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Speaker of the
House of Representatives

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Secretary

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SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5166

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By Senate Committee on Higher Education (originally sponsored by Senators Kohl-Welles, Carlson, Horn, Shin, Jacobsen and McAuliffe)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to branches of member institutions of accrediting
- 2 associations recognized by rule of the higher education coordinating
- 3 board; and amending RCW 28B.10.802 and 28B.12.030.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.10.802 and 1989 c 254 s 2 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 As used in RCW 28B.10.800 through 28B.10.824:
- 8 (1) "Institutions of higher education" shall mean (1) any public
- 9 university, college, community college, or vocational-technical
- 10 institute operated by the state of Washington or any political
- 11 subdivision thereof or (2) any other university, college, school, or
- 12 institute in the state of Washington offering instruction beyond the
- 13 high school level which is a member institution of an accrediting
- 14 association recognized by rule of the board for the purposes of this
- 15 section: PROVIDED, That any institution, branch, extension or facility
- 16 operating within the state of Washington which is affiliated with an
- 17 institution operating in another state must be a separately accredited
- 18 member institution of any such accrediting association, or a branch of
- 19 a member institution of an accrediting association recognized by rule

- 1 of the board for purposes of this section, that is eligible for federal
- 2 student financial aid assistance and has operated as a nonprofit
- 3 <u>college or university delivering on-site classroom instruction for a</u>
- 4 minimum of twenty consecutive years within the state of Washington, and
- 5 <u>has an annual enrollment of at least seven hundred full-time equivalent</u>
- 6 students: PROVIDED FURTHER, That no institution of higher education
- 7 shall be eligible to participate in a student financial aid program
- 8 unless it agrees to and complies with program rules and regulations
- 9 adopted pursuant to RCW 28B.10.822.
- 10 (2) The term "financial aid" shall mean loans and/or grants to 11 needy students enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a student at
- 12 institutions of higher education.
- 13 (3) The term "needy student" shall mean a post high school student
- 14 of an institution of higher learning as defined in subsection (1) of
- 15 this section who demonstrates to the board the financial inability,
- 16 either through the student's parents, family and/or personally, to meet
- 17 the total cost of board, room, books, and tuition and incidental fees
- 18 for any semester or quarter.
- 19 (4) The term "disadvantaged student" shall mean a post high school
- 20 student who by reason of adverse cultural, educational, environmental,
- 21 experiential, familial or other circumstances is unable to qualify for
- 22 enrollment as a full time student in an institution of higher learning,
- 23 who would otherwise qualify as a needy student, and who is attending an
- 24 institution of higher learning under an established program designed to
- 25 qualify the student for enrollment as a full time student.
- 26 (5) "Commission" or "board" shall mean the higher education
- 27 coordinating board.
- 28 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.12.030 and 1994 c 130 s 3 are each amended to read
- 29 as follows:
- 30 As used in this chapter, the following words and terms shall have
- 31 the following meanings, unless the context shall clearly indicate
- 32 another or different meaning or intent:
- 33 (1) The term "needy student" shall mean a student enrolled or
- 34 accepted for enrollment at a post-secondary institution who, according
- 35 to a system of need analysis approved by the higher education
- 36 coordinating board, demonstrates a financial inability, either
- 37 parental, familial, or personal, to bear the total cost of education
- 38 for any semester or quarter.

(2) The term "eligible institution" shall mean any post-secondary 1 2 institution in this state accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, or a branch of a member institution of an 3 4 accrediting association recognized by rule of the board for purposes of this section, that is eligible for federal student financial aid 5 assistance and has operated as a nonprofit college or university 6 delivering on-site classroom instruction for a minimum of twenty 7 8 consecutive years within the state of Washington, or any public technical college in the state.

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