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1 AN ACT Relating to higher education fiscal matters; amending RCW
2 28B.15.005, 28B.15.025, 28B.15.065, 28B.15.041, 28B.15.066, 28B.15.740,
3 28B.50.095, and 28B.80.360; reenacting and amending RCW 28B.15.031 and
4 28B.15.820; adding new sections to chapter 28B.15 RCW; creating new
5 sections; repealing RCW 28B.15.067, 28B.15.076, 28B.15.202, 28B.15.402,
6 and 28B.15.502; providing effective dates; and declaring an emergency.

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

8 **PART 1 - TUITION AND FEES**

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 101.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
10 RCW to read as follows:

11 (1) Tuition fees for full-time students at the state's institutions
12 of higher education for the 1994-95 academic year, other than the
13 summer term, shall be as provided in each of the tuition categories in
14 this subsection.

15 (a) At the University of Washington and Washington State
16 University:

1 (i) For resident undergraduate students and other resident students
2 not enrolled in first professional, graduate, or law programs, two
3 thousand six hundred fifty-eight dollars;

4 (ii) For nonresident undergraduate students and other nonresident
5 students not enrolled in first professional, graduate, or law programs,
6 seven thousand nine hundred fifty dollars;

7 (iii) For resident graduate and law students not enrolled in first
8 professional programs, four thousand three hundred seventeen dollars;

9 (iv) For nonresident graduate and law students not enrolled in
10 first professional programs, eleven thousand one hundred eighty-seven
11 dollars;

12 (v) For resident students enrolled in first professional programs,
13 seven thousand two hundred nine dollars; and

14 (vi) For nonresident students enrolled in first professional
15 programs, eighteen thousand six hundred eighty-four dollars.

16 (b) At the regional universities and The Evergreen State College:

17 (i) For resident undergraduate students and all other resident
18 students not in graduate programs, one thousand nine hundred sixty-six
19 dollars and fifty cents;

20 (ii) For nonresident undergraduate and all other nonresident
21 students not in graduate programs, seven thousand six hundred eighty-
22 four dollars and fifty cents;

23 (iii) For resident graduate students, three thousand three hundred
24 ten dollars and fifty cents; and

25 (iv) For nonresident graduate students, ten thousand six hundred
26 forty-five dollars and fifty cents.

27 (c) At the community colleges:

28 (i) For resident students, one thousand one hundred sixty-five
29 dollars and fifty cents; and

30 (ii) For nonresident students, four thousand nine hundred sixty-
31 three dollars and fifty cents.

32 (2) The governing boards of the colleges and universities may
33 annually increase tuition fees above the rate charged in the 1994-95
34 academic year subject to the following limitations:

35 (a) For resident undergraduate students and other resident students
36 not in first professional, graduate, or law programs, a maximum of ten
37 percent each academic year;

38 (b) For resident first professional, graduate, and law students, a
39 maximum of twenty percent in each tuition category each academic year;

1 (c) For nonresident students, a maximum of thirty percent in each
2 tuition category each academic year;

3 (d) Any percentage increase in tuition fees adopted for resident
4 graduate or law students shall not exceed the percentage increase
5 adopted that year for nonresident graduate or law students at that
6 institution;

7 (e) Any percentage increase in tuition fees adopted for resident
8 first professional students shall not exceed the percentage increase
9 adopted for nonresident first professional students at that
10 institution;

11 (f) Any percentage increase adopted for undergraduate students and
12 other resident students not in first professional, graduate, or law
13 programs shall not exceed the percentage increase adopted for students
14 in any other tuition category at that institution;

15 (g) Any increases approved by community college governing boards
16 are subject to guidelines adopted by the state board for community and
17 technical colleges. In adopting its guidelines, the board shall
18 consider the special needs of individual colleges within the system as
19 well as the system as a whole. The board may permit tuition fees
20 increases to vary among colleges.

21 (3) As used in this section, "tuition category" means the separate
22 tuition categories established in subsection (1) (a) through (c) of
23 this section.

24 (4) The tuition fees established under this chapter shall not apply
25 to high school students enrolling in community colleges under RCW
26 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.400.

