

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 327

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

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AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:5023(B)(5), relative to the Taylor Opportunity Program for Students; to provide relative to residency requirements with respect to initial eligibility for a program award; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 17:5023(B)(5) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§5023. Residency requirements

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B. Except as provided by Subsection D of this Section, to be eligible for an award pursuant to this Chapter, a dependent student, as defined by the administering agency, shall meet one of the following requirements:

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(5) His parent or court-ordered custodian meets all of the following criteria:

(a) He is living outside the United States or its territories.

(b) He is not on active duty with the United States armed forces.

(c) He was a resident of Louisiana who actually lived in Louisiana for at least the twenty-four months preceding the date he started living outside the United States or its territories.

1 (d) He has remained a resident of Louisiana through the date of the student's
2 graduation from high school or completion of a home study program approved by
3 the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____