

SENATE BILL NO. 614

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GUILLORY, HEITMEIER, MILLS, NEVERS AND THOMPSON AND
REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 46:123(D)(1)(c)(iii) and (vi), relative to the Louisiana Military
3 Family Assistance Board; to provide relative to requirements for need-based claims;
4 and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 46:123(D)(1)(c)(iii) and (vi) are hereby amended and reenacted to
7 read as follows:

8 §123. Louisiana Military Family Assistance Board

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10 D.(1) The board shall meet as necessary to review claims adjudicated by the
11 third party administrator and make the following determinations:

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13 (c) That all awards are need-based. Claims may be considered need-based if
14 all of the following apply:

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16 (iii) The undue hardship can be directly **or indirectly** related to the activation
17 of the military person.

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20 (vi) ~~The Louisiana Military Family Assistance Fund is in fact the family~~

1 member's last resort. **The applicant or the family member has made reasonable**
2 **attempts to secure alternative funding through another program.**

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____