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2 **SB 6285** - S AMD

3 By Senators McDonald and Saling

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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
6 following:

7 "**Sec. 1.** RCW 28B.10.016 and 1991 c 238 s 113 are each amended to
8 read as follows:

9 For the purposes of this title:

10 (1) "State universities" means the University of Washington and
11 Washington State University.

12 (2) "Regional universities" means Western Washington University at
13 Bellingham, Central Washington University at Ellensburg, and Eastern
14 Washington University at Cheney.

15 (3) "State college" means The Evergreen State College in Thurston
16 county.

17 (4) "Institutions of higher education" or "postsecondary
18 institutions" means the state universities, the regional universities,
19 The Evergreen State College, the community colleges, and the technical
20 colleges.

21 (5) "Governing board" means the board of regents or the board of
22 trustees of the institutions of higher education."

23 "**Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.10.265 and 1985 c 390 s 1 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
26 boards of the state universities, the regional universities, The
27 Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may waive all or a

1 portion of the tuition, operating, and services and activities fees for
2 children of any person who was a Washington domiciliary and who within
3 the past eleven years has been determined by the federal government to
4 be a prisoner of war or missing in action in Southeast Asia, including
5 Korea, or who shall become so hereafter~~((, shall be admitted to and~~
6 ~~attend any public institution of higher education within the state~~
7 ~~without the necessity of paying any tuition and service and activities'~~
8 ~~fees for any and all courses offered at any time including summer term~~
9 ~~whether attending on a part time or full time basis: PROVIDED, That~~
10 ~~such child shall))~~, if the children meet such other educational
11 qualifications as such institution of higher education shall deem
12 reasonable and necessary under the circumstances. ((Affected
13 ~~institutions shall in their preparation of future budgets include~~
14 ~~therein costs resultant from such tuition loss for reimbursement~~
15 ~~thereof from appropriations of state funds.)) Applicants for free or
16 reduced tuition shall provide institutional administrative personnel
17 with documentation of their rights under this section.~~

18 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
19 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
20 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
21 biennial state appropriations act."

22 "Sec. 3. RCW 28B.15.014 and 1989 c 306 s 3 and 1989 c 290 s 3 are
23 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

24 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
25 boards of the state universities, the regional universities, The
26 Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may exempt the
27 following nonresidents ~~((shall be exempted))~~ from paying all or a
28 portion of the nonresident tuition ~~((and))~~ fees differential:

1 (1) Any person who resides in the state of Washington and who holds
2 a graduate service appointment designated as such by a public
3 institution of higher education or is employed for an academic
4 department in support of the instructional or research programs
5 involving not less than twenty hours per week during the term such
6 person shall hold such appointment.

7 (2) Any faculty member, classified staff member or administratively
8 exempt employee holding not less than a half time appointment at an
9 institution who resides in the state of Washington, and the dependent
10 children and spouse of such persons.

11 (3) Active-duty military personnel stationed in the state of
12 Washington and the spouses and dependents of such military personnel.

13 (4) Any immigrant refugee and the spouse and dependent children of
14 such refugee, if the refugee (a) is on parole status, or (b) has
15 received an immigrant visa, or (c) has applied for United States
16 citizenship.

17 (5) Domestic exchange students participating in the program created
18 under RCW 28B.15.725.

19 (6) Any dependent of a member of the United States congress
20 representing the state of Washington.

21 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
22 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
23 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
24 biennial state appropriations act."

25 "**Sec. 4.** RCW 28B.15.067 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 413 are each
26 amended to read as follows:

27 (1) Tuition fees shall be established and adjusted annually under
28 the provisions of this chapter beginning with the 1987-88 academic
29 year. Such fees shall be identical, subject to other provisions of

1 this chapter, for students enrolled at either state university, for
2 students enrolled at the regional universities and The Evergreen State
3 College and for students enrolled at any community college. Tuition
4 fees shall reflect the undergraduate and graduate educational costs of
5 the state universities, the regional universities and the community
6 colleges, respectively, in the amounts prescribed in this chapter.
7 (~~The change from the biennial tuition fee adjustment to an annual~~
8 ~~tuition fee adjustment shall not reduce the amount of revenue to the~~
9 ~~state general fund.~~)

10 (2) The tuition fees established under this (~~section~~) chapter
11 shall not apply to high school students enrolling in community colleges
12 under RCW 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.395."