27 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 102.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
28 RCW to read as follows:

29 Each state university, regional university, and state college may
30 charge a program fee to students enrolled in up to three degree
31 programs. The amount of the fee may differ for each program. The
32 basis for determining the fee may be: Higher than average costs of
33 offering the program, differential tuition rates charged for that type
34 of program at peer institutions, or other unique characteristics
35 associated with the program.

36 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 103.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
37 RCW to read as follows:

1 It is the policy of the state of Washington that each state
2 university, regional university, state college, and community college
3 maintain or improve the percentage that resident students comprised of
4 total budgeted full-time equivalent enrollments during the 1994-95
5 academic year. It is also the policy of the state of Washington that
6 state general fund support for full-time equivalent students be used
7 for resident students and for only those nonresident students who are
8 within the percentage that nonresident students comprised of the
9 budgeted full-time equivalent enrollment at each institution during the
10 1994-95 academic year. Additional nonresident students may be included
11 in an institution's overenrollment pool, at the option of the
12 institution.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 104.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
14 RCW to read as follows:

15 (1) As used in this section, "excess credit" means any credit taken
16 by a resident undergraduate student or a resident student who is not
17 enrolled in a first professional, graduate, or law program and who is
18 attending a state university, regional university, or The Evergreen
19 State College, if the student:

20 (a) Does not meet the requirements of (b) and (c) of this
21 subsection but has accumulated more than one hundred fifteen percent of
22 the number of credits required to complete the student's baccalaureate
23 degree program;

24 (b) Has an associate degree from a community college and has
25 accumulated more than one hundred twenty-five percent of the number of
26 credits required to complete the student's baccalaureate degree
27 program; and

28 (c) Has accumulated more than forty-five quarter credits or their
29 equivalent at a college or university other than a state university,
30 regional university, or state college, each as defined in RCW
31 28B.10.016 and has accumulated more than one hundred twenty-five
32 percent of the number of credits required to complete the student's
33 baccalaureate degree program.

34 (2)(a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, state
35 universities, regional universities, and The Evergreen State College
36 may collect a surcharge from any resident undergraduate student who is
37 enrolled for excess credits. The amount of the surcharge may vary by

1 credit or percentage thresholds, or based on special circumstances,
2 each as established by the institution.

3 (b) Students who are required to take continuing education credits
4 as a condition of licensure or state law shall be exempted from the
5 excess credits surcharge for any credits taken as a result of the
6 requirements.

7 (c) With the exception of students who are required to take
8 continuing education credits as a condition of licensure or state law,
9 no state general fund support shall be provided at state universities,
10 regional universities, and The Evergreen State College for resident
11 undergraduate students and other resident students not enrolled in
12 first professional, graduate, or law programs if the students have
13 accumulated more than one hundred fifty percent of the number of
14 credits necessary to complete a baccalaureate degree program.

15 **Sec. 105.** RCW 28B.15.005 and 1977 ex.s. c 169 s 33 are each
16 amended to read as follows:

17 (1) "Colleges and universities" for the purposes of this chapter
18 shall mean Central Washington University at Ellensburg, Eastern
19 Washington University at Cheney, Western Washington University at
20 Bellingham, The Evergreen State College in Thurston county, community
21 colleges as are provided for in chapter 28B.50 RCW, the University of
22 Washington, and Washington State University.

23 (2) "State universities" for the purposes of this chapter shall
24 mean the University of Washington and Washington State University.

25 (3) "Regional universities" for the purposes of this chapter shall
26 mean Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University and
27 Western Washington University.

28 (4) "State college" means The Evergreen State College.

29 (5) "First professional program" means a program leading to one of
30 the following degrees: Doctor of medicine, doctor of dental surgery,
31 or doctor of veterinary medicine.

32 **Sec. 106.** RCW 28B.15.025 and 1985 c 390 s 12 are each amended to
33 read as follows:

34 (1) The term "building fees" means the fees charged students
35 registering at the state's colleges and universities, which fees are to
36 be used as follows: At the University of Washington, solely for the
37 purposes provided in RCW 28B.15.210; at Washington State University,

1 solely for the purposes provided in RCW 28B.15.310; at each of the
2 regional universities and at The Evergreen State College, solely for
3 the purposes provided in RCW 28B.35.370; and at the community colleges,
4 for the purposes provided in RCW 28B.50.320, 28B.50.360 and 28B.50.370.

