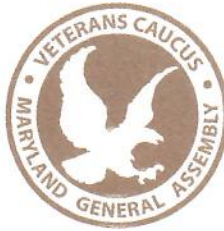


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MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY
VETERANS CAUCUS

TO: Maggie McIntosh, Chairwoman
Appropriations

FROM: Maryland Veterans Caucus

DATE: February 3, 2020

RE: **HB 593 – Higher Education - Annual Revenues of For-Profit Institutions - Limitation on Enrollment (Veterans' Education Protection Act)**


The Maryland Veterans Caucus respectfully requests a favorable report on **HB 593 – Higher Education - Annual Revenues of For-Profit Institutions - Limitation on Enrollment (Veterans' Education Protection Act)**

This bill was sponsored by Delegate **Pat Young** for the purpose of prohibiting certain for-profit institutions of higher education and private career schools from enrolling new Maryland residents if federal funds or institutional debt exceed 10% of annual revenues; requiring the Maryland Higher Education Commission to adopt certain regulations; etc.

The Veterans Caucus mission is to study, develop and promote legislation designed to improve the quality of life for veterans in the State of Maryland in the areas of employment, education, economic, training and health, and to assist the Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs in achieving its mission and goals, on behalf of veterans in the State. There are approximately 471,200 veterans living in the State of Maryland.

The Veterans Caucus Legislative Committee favorably recommends strong support of **HB 593**, and the full caucus voted to support this bill.

Thank you,


Delegate C.T. Wilson
House Chair, Veterans Caucus

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