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Introduced by M. of A. GLICK, CLARK -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. DINOWITZ, ORTIZ, SWEENEY, WEISENBERG -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to tuition assistance program awards

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 667 of the education law is amended by adding a new paragraph e to read as follows:

E. DETERMINATION OF AWARD. FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF AN AWARD, ANY STUDENT WHO RECEIVED AN AWARD PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO SEMESTERS PRIOR TO THE NINETEEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE--NINETEEN HUNDRED NINETY ACADEMIC YEAR AND WHO RETURNS TO FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE STUDY SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE RECEIVED HIS OR HER FIRST AWARD IN THE ACADEMIC YEAR IN WHICH HE OR SHE RETURNS TO FULL-TIME STUDY. APPLICATION OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL HAVE NO EFFECT ON THE DURATION OF AWARD PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION TWO OF THIS SECTION.

S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of July next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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