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ITEM FOR INFORMATION

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Subject: Residency Classification Guidelines

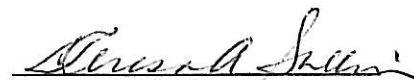
We have revised the Residency Classification Guidelines to expand the military waiver provision (*Section D. Special Waiver of Out-of-State Tuition for Regular Active Duty Military Personnel Living in Michigan*). This revision would grant a waiver of out-of-state tuition to regular active duty personnel who are stationed in Michigan, even if they are living outside of the state. The revision provides military families with a greater opportunity to attend the University of Michigan, and brings Michigan policies into line with those of other states. It is effective Spring term, 2008.

The revised section of the guidelines is below (additions in *bold and italic*; no deletions):

D. Special Waiver of Out-of-State Tuition for Regular Active Duty Military Personnel Living *or Stationed* in Michigan

Regular active duty military personnel who are living *or stationed* in Michigan, as well as their accompanying spouses and dependent children, will be allowed to pay in-state tuition while they attend the University of Michigan, even though they will not be eligible to be classified as residents under the Residency Classification Guidelines. This waiver is available to persons in the U.S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines and Coast Guard, and to officers in the Public Health Service. When the military person upon whom the waiver is based leaves the state, a child or spouse who remains in Michigan enrolled full-time in high school or an institution of higher learning will continue to be eligible to receive the waiver. Children must have completed at least the junior year of high school prior to the military person's departure. In order to request this waiver, the student must submit a residency application by the applicable filing deadline and provide documentation demonstrating eligibility.

Respectfully submitted,



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