5 (2) The term "building fees" is a renaming of the "general tuition
6 fee," and shall not be construed to affect otherwise moneys pledged to,
7 or used for bond retirement purposes.

8 (3) Beginning with the 1995-96 academic year and thereafter,
9 building fees for each academic year shall be a percentage of total
10 tuition fees. This percentage shall be calculated by the higher
11 education coordinating board and be based on the actual percentage that
12 the building fees are of total tuition fees in each tuition fees
13 category described in section 101(1) of this act for the 1994-95
14 academic year, rounded up to the nearest half percent.

15 **Sec. 107.** RCW 28B.15.031 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 6 and 1993 c 379 s
16 201 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

17 The term "operating fees" as used in this chapter shall include the
18 fees, other than building fees, charged all students registering at the
19 state's colleges and universities but shall not include fees surcharges
20 for excess credits under section 104 of this act, program fees under
21 section 102 of this act, or fees for short courses, self-supporting
22 degree credit programs and courses, marine station work, experimental
23 station work, correspondence or extension courses, and individual
24 instruction and student deposits or rentals, disciplinary and library
25 finances, which colleges and universities shall have the right to impose,
26 laboratory, gymnasium, health, and student activity fees, or fees,
27 charges, rentals, and other income derived from any or all revenue
28 producing lands, buildings and facilities of the colleges or
29 universities heretofore or hereafter acquired, constructed or
30 installed, including but not limited to income from rooms, dormitories,
31 dining rooms, hospitals, infirmaries, housing or student activity
32 buildings, vehicular parking facilities, land, or the appurtenances
33 thereon, or such other special fees as may be established by any
34 college or university board of trustees or regents from time to time.
35 All moneys received as operating fees at any institution of higher
36 education shall be deposited in a local account containing only
37 operating fees revenue and related interest(~~(: PROVIDED, That two and~~
38 ~~one half percent of operating fees shall be retained by the~~

1 ~~institutions, except the technical colleges, for the purposes of)),~~
2 except as provided in RCW 28B.15.820. Local operating fee accounts
3 shall not be subject to appropriation by the legislature or allotment
4 procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW.

5 **Sec. 108.** RCW 28B.15.065 and 1977 ex.s. c 322 s 6 are each amended
6 to read as follows:

7 It is the intent of the legislature that needy students not be
8 deprived of access to higher education due to increases in educational
9 costs or consequent increases in tuition and fees. It is the sense of
10 the legislature that state appropriations for student financial aid be
11 adjusted in an amount which together with funds estimated to be
12 available in the form of basic educational opportunity grants as
13 authorized under Section 411 of the federal Higher Education Act of
14 1965 as now or hereafter amended will equal twenty-four percent of any
15 change in revenue estimated to occur as a result of revisions in
16 tuition and fee levels under the provisions of chapter . . . , Laws of
17 1995 (this ((1977 amendatory)) act).

18 **Sec. 109.** RCW 28B.15.041 and 1985 c 390 s 14 are each amended to
19 read as follows:

20 (1) The term "services and activities fees" as used in this chapter
21 is defined to mean fees, other than tuition fees, charged to all
22 students registering at the state's community colleges, regional
23 universities, The Evergreen State College, and state universities.

24 (2) Services and activities fees shall be used as otherwise
25 provided by law or by rule (~~(or regulation)~~) of the board of trustees
26 or regents of each of the state's community colleges, The Evergreen
27 State College, the regional universities, or the state universities for
28 the express purpose of funding student activities and programs of their
29 particular institution.

30 (3) Student activity fees, student use fees, student building use
31 fees, special student fees, or other similar fees charged to all full
32 time students, or to all students, as the case may be, registering at
33 the state's colleges or universities and pledged for the payment of
34 bonds heretofore or hereafter issued for, or other indebtedness
35 incurred to pay, all or part of the cost of acquiring, constructing or
36 installing any lands, buildings, or facilities of the nature described

1 in RCW 28B.10.300 as now or hereafter amended, shall be included within
2 and deemed to be services and activities fees.

