montgomery GI Bill
 5 Selected Reserves Tuition Fairness Act of 2024”.

6 **SEC. 2. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS DIS-**
 7 **APPROVAL OF COURSES OFFERED BY PUBLIC**
 8 **INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING THAT**
 9 **DO NOT CHARGE VETERANS IN-STATE TUI-**
 10 **TION RATE FOR PURPOSES OF SELECTED RE-**
 11 **SERVE EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PRO-**
 12 **GRAM.**

13 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (c) of section 3679 of
 14 title 38, United States Code, is amended—

15 (1) in paragraph (1), by inserting “, or chapter
 16 1606 of title 10,” after “chapter 30, 31, 33, or 35
 17 of this title”;

18 (2) in paragraph (2), by adding at the end the
 19 following new subparagraph:

20 “(E) An individual who is entitled to assistance
 21 under section 16131 of title 10.”; and

22 (3) in paragraph (6), by inserting “, or chapter
 23 1606 of title 10” before the period at the end.

24 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Subsection (e) of
 25 such section is amended—

1 (1) in paragraph (1)—

2 (A) in subparagraph (A), by inserting “, or
3 chapter 1606 of title 10,” after “chapter 31,
4 33, or 35 of this title”; and

5 (B) in subparagraph (B), by striking
6 “chapter 31 33, or 35 of this title” and insert-
7 ing “chapter 31, 33, or 35 of this title, or chap-
8 ter 1606 of title 10”; and

9 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “chapter 31
10 33, or 35 of this title” and inserting “chapter 31,
11 33, or 35 of this title, or chapter 1606 of title 10”.

12 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
13 this section shall take effect on the date of the enactment
14 of this Act and shall apply with respect to an academic
15 period that begins on or after August 1, 2025.

16 **SEC. 3. LIMITATION ON AMOUNT OF ENTITLEMENT TO**
17 **EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PAYABLE FOR**
18 **FLIGHT TRAINING UNDER POST-9/11 EDU-**
19 **CATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM OF DE-**
20 **PARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.**

21 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3313 of title 38, United
22 States Code, is amended—

23 (1) in subsection (g)(3)(C), by striking “In the
24 case” and inserting “Subject to the limitation under
25 subsection (m), in the case”; and

1 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
2 section:

3 “(m) LIMITATION ON USE OF ENTITLEMENT FOR
4 FLIGHT TRAINING.—

5 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other
6 provision of this chapter and subject to paragraphs
7 (2) and (3), the maximum amount payable under
8 this chapter to an individual, over the lifetime of the
9 individual, for tuition and fees for the pursuit of a
10 program of flight training offered by a public insti-
11 tution of higher learning that leads to a degree, cer-
12 tificate, or other non-college degree, regardless of
13 how many such programs the individual pursues,
14 is—

15 “(A) in the case of an individual who first
16 pursues such a program during the academic
17 year beginning on August 1, 2025, \$115,749;
18 or

19 “(B) in the case of an individual who first
20 pursues such a program during an academic
21 year beginning on August 1 of any subsequent
22 year, the amount in effect under this subsection
23 for the previous academic year beginning on
24 August 1, as increased by the percentage in-
25 crease equal to the most recent percentage in-

1 crease determined under section 3015(h) of this
2 title.

3 “(2) PURSUIT ON LESS THAN A FULL-TIME
4 BASIS.—In the case of an individual who is entitled
5 to educational assistance under this chapter by rea-
6 son of any of paragraph (3) through (7) of section
7 3311(b) of this title, the maximum amount payable
8 under paragraph (1) is—

9 “(A) the amount in effect under paragraph
10 (1), multiplied by

11 “(B) the same percentage applicable to the
12 monthly amounts payable to the individual
13 under paragraphs (2) through (6) of subsection
14 (c).

15 “(3) PRIOR USE OF ENTITLEMENT.—In the
16 case of an individual who is entitled to educational
17 assistance under this chapter and who uses any of
18 such entitlement prior to the pursuit of a program
19 of flight training offered by a public institution of
20 higher learning that leads to a degree, certificate, or
21 other non-college degree, the maximum amount of
22 payable to the individual under this subsection is—

23 “(A) the maximum total amount in effect
24 under paragraph (1), minus

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