13 "Sec. 5. RCW 28B.15.070 and 1989 c 245 s 3 are each amended to
14 read as follows:

15 (1) The higher education coordinating board, in consultation with
16 the house of representatives and senate committees responsible for
17 higher education (~~shall develop, in cooperation with the higher~~
18 ~~education coordinating board~~), the respective fiscal committees of the
19 house of representatives and senate, the office of financial
20 management, and the state institutions of higher education, shall
21 develop by December of every fourth year beginning in 1989,
22 definitions, criteria, and procedures for determining the undergraduate
23 and graduate educational costs for the state universities, regional
24 universities, and community colleges upon which tuition fees will be
25 based. (~~In the event that no action is taken or disagreement exists~~
26 ~~between the committees as of that date, the recommendations of the~~
27 ~~board shall be deemed to be approved.~~)

28 (2) Every four years, the state institutions of higher education in
29 cooperation with the higher education coordinating board shall perform

1 an educational cost study pursuant to subsection (1) of this section.
2 The study shall be conducted based on every fourth academic year
3 beginning with 1989-90. Institutions shall complete the studies within
4 one year of the end of the study year and report the results to the
5 higher education coordinating board for consolidation, review, and
6 distribution.

7 (3) In order to conduct the study required by subsection (2) of
8 this section, the higher education coordinating board, in cooperation
9 with the institutions of higher education, shall develop a methodology
10 that requires the collection of comparable educational cost data, which
11 utilizes a faculty activity analysis or similar instrument."

12 "Sec. 6. RCW 28B.15.100 and 1985 c 390 s 18 and 1985 c 370 s 67
13 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

14 (1) The ~~((board of regents or board of trustees at each of the~~
15 ~~state's regional and state))~~ governing boards of the state
16 universities, the regional universities ((and at)), The Evergreen State
17 College, and the community colleges shall charge to and collect from
18 each of the students registering at the particular institution for any
19 quarter or semester such tuition fees and services and activities fees,
20 and other fees as such board shall in its discretion determine~~((7))~~.
21 The total of all ~~((such))~~ fees~~((, the tuition fee, and services and~~
22 ~~activities fee, to))~~ shall be rounded~~((out))~~ to the nearest whole
23 dollar amount: PROVIDED, That such tuition fees for other than the
24 summer ((session quarters or semesters)) term shall be in the amounts
25 for the respective institutions as otherwise set forth in this
26 chapter~~((, as now or hereafter amended: PROVIDED FURTHER, That the~~
27 ~~fees charged by boards of trustees of community college districts shall~~
28 ~~be in the amounts for the respective institutions as otherwise set~~
29 ~~forth in this chapter, as now or hereafter amended))~~.

1 (2) Part time students shall be charged tuition and services and
2 activities fees proportionate to full time student rates established
3 for residents and nonresidents: PROVIDED, That students registered for
4 fewer than two credit hours shall be charged tuition and services and
5 activities fees at the rate established for two credit hours: PROVIDED
6 FURTHER, That, subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act,
7 residents of Idaho or Oregon who are enrolled in community college
8 district number twenty for six or fewer credits during any quarter or
9 semester may be ~~((allowed to enroll at resident tuition and fee rates))~~
10 exempted from payment of all or a portion of the nonresident tuition
11 fees differential upon a declaration by the higher education
12 coordinating board that it finds Washington residents from ~~((such))~~ the
13 community college district are afforded substantially equivalent
14 treatment by such other states.

