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Education and Incentives Operations Message EIOM: 06-86

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TO: All ARNG Education and Incentives Personnel of All States, Puerto Rico, The Virgin Islands, Guam and the District of Columbia and other support agencies.

SUBJECT: Procedures for ARNG Soldiers to receive their Eligibility Mobilized Soldier (EMS) Notification for the Reserve Education Assistance Program (REAP) CH 1607

1. Effective **1 August 2006**, ARNG Soldiers can check the status of their GI Bill eligibility at <https://www.nationalguardbenefits.com>.
2. Soldiers who are eligible for REAP CH 1607 will be sent the following email to their AKO account:

You are receiving this email because you have been identified as a Soldier that has served on Title 10 Mobilization orders on or after September 11, 2001. You may be eligible for educational benefits under the Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP), Chapter 1607, Title 10, U.S. Code, as established by the Ronald Reagan National Defense Authorization Act of 2005.

In accordance with this provision of the law, it is a requirement that you be notified of these benefits.

To print your Eligibility for Mobilized Soldier (EMS), please follow these steps:

1. Go to <https://www.nationalguardbenefits.com/>
2. Logon using your AKO username and password
3. Review and print your Eligibility for Mobilized Soldier (EMS) notification

3. National Guard Bureau (NGB) will be able to track by State those Soldiers who receive notice and print off their EMS. This report will be located in iMARC, date TBA.

4. Soldiers who are eligible to receive ARNG GI Bill Chapter 1606 can also print their Notice of Basic Eligibility (NOBE) as soon as the Soldier has met all the requirements. [www.nationalguardbenefits.com](http://www.nationalguardbenefits.com) will interface with iMARC, (database of record) to provide accurate information and reports.

5. POC is the ARNG GI Bill Support Team at 1-866-628-5999 or [esc@pec.ngb.army.mil](mailto:esc@pec.ngb.army.mil).

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