

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to resident status for tuition  
 3           purposes; amending s. 1009.21, F.S.; providing that an  
 4           individual may not lose his or her resident status for  
 5           tuition purposes due solely to his or her  
 6           incarceration in specified correctional facilities;  
 7           providing an effective date.

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

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 11           Section 1. Subsections (4) through (13) of section  
 12           1009.21, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (5)  
 13           through (14), respectively, and a new subsection (4) is added to  
 14           that section to read:

15           1009.21 Determination of resident status for tuition  
 16           purposes.—Students shall be classified as residents or  
 17           nonresidents for the purpose of assessing tuition in  
 18           postsecondary educational programs offered by charter technical  
 19           career centers or career centers operated by school districts,  
 20           in Florida College System institutions, and in state  
 21           universities.

22           (4) An individual may not lose his or her resident status  
 23           for tuition purposes solely by reason of his or her  
 24           incarceration in a state or federal correctional facility in  
 25           this state.

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26 |           Section 2.   This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.           |