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2009-2010 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

April 27, 2009

Introduced by Sen. LEIBELL -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to regents awards for children of deceased police officers, firefighters and volunteer firefighters

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 668-a of the education law, as added by chapter 887 of the laws of 1981, is amended to read as follows:

2. Amount and duration. Every recipient shall receive an annual award [of four hundred fifty dollars] EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT OF THE ANNUAL TUITION AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK for each of not more than four academic years of undergraduate study or five academic years if a program normally requires five years, as defined by the commissioner pursuant to article thirteen of this chapter.

S 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.

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

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