**Checklist for Veterans and Their Dependents**

(C)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a covered individual enrolled in a public institution of higher education and receiving educational assistance under Chapter 30 and Chapter 33, Title 38 of the United States Code are entitled to pay in-state tuition and fees without regard to the length of time the covered individual has resided in this State.

(2) For purposes of this subsection, a covered individual is defined as:
   (a) a veteran who served ninety days or longer on active duty in the Uniformed Service of the United States, their respective Reserve forces, and the National Guard and who enrolls within three years of discharge; or
   (b) a person who is entitled to and receiving assistance under Section 3311(b)(9) or 3319, Title 38 of the United States Code by virtue of the person's relationship to the veteran described in subitem (a).

(3) A covered individual must live in this State while enrolled at the in-state institution.

(4) At the conclusion of the applicable three year period in subsection (C)(2)(a), a covered individual shall remain eligible for in-state rates as long as he or she remains continuously enrolled in an in-state institution or transfers to another in-state institution during the term or semester, excluding summer terms, immediately following his enrollment at the previous in-state institution. In the event of a transfer, the in-state institution receiving the covered individual shall verify the covered individual's eligibility for in-state rates with the covered individual's prior in-state institution. It is the responsibility of the transferring covered individual to ensure all documents required to verify both the previous and present residency decisions are provided to the in-state institution.

If you, your spouse, or your parent was active duty military discharged within the last three years and you are using VA funding to cover tuition expenses, please submit the following to apply for in-state residency for tuition purposes:

- [ ] Completed and notarized Veteran Residency Application
- [ ] Copy of military member’s DD214
- [ ] Copy of the student’s Certificate of Eligibility received from the VA prior to the term in which you are requesting resident status
- [ ] Proof of where the student will be living in SC (lease agreement, HUD statement, dorm contract, etc.)

**This checklist is meant to be a general guide. We reserve the right to ask for more documentation if necessary**