SENATE BILL 5001

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By Senators Jacobsen and Kauffman

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AN ACT Relating to the American Indian endowed scholarship program; amending RCW 28B.108.050 and 28B.108.060; and repealing RCW 28B.108.070.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.108.050 and 1991 sp.s. c 13 s 107 are each amended 6 to read as follows:

7 The American Indian endowed scholarship trust fund is established. The trust fund shall be administered by the state treasurer. 8 Funds 9 appropriated by the legislature for the trust fund shall be deposited 10 into the fund. ((At the request of the higher education coordinating 11 board, and when conditions set forth in RCW 28B.108.070 are met, the treasurer shall deposit state matching moneys in the trust fund into 12 13 the American Indian endowment fund.)) No appropriation is required for 14 expenditures from the trust fund.

15 Sec. 2. RCW 28B.108.060 and 2007 c 73 s 2 are each amended to read 16 as follows:

17 The American Indian scholarship endowment fund is created in the

custody of the state treasurer. The investment of the endowment fund
 shall be managed by the state investment board.

3 (1) Moneys received from the higher education coordinating board, 4 private donations, state ((matching)) moneys, and funds received from 5 any other source may be deposited into the endowment fund. Private 6 moneys received as a gift subject to conditions may be deposited into 7 the fund.

8 (2) At the request of the higher education coordinating board, the 9 state investment board shall release earnings from the endowment fund 10 to the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall then release those 11 funds at the request of the higher education coordinating board for 12 scholarships. No appropriation is required for expenditures from the 13 endowment fund.

14 (3) When notified by the higher education coordinating board that 15 a condition attached to a gift of private moneys in the fund has 16 failed, the state investment board shall release those moneys to the 17 higher education coordinating board. The higher education coordinating 18 board shall then release the moneys to the donors according to the 19 terms of the conditional gift.

20 (4) The principal of the endowment fund shall not be invaded. The 21 release of moneys under subsection (3) of this section shall not 22 constitute an invasion of corpus.

(5) The earnings on the fund shall be used solely for the purposes set forth in RCW 28B.108.040, except when the terms of a conditional gift of private moneys in the fund require that a portion of earnings on such moneys be reinvested in the fund.

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 NEW SECTION.
 Sec. 3.
 RCW 28B.108.070 (State matching funds) and

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 1993 c 372 s 2, 1991 c 228 s 12, & 1990 c 287 s 8 are each repealed.

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