

CHAPTER 433

MILITARY AND VETERANS

HOUSE BILL 07-1371

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also SENATOR(S) Morse.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF THE MAXIMUM MILITARY PAY GRADE REQUIREMENT FOR CERTAIN MILITARY PERSONNEL TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE GRANTS FROM THE MILITARY FAMILY RELIEF FUND.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 28-3-1503 (2) (b), (2.5) (b), and (3) (c), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended to read:

28-3-1503. Administration of moneys. (2) A member of the Colorado National Guard or a reservist shall meet the following requirements to be eligible to receive a grant from the fund:

(b) ~~The National Guard member or reservist holds a pay grade no higher than O-3 or W-4.~~

(2.5) Any active duty military member stationed in Colorado shall meet the following requirements to be eligible to receive a grant from the fund:

(b) ~~The active duty military member holds a pay grade of no higher than O-3 or W-4.~~

(3) (c) ~~All moneys available pursuant to this part 15 shall be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis~~ THE COLORADO NATIONAL GUARD FOUNDATION SHALL AWARD GRANTS in accordance with the criteria developed for awarding grants pursuant to subsection (1) of this section. IN AWARDING THE GRANTS, THE FOUNDATION SHALL, TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, PRIORITIZE ELIGIBLE GRANT APPLICANTS WHO HOLD THE LOWEST PAY GRADES. Timeliness of payment will be

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determined by the amount of funds available at the time of application.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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