3 (4) The governing boards of each of the colleges and universities
4 shall charge to and collect from each student a services and activities
5 fee. Each governing board may increase the existing fee annually,
6 consistent with budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045, by a
7 percentage increase not to exceed the percentage increase in resident
8 undergraduate tuition fees. The percentage increase shall not apply to
9 that portion of the services and activities fee previously committed to
10 the repayment of bonded debt. The services and activities fee
11 committee provided for in RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate a request to the
12 governing board for a fee increase.

13 (5) Services and activities fees consistent with subsection (4) of
14 this section shall be set by the state board for community and
15 technical colleges for summer school students unless the community
16 college charges fees in accordance with RCW 28B.15.515.

17 **Sec. 110.** RCW 28B.15.066 and 1993 c 379 s 205 are each amended to
18 read as follows:

19 It is the intent of the legislature that:

20 In making appropriations from the state's general fund to
21 institutions of higher education, each appropriation shall conform to
22 the following:

23 (1) The appropriation shall be reduced by the amount of operating
24 fees revenue estimated to be collected from students enrolled at the
25 state-funded enrollment level specified in the omnibus biennial
26 operating appropriations act and the estimated interest on operating
27 fees revenue, minus obligations under RCW 28B.15.820 and 43.99I.040,
28 minus any revenue an institution may have raised by increasing tuition
29 fees rates above the rates in section 101(1) of this act, and minus the
30 amount of waived operating fees authorized under RCW 28B.15.910;

31 (2) The appropriation shall not be reduced by the amount of
32 operating fees revenue collected from students enrolled above the
33 state-funded level, but within the over-enrollment limitations,
34 specified in the omnibus biennial operating appropriations act; ~~((and))~~

35 (3) The general fund state appropriation shall not be reduced by
36 the amount of operating fees revenue collected as a result of waiving
37 less operating fees revenue than the amounts authorized under RCW
38 28B.15.910; and

1 ~~waivers for undergraduate and graduate students of foreign nations~~
2 ~~under RCW 28B.15.556 are not subject to the limitation under this~~
3 ~~section)), not to exceed three-fourths of one percent of gross
4 authorized operating fees revenue under RCW 28B.15.910 for the
5 community colleges considered as a whole and not to exceed one percent
6 of gross authorized operating fees revenue for the other institutions
7 of higher education.~~

8 (2) In addition to the tuition and fee waivers provided in
9 subsection (1) of this section and subject to the provisions of RCW
10 28B.15.455 ((and)), 28B.15.460, and 28B.15.910, a total dollar amount
11 of tuition and fee waivers awarded by any state university, regional
12 university, or state college under this chapter, not to exceed one
13 percent, as calculated in subsection (1) of this section, may be used
14 for the purpose of achieving or maintaining gender equity in
15 intercollegiate athletic programs. At any institution that has an
16 underrepresented gender class in intercollegiate athletics, any such
17 waivers shall be awarded:

18 (a) First, to members of the underrepresented gender class who
19 participate in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers result in
20 saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for the
21 underrepresented gender class. Such saved or displaced money shall be
22 used for programs for the underrepresented gender class; and

23 (b) Second, (i) to nonmembers of the underrepresented gender class
24 who participate in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers result
25 in saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for
26 members of the underrepresented gender class. Such saved or displaced
27 money shall be used for programs for the underrepresented gender class;
28 or (ii) to members of the underrepresented gender class who participate
29 in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers do not result in any
30 saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for
31 members of the underrepresented gender class.

32 **Sec. 202.** RCW 28B.15.820 and 1993 c 385 s 1 and 1993 c 173 s 1 are
33 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

34 (1) Each institution of higher education, except technical
35 colleges, shall deposit a minimum of two and one-half percent of
36 revenues collected from tuition and services and activities fees in an
37 institutional financial aid fund that is hereby created and which shall
38 be held locally. Moneys in the fund shall be used only for the

1 following purposes: (a) To make guaranteed long-term loans to eligible
2 students as provided in subsections (3) through (8) of this section;
3 (b) to make short-term loans as provided in subsection (9) of this
4 section; or (c) to provide financial aid to needy students as provided
5 in subsection (10) of this section.

