

State of Arizona  
House of Representatives  
Fifty-third Legislature  
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# HOUSE BILL 2107

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 15, CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY  
ADDING SECTION 15-823.01; RELATING TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 15, chapter 8, article 2, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 15-823.01, to read:

4 15-823.01. Admission of nonresident pupils: active military  
5 duty; definitions

6 A. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, A PUPIL COMPLIES WITH THE  
7 RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IN A LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY  
8 IF THE PARENT OF THE PUPIL IS TRANSFERRED TO OR IS PENDING TRANSFER TO A  
9 MILITARY INSTALLATION WITHIN THIS STATE WHILE ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY  
10 PURSUANT TO AN OFFICIAL MILITARY ORDER.

11 B. A LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY SHALL ACCEPT AN APPLICATION FOR  
12 ENROLLMENT AND COURSE REGISTRATION BY ELECTRONIC MEANS FOR A PUPIL WHO  
13 MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION,  
14 INCLUDING ENROLLMENT IN A SPECIFIC SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WITHIN THE LOCAL  
15 EDUCATION AGENCY.

16 C. THE PARENT OF A PUPIL WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENT PRESCRIBED IN  
17 SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION SHALL PROVIDE PROOF OF RESIDENCE TO THE LOCAL  
18 EDUCATION AGENCY WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE ARRIVAL DATE PROVIDED ON  
19 OFFICIAL DOCUMENTATION. THE PARENT MAY USE THE ADDRESS OF ANY OF THE  
20 FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF RESIDENCE FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION:

21 1. A TEMPORARY ON-BASE BILLETING FACILITY.

22 2. A PURCHASED OR LEASED HOME OR APARTMENT.

23 3. ANY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HOUSING OR OFF-BASE MILITARY HOUSING,  
24 INCLUDING OFF-BASE MILITARY HOUSING THAT MAY BE PROVIDED THROUGH A  
25 PUBLIC-PRIVATE VENTURE.

26 D. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION:

27 1. "ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY" MEANS FULL-TIME MILITARY DUTY STATUS IN  
28 THE ACTIVE UNIFORMED SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES, INCLUDING MEMBERS OF  
29 THE NATIONAL GUARD AND THE STATE MILITARY RESERVE ON ACTIVE DUTY ORDERS.

30 2. "MILITARY INSTALLATION" MEANS A BASE, CAMP, POST, STATION, YARD,  
31 CENTER, HOMEPORT FACILITY FOR ANY SHIP OR OTHER INSTALLATION UNDER THE  
32 JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OR THE UNITED  
33 STATES COAST GUARD.