
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Original Senate Bill No. 22
by Senator Wheat

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 2, between lines 19 and 20 insert the following:

3 **"C. Any police officer who is injured in the performance of duties as a**
4 **police officer and such injury results in an inability to be employed, and the**
5 **police officer is otherwise eligible and meets all of the entrance requirements of**
6 **a college or university, such police officer shall be admitted to such college or**
7 **university without the payment of any fees, tuition, or other charges, including**
8 **room and board charges, as long as such police officer meets the academic**
9 **requirements and maintains a "C" average for each semester and complies with**
10 **the rules and regulations of such college or university required for attendance**
11 **therein as a full-time student. Such exemption shall exist for such police officer**
12 **for the number of semesters required of a full-time student to obtain one**
13 **bachelor degree offered by such college or university. In addition thereto, such**
14 **police officer shall be entitled to a cash grant of two hundred fifty dollars per**
15 **semester from such college or university as an allowance for books and all of the**
16 **above sums shall be paid out of funds appropriated from the general fund of the**
17 **state of Louisiana.**

18 **D. In no event shall any injured police officer be allowed more than ten**
19 **semesters under the provisions of this Section."**