After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB09-1039 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 6 through 8 and substitute the following:

"COLORADO AND WHO ENROLLS IN A STATE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE, OR A DEPENDENT OF SAID HONORABLY DISCHARGED MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES WHO ENROLLS IN A STATE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE, MAY RECEIVE IN-STATE TUITION STATUS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE ENROLLING INSTITUTION. Said";

line 9, strike "SHALL" and substitute "MAY";

after line 15, insert the following:

"(3) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF SECTION 23-18-102 (5) TO THE CONTRARY, AN HONORABLY DISCHARGED MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES WHO MAINTAINS HIS OR HER SOLE RESIDENCE IN COLORADO, OR HIS OR HER DEPENDENT, SHALL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A STIPEND PURSUANT TO PART 2 OF ARTICLE 18 OF THIS TITLE.".".

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