15 (3) Full-time students registered for more than eighteen credit
16 hours shall be charged an additional operating fee for each credit hour
17 in excess of eighteen hours at the applicable established per credit
18 hour tuition fee rate ~~((applicable to))~~ for part-time students ~~((in the~~
19 ~~respective institutional tuition and fee rate categories set forth in~~
20 ~~this chapter))~~: PROVIDED, That, subject to the limitations of section
21 33 of this act, the governing boards ((of regents)) of the ((University
22 ~~of Washington and Washington State University))~~ state universities and
23 the community colleges may exempt all or a portion of the additional
24 charge, for students who are registered exclusively in first
25 professional programs in medicine, dental medicine, veterinary medicine
26 ~~((and)), or law~~ ~~((:— PROVIDED FURTHER, That the state board for~~
27 ~~community college education may exempt students who are registered~~
28 ~~exclusively))~~, or who are registered exclusively in required courses in
29 vocational preparatory programs ~~((from the additional charge)).~~

1 (4) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
2 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
3 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
4 biennial state appropriations act."

5 "Sec. 7. RCW 28B.15.202 and 1985 c 390 s 19 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 Tuition fees and maximum services and activities fees at the
8 University of Washington and at Washington State University for other
9 than the summer (~~(quarters or semesters)~~) term shall be as follows:

10 (1) For full time resident undergraduate students and all other
11 full time resident students not in graduate study programs or enrolled
12 in programs leading to the degrees of doctor of medicine, doctor of
13 dental surgery, and doctor of veterinary medicine, the total tuition
14 fees shall be (~~(one-third)~~) thirty-three percent of the per student
15 undergraduate educational costs at the state universities computed as
16 provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building
17 fees for each academic year shall be one hundred and twenty dollars.

18 (2) For full time resident graduate and law students not enrolled
19 in programs leading to the degrees of doctor of medicine, doctor of
20 dental surgery, and doctor of veterinary medicine, the total tuition
21 fees shall be twenty-three percent of the per student graduate
22 educational costs at the state universities computed as provided in RCW
23 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building fees for each
24 academic year shall be one hundred and twenty dollars.

25 (3) For full time resident students enrolled in programs leading to
26 the degrees of doctor of medicine, doctor of dental surgery, and doctor
27 of veterinary medicine, the total tuition fees shall be one hundred
28 sixty-seven percent of such fees charged in subsection (2) (~~(above)~~) of

1 this section: PROVIDED, That the building fees for each academic year
2 shall be three hundred and forty-two dollars.

3 (4) For full time nonresident undergraduate students and such other
4 full time nonresident students not in graduate study programs or
5 enrolled in programs leading to the degrees of doctor of medicine,
6 doctor of dental surgery, or doctor of veterinary medicine, the total
7 tuition fees shall be one hundred percent of the per student
8 undergraduate educational costs at the state universities computed as
9 provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building
10 fees for each academic year shall be three hundred and fifty-four
11 dollars.

12 (5) For full time nonresident graduate and law students not
13 enrolled in programs leading to the degrees of doctor of medicine,
14 doctor of dental surgery, and doctor of veterinary medicine, the total
15 tuition fees shall be (~~four thousand and seventy four dollars, and~~
16 ~~thereafter such fees shall be~~) sixty percent of the per student
17 graduate educational costs at the state universities computed as
18 provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building
19 fees for each academic year shall be three hundred and fifty-four
20 dollars.

21 (6) For full time nonresident students enrolled in programs leading
22 to the degrees of doctor of medicine, doctor of dental surgery, and
23 doctor of veterinary medicine, the total tuition fees shall be one
24 hundred sixty-seven percent of such fees charged in subsection (5)
25 (~~above~~) of this section: PROVIDED, That the building fees for each
26 academic year shall be five hundred and fifty-five dollars.

27 (7) The governing boards of (~~regents of each of~~) the state
28 universities shall charge to and collect (~~equally~~) from each (~~of the~~
29 ~~students registering at the particular institution and included in~~
30 ~~subsections (1) through (6) hereof~~) student, a services and activities

1 fee (~~((which for each year of the 1981-83 biennium shall not exceed one~~
2 ~~hundred and thirty-eight dollars. In subsequent biennia))~~). The
3 governing board (~~((of regents))~~) may increase the existing fee annually,
4 consistent with budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045, by a
5 percentage not to exceed the annual percentage increase in (~