6 (2) An "eligible student" for the purposes of subsections (3)
7 through (8) and (10) of this section is a student registered for at
8 least six credit hours or the equivalent, who is eligible for resident
9 tuition and fee rates as defined in RCW 28B.15.012 through 28B.15.013,
10 and who is a "needy student" as defined in RCW 28B.10.802.

11 (3) The amount of the guaranteed long-term loans made under this
12 section shall not exceed the demonstrated financial need of the
13 student. Each institution shall establish loan terms and conditions
14 which shall be consistent with the terms of the guaranteed loan program
15 established by 20 U.S. Code Section 1071 et seq., as now or hereafter
16 amended. All loans made shall be guaranteed by the Washington student
17 loan guaranty association or its successor agency. Institutions are
18 hereby granted full authority to operate as an eligible lender under
19 the guaranteed loan program.

20 (4) Before approving a guaranteed long-term loan, each institution
21 shall analyze the ability of the student to repay the loan based on
22 factors which include, but are not limited to, the student's
23 accumulated total education loan burdens and the employment
24 opportunities and average starting salary characteristics of the
25 student's chosen fields of study. The institution shall counsel the
26 student on the advisability of acquiring additional debt, and on the
27 availability of other forms of financial aid.

28 (5) Each institution is responsible for collection of guaranteed
29 long-term loans made under this section and shall exercise due
30 diligence in such collection, maintaining all necessary records to
31 insure that maximum repayments are made. Institutions shall cooperate
32 with other lenders and the Washington student loan guaranty
33 association, or its successor agency, in the coordinated collection of
34 guaranteed loans, and shall assure that the guarantability of the loans
35 is not violated. Collection and servicing of guaranteed long-term
36 loans under this section shall be performed by entities approved for
37 such servicing by the Washington student loan guaranty association or
38 its successor agency: PROVIDED, That institutions be permitted to
39 perform such servicing if specifically recognized to do so by the

1 Washington student loan guaranty association or its successor agency.
2 Collection and servicing of guaranteed long-term loans made by
3 community colleges under subsection (1) of this section shall be
4 coordinated by the state board for community and technical colleges and
5 shall be conducted under procedures adopted by the state board.

6 (6) Receipts from payment of interest or principal or any other
7 subsidies to which institutions as lenders are entitled, that are paid
8 by or on behalf of borrowers of funds under subsections (3) through (8)
9 of this section, shall be deposited in each institution's financial aid
10 fund and shall be used to cover the costs of making the guaranteed
11 long-term loans under this section and maintaining necessary records
12 and making collections under subsection (5) of this section: PROVIDED,
13 That such costs shall not exceed five percent of aggregate outstanding
14 loan principal. Institutions shall maintain accurate records of such
15 costs, and all receipts beyond those necessary to pay such costs, shall
16 be deposited in the institution's financial aid fund.

17 (7) The governing boards of the state universities, the regional
18 universities, and The Evergreen State College, and the state board for
19 community and technical colleges, on behalf of the community colleges,
20 shall each adopt necessary rules and regulations to implement this
21 section.

22 (8) First priority for any guaranteed long-term loans made under
23 this section shall be directed toward students who would not normally
24 have access to educational loans from private financial institutions in
25 Washington state, and maximum use shall be made of secondary markets in
26 the support of loan consolidation.

27 (9) Short-term loans, not to exceed one year, may be made from the
28 institutional financial aid fund to students enrolled in the
29 institution. No such loan shall be made to any student who is known by
30 the institution to be in default or delinquent in the payment of any
31 outstanding student loan. A short-term loan may be made only if the
32 institution has ample evidence that the student has the capability of
33 repaying the loan within the time frame specified by the institution
34 for repayment.

