

HOUSE BILL NO. 387

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMAS, Croft, Lynn

Introduced: 1/20/06

Referred: House Special Committee on Education, Health, Education and Social Services, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act providing for a partial tuition waiver for families of members of the Alaska
2 National Guard; and directing the executive director of the Alaska Commission on
3 Postsecondary Education to seek additional funding to support tuition waivers."

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

5 * **Section 1.** AS 14.43 is amended by adding new sections to article 3 to read:

6 **Sec. 14.43.087. Partial tuition waiver for the family of a member of the**
7 **Alaska National Guard.** A person enrolled as a student in good standing in a state-
8 supported educational institution in this state is entitled to a waiver of 50 percent of
9 undergraduate tuition if the person is a spouse or child of an active member of the
10 Alaska National Guard.

11 **Sec. 14.43.088. Supplemental appropriation.** If the executive director of the
12 commission determines that there are insufficient funds to pay for tuition waivers for
13 all eligible applicants under AS 14.43.085 and 14.43.087, the executive director shall
14 request that the legislature make a supplemental appropriation to fund the waivers.