By Senator Hill

2009866 1-00724C-09 A bill to be entitled

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An act relating to resident status for tuition purposes; amending s. 1009.21, F.S.; providing that veterans of the Armed Services of the United States and the United States Reserve Forces and their spouses and dependents who attend a public or private college,

residents for tuition purposes; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Present paragraphs (c) through (k) of subsection (10) of section 1009.21, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (d) through (l), respectively, and a new paragraph (c) is added to that subsection, to read:

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1009.21 Determination of resident status for tuition purposes.-Students shall be classified as residents or nonresidents for the purpose of assessing tuition in community colleges and state universities.

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(10) The following persons shall be classified as residents for tuition purposes:

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(c) Veterans of the Armed Services of the United States and the United States Reserve Forces and their spouses and dependents who attend a public or private college, university, or institution of higher learning.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.