35 (10) Any moneys deposited in the institutional financial aid fund
36 that are not used in making long-term or short-term loans may be used
37 by the institution for locally-administered financial aid programs for
38 needy students, such as need-based institutional employment programs or
39 need-based tuition and fee scholarship or grant programs. These funds

1 shall be used in addition to and not to replace institutional funds
2 that would otherwise support these locally-administered financial aid
3 programs. First priority in the use of these funds shall be given to
4 needy students who have accumulated excessive educational loan burdens.
5 An excessive educational loan burden is a burden that will be difficult
6 to repay given employment opportunities and average starting salaries
7 in the student's chosen fields of study. Second priority in the use of
8 these funds shall be given to needy single parents, to assist these
9 students with their educational expenses, including expenses associated
10 with child care and transportation.

11 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 203.** It is the intent of the legislature to
12 restructure the state's system of financial aid. Funding levels for
13 the state's system of financial aid are subject to available funds.
14 The restructured financial aid system shall be known as college
15 promise. In designing college promise, the higher education
16 coordinating board shall follow these goals:

17 (1) For all need-based financial aid programs under RCW 28B.10.790
18 through 28B.10.824 and chapters 28B.12 and 28B.101 RCW:

19 (a) Through a mix of federal, state, and other resources:

20 (i) Limit the debt of an undergraduate student to no more than one-
21 half of a student's cost of attendance; and

22 (ii) Provide more self-help opportunities than grant aid to middle-
23 income students, and approximately equal amounts of self-help
24 opportunities and grant aid to low-income and lower middle-income
25 students. Self-help opportunities include work-study and loans;

26 (b) In determining eligibility for state financial aid programs,
27 shelter home equity on a family's principal place of residence, and
28 shelter a reasonable portion of savings and farm or business net worth,
29 each insofar as is permissible under state and federal law;

30 (c) Consistent with federal law, simplify the financial aid
31 application process;

32 (d) Strive to preserve a range of educational options for needy
33 students, including choice of institutions and programs;

34 (e) Recognize otherwise unfunded equipment and assistance needed to
35 reasonably accommodate students with disabilities; and

36 (f) Deliver clear and timely information to current and future
37 postsecondary students about the costs of attending college and
38 available financial aid.

1 (2) For the state need grant program under RCW 28B.10.790 through
2 28B.10.824: As funds are available, expand the program to include new
3 populations of resident students in the following priority order,
4 ensuring that undergraduate students with the most demonstrated
5 financial need receive full grants before less needy students receive
6 any grant:

7 (a) Low-income undergraduates;

8 (b) Lower middle-income undergraduates;

9 (c) Middle-income undergraduates; and

10 (d) Resident graduate and professional students, following the
11 income priorities established for undergraduate students.

12 (3) For the state work-study program under chapter 28B.12 RCW:
13 Increase employment opportunities including off-campus job
14 opportunities with off-campus community service employers.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 204.** (1) By January 1, 1997, the higher
16 education coordinating board, in consultation with the house of
17 representatives and senate higher education and fiscal committees, and
18 the institutions of higher education, shall develop a detailed
19 implementation plan for college promise. In preparing the plan, the
20 board shall follow the goals and priorities set forth in section 203 of
21 this act. The plan shall include, but not be limited to:

22 (a) Specific program eligibility measures;

23 (b) Estimates of how many state residents would be eligible for
24 assistance in the state need grant and state work-study programs under
25 the goals adopted in section 203 of this act;

26 (c) Estimates of the costs for each state financial aid program,
27 including the state need grant program under RCW 28B.10.790 through
28 28B.10.824; the state work-study program under chapter 28B.12 RCW; and
29 the educational opportunity grant program under chapter 28B.101 RCW to
30 accommodate any new aid applicants estimated under (b) of this
31 subsection, as offset by nonstate sources of aid.

32 (2) The plan shall be deemed approved on June 30, 1997, unless
33 legislation is enacted to alter the policies set forth in the plan.
34 The board shall also propose to the legislature any changes to the laws
35 governing state financial aid programs that it deems necessary to
36 accomplish the purposes of college promise.

37 **PART 3 - MISCELLANEOUS**

1 **Sec. 301.** RCW 28B.50.095 and 1991 c 238 s 36 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 In addition to other powers and duties, the college board may issue
4 rules (~~(and regulations)~~) permitting a student to register at more than
5 one community and technical college, provided that such student shall
6 pay tuition and fees as if the student were registered at a single
7 college, but not to exceed tuition and fees charged a full-time student
8 as established (~~(by RCW 28B.15.502)~~) under chapter 28B.15 RCW.

