According to 7.3.4.3 of the USG Board of Regents Policy Manual, all mandatory fees can be waived for students that are Georgia residents, active members of the U.S. Military Reserves and/or the Georgia National Guard and meet one of the following conditions:

a. Served in a combat zone for at least 181 consecutive days since September 11, 2001;
b. Received full disability as a result of injuries suffered in combat during that time; OR
c. Was evacuated from a combat zone due to severe injuries during any time while on active duty.

Additionally, eligible participants must meet admissions requirements of the applicable USG institution and be accepted for admission.

Eligible participants shall receive a waiver of all mandatory fees. Students receiving the waiver are eligible to use the services and facilities the mandatory fees are used to provide, except for mandatory food service fees. This waiver shall not apply to housing, elective food service, any other elective fees, special fees, or other user fees and charges (e.g., application fees).

This application is for information purposes ONLY and does not in any way imply a determination of legal residence in Georgia.

Application priority deadline: Two weeks prior to start of the first day of classes to allow for processing time. If received past the deadline, it may be considered as time permits.

You must complete this form and provide the following documentation to be considered for this waiver each academic year you are enrolled:

1. Dated letter from your commanding officer (on letterhead) verifying your current active status and either a, b, or c above.
2. Presentation of your military ID to an EGSC staff member to complete the Confirmation of Review of Military Identification Worksheet.
4. If applicable, you must complete (and attach) a Georgia Residency Petition along with supportive documentation.

Oath and Affirmation
I understand that any material false statement made knowingly and willingly by me on this application, or any documents attached hereto, may, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 16-10-71, which provides that upon conviction, a person who knowingly commits the offense of false swearing shall be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, or both, subject me to prosecution in a court of law. Additionally, I further understand that any such false statement may subject me to immediate dismissal from the institution. Further, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information submitted on this application is true and complete.

Student Signature: _____________________________ Date: _____________________________

Submit completed form and required documentation to:
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Email: records@ega.edu