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SENATE BILL 5904

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By Senators Wood, Kohl and Prince

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1            AN ACT Relating to higher education fees; and amending RCW  
2 28B.15.910.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.15.910 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 31 are each amended  
5 to read as follows:

6            (1) Except for revenue waived under programs listed in subsection  
7 (3) of this section, and unless otherwise expressly provided in the  
8 omnibus state appropriations act, the total amount of operating fees  
9 revenue waived, exempted, or reduced by a state university, a regional  
10 university, The Evergreen State College, or the community colleges as  
11 a whole, shall not exceed the percentage of total gross authorized  
12 operating fees revenue set forth below. As used in this section,  
13 "gross authorized operating fees revenue" means the estimated gross  
14 operating fees revenue as estimated under RCW 82.33.020 or as revised  
15 by the office of financial management, before granting any waivers.  
16 This limitation applies to all tuition waiver programs established  
17 before or after July 1, 1992.

18            (a) University of Washington	21 percent
19            (b) Washington State University	20 percent

- 1 (c) Eastern Washington University 11 percent
- 2 (d) Central Washington University ((8)) 10 percent
- 3 (e) Western Washington University 10 percent
- 4 (f) The Evergreen State College 6 percent
- 5 (g) Community colleges as a whole 35 percent

6 (2) The limitations in subsection (1) of this section apply to  
7 waivers, exemptions, or reductions in operating fees contained in the  
8 following:

- 9 (a) RCW 28B.10.265;
- 10 (b) RCW 28B.15.014;
- 11 (c) RCW 28B.15.100;
- 12 (d) RCW 28B.15.225;
- 13 (e) RCW 28B.15.380;
- 14 (f) Ungraded courses under RCW 28B.15.502(4);
- 15 (g) RCW 28B.15.520;
- 16 (h) RCW 28B.15.526;
- 17 (i) RCW 28B.15.527;
- 18 (j) RCW 28B.15.543;
- 19 (k) RCW 28B.15.545;
- 20 (l) RCW 28B.15.555;
- 21 (m) RCW 28B.15.556;
- 22 (n) RCW 28B.15.615;
- 23 (o) RCW 28B.15.620;
- 24 (p) RCW 28B.15.628;
- 25 (q) RCW 28B.15.725;
- 26 (r) RCW 28B.15.730;
- 27 (s) RCW 28B.15.740;
- 28 (t) RCW 28B.15.750;
- 29 (u) RCW 28B.15.756;
- 30 (v) RCW 28B.50.259;
- 31 (w) RCW 28B.70.050; and
- 32 (x) RCW 28B.80.580.

33 (3) The limitations in subsection (1) of this section do not apply  
34 to waivers, exemptions, or reductions in services and activities fees  
35 contained in the following:

- 36 (a) RCW 28B.15.522;
- 37 (b) RCW 28B.15.535;
- 38 (c) RCW 28B.15.540; and

1 (d) RCW 28B.15.558.

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