AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 7323

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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1	SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
2	This Act may be cited as the "Montgomery GI Bill
3	Selected Reserves Tuition Fairness Act of 2024".
4	SEC. 2. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS DIS-
5	APPROVAL OF COURSES OFFERED BY PUBLIC
6	INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING THAT
7	DO NOT CHARGE VETERANS IN-STATE TUI-
8	TION RATE FOR PURPOSES OF SELECTED RE-
9	SERVE EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PRO-
10	GRAM.
11	(a) In General.—Subsection (c) of section 3679 of
12	title 38, United States Code, is amended—
13	(1) in paragraph (1), by inserting ", or chapter
14	1606 of title 10," after "chapter 30, 31, 33, or 35
15	of this title";
16	(2) in paragraph (2), by adding at the end the
17	following new subparagraph:

1	"(E) An individual who is entitled to as-
2	sistance under section 16131 of title 10."; and
3	(3) in paragraph (6), by inserting ", or chapter
4	1606 of title 10" before the period at the end.
5	(b) Conforming Amendments.—Subsection (e) of
6	such section is amended—
7	(1) in paragraph (1)—
8	(A) in subparagraph (A), by inserting ", or
9	chapter 1606 of title 10," after "chapter 31,
10	33, or 35 of this title"; and
11	(B) in subparagraph (B), by striking
12	"chapter 31 33, or 35 of this title" and insert-
13	ing "chapter 31, 33, or 35 of this title, or chap-
14	ter 1606 of title 10"; and
15	(2) in paragraph (2), by striking "chapter 31
16	33, or 35 of this title" and inserting "chapter 31,
17	33, or 35 of this title, or chapter 1606 of title 10".
18	(c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
19	this section shall take effect on the date of the enactment
20	of this Act and shall apply with respect to an academic
21	period that begins on or after August 1, 2024.

1	SEC. 3. LIMITATION ON AMOUNT OF ENTITLEMENT TO
2	EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PAYABLE FOR
3	FLIGHT TRAINING UNDER POST-9/11 EDU-
4	CATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM OF DE-
5	PARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.
6	(a) In General.—Section 3313 of title 38, United
7	States Code, is amended—
8	(1) in subsection (g)(3)(C), by striking "In the
9	case" and inserting "Subject to the limitation under
10	subsection (m), in the case"; and
11	(2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
12	section:
13	"(m) Limitation on Use of Entitlement for
14	FLIGHT TRAINING.—(1) Notwithstanding any other provi-
15	sion of this chapter and subject to paragraph (2), the max-
16	imum total amount payable under this chapter for tuition
17	and fees in the case of an individual pursuing a degree-
18	granting or non-degree-granting program of flight training
19	offered by a public institution of higher learning is—
20	"(A) in the case of an individual who first pur-
21	sues such a program during the academic year be-
22	ginning on August 1, 2025, \$108,480; and
23	"(B) in the case of an individual who first pur-
24	sues such a program during any subsequent aca-
25	demic year, the amount in effect under this sub-
26	section for the previous academic year beginning on

1 August 1, as increased by the percentage increase 2 equal to the most recent percentage increase deter-3 mined under section 3015(h) of this title. 4 "(2) An individual who receives educational assist-5 ance under this subsection may not receive more than the maximum total amount in effect under paragraph (1) with 6 respect to the individual, regardless of when the individual 8 pursues the program of flight training or how many such 9 programs the individual pursues. 10 "(3) An individual who receives educational assistance under this subsection in an amount equal to less than 12 the maximum total amount in effect under paragraph (1) shall be entitled to additional educational assistance under this chapter in an amount equal to the difference be-14 15 tween— "(A) the amount the individual received under 16 17 this subsection, and 18 "(B) the maximum total amount in effect under 19 paragraph (1).". 20 (b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by sub-21 section (a) shall take effect on August 1, 2025, and shall apply with respect to an individual who first pursues a program of flight training on or after August 1, 2025.

Amend the title so as to read: "A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to disapprove courses of education offered

by a public institution of higher learning that does not charge the in-State tuition rate to a veteran using certain educational assistance under title 10 of such Code, and for other purposes.".

