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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:

1     Section 1. Subparagraph (ii) of paragraph a of subdivision 3 of  
2     section 667 of the education law, as amended by section 1 of part B of  
3     chapter 60 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:

4     (ii) Except for students as noted in subparagraph (iii) of this para-  
5     graph, the base amount as determined from subparagraph (i) of this para-  
6     graph, shall be reduced in relation to income as follows:

7     FOR THE 2016-2017 ACADEMIC YEAR:

8     Amount of income	Schedule of reduction
9	of base amount
10    (A) Less than seven thousand	None
11        dollars	
12    (B) Seven thousand dollars or	Seven per centum of excess
13        more, but less than eleven	over seven thousand dollars
14        thousand dollars	
15    (C) Eleven thousand dollars or	Two hundred eighty dollars
16        more, but less than eighteen	plus [ten] NINE per centum
17        thousand dollars	of excess over eleven
18	thousand dollars
19    (D) Eighteen thousand dollars or	Nine hundred eighty dollars
20        more, but not more than	plus [twelve] TEN
21	per centum of
22        [eighty] ONE HUNDRED thousand	excess over eighteen
23        dollars	thousand dollars

24     FOR THE 2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR:

25     AMOUNT OF INCOME	SCHEDULE OF REDUCTION
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EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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1		OF BASE AMOUNT
2	(A) LESS THAN TEN THOUSAND	NONE
3	DOLLARS	
4	(B) TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS OR	3.19 PERCENT
5	MORE BUT LESS THAN FIFTEEN	
6	THOUSAND DOLLARS	
7	(C) FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS	12.88 PERCENT
8	OR MORE BUT LESS THAN	
9	TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS	
10	(D) TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS	22.56 PERCENT
11	OR MORE BUT LESS THAN	
12	TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND	
13	DOLLARS	
14	(E) TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND	32.24 PERCENT
15	DOLLARS OR MORE BUT	
16	LESS THAN THIRTY THOUSAND	
17	DOLLARS	
18	(F) THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS	41.92 PERCENT
19	OR MORE BUT LESS THAN	
20	THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS	
21	(G) THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS	51.60 PERCENT
22	OR MORE BUT LESS THAN	
23	FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS	
24	(H) FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS OR	61.28 PERCENT
25	MORE BUT LESS THAN FORTY-FIVE	
26	THOUSAND DOLLARS	
27	(I) FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS	70.96 PERCENT
28	OR MORE BUT LESS THAN	
29	FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS	
30	(J) FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS OR	80.64 PERCENT
31	MORE BUT LESS THAN ONE HUNDRED	
32	THOUSAND DOLLARS	

33 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to all  
34 awards commencing with the 2016-2017 academic year.