9 **Sec. 302.** RCW 28B.80.360 and 1990 c 33 s 561 are each amended to
10 read as follows:

11 The board shall perform the following administrative
12 responsibilities:

13 (1) Administer the programs set forth in the following statutes:
14 RCW 28A.600.100 through 28A.600.150 (Washington scholars); chapter
15 28B.04 RCW (displaced homemakers); chapter 28B.85 RCW (degree-granting
16 institutions); RCW 28B.10.210 through 28B.10.220 (blind students
17 subsidy); RCW 28B.10.800 through 28B.10.824 (student financial aid
18 program); chapter 28B.12 RCW (work study); (~~(RCW 28B.15.067 through~~
19 ~~28B.15.076 (educational costs for establishing tuition and fees))~~) RCW
20 28B.15.070 (educational cost study and data necessary to determine
21 educational costs); RCW 28B.15.543 (tuition waivers for Washington
22 scholars); RCW 28B.15.760 through 28B.15.766 (math and science loans);
23 RCW 28B.80.150 through 28B.80.170 (student exchange compact); RCW
24 28B.80.240 (student aid programs); and RCW 28B.80.210 (federal
25 programs).

26 (2) Study the delegation of the administration of the following:
27 RCW 28B.65.040 through 28B.65.060 (high-technology board); chapter
28 28B.85 RCW (degree-granting institutions); RCW 28B.80.150 through
29 28B.80.170 (student exchange compact programs); RCW 28B.80.200 (state
30 commission for federal law purposes); RCW 28B.80.210 (enumerated
31 federal programs); RCW 28B.80.230 (receipt of federal funds); RCW
32 28B.80.240 (student financial aid programs); RCW 28A.600.120 through
33 28A.600.150 (Washington scholars); RCW 28B.15.543 (Washington
34 scholars); RCW 28B.04.020 through 28B.04.110 (displaced homemakers);
35 RCW 28B.10.215 and 28B.10.220 (blind students); RCW 28B.10.790,
36 28B.10.792, and 28B.10.802 through 28B.10.844 (student financial aid);
37 RCW 28B.12.040 through 28B.12.070 (student work study); RCW 28B.15.100
38 (reciprocity agreement); RCW 28B.15.730 through 28B.15.736 (Oregon

1 reciprocity); RCW 28B.15.750 through 28B.15.754 (Idaho reciprocity);
2 RCW 28B.15.756 and 28B.15.758 (British Columbia reciprocity); and RCW
3 28B.15.760 through 28B.15.764 (math/science loans). The board shall
4 report the results of its study and recommendations to the legislature.

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 303.** The following acts or parts of acts are
6 each repealed:

7 (1) RCW 28B.15.067 and 1992 c 231 s 4, 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 413,
8 1986 c 42 s 1, 1985 c 390 s 15, 1982 1st ex.s. c 37 s 15, & 1981 c 257
9 s 2;

10 (2) RCW 28B.15.076 and 1989 c 245 s 4;

11 (3) RCW 28B.15.202 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 8, 1993 c 379 s 202, 1992
12 c 231 s 7, 1985 c 390 s 19, 1982 1st ex.s. c 37 s 18, & 1981 c 257 s 6;

13 (4) RCW 28B.15.402 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 11, 1993 c 379 s 203, 1992
14 c 231 s 10, 1989 c 245 s 1, 1985 c 390 s 24, 1982 1st ex.s. c 37 s 19,
15 & 1981 c 257 s 7; and

16 (5) RCW 28B.15.502 and 1993 sp.s. c 18 s 12, 1993 c 379 s 204, 1992
17 c 231 s 11, 1991 c 353 s 2, 1985 c 390 s 25, 1982 1st ex.s. c 37 s 10,
18 & 1981 c 257 s 8.

19 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 304.** Part headings used in this act do not
20 constitute any part of the law.

21 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 305.** Sections 101 through 111, 201, 202, 204,
22 and 301 through 304 of this act are necessary for the immediate
23 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
24 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
25 effect July 1, 1995.

26 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 306.** Section 203 of this act shall take effect
27 July 1, 1997.

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