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H.B. No. 5646

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to in-state tuition for certain students in military
3 related programs.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter Z, Chapter 51, Education Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 51.91125 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 51.91125. IN-STATE TUITION FOR CERTAIN STUDENTS IN
8 MILITARY RELATED PROGRAMS.

9 An institution of higher education in this state shall grant
10 in-state tuition rates to any student who is enrolled in and a
11 member in good standing of a Reserve Officers' Training Corps
12 program, or members of the corps of cadets at a senior military
13 college.

14 SECTION 2. Section 51.91125, Education Code, as added by this
15 Act, applies beginning with registration for a course or program
16 for the 2026 spring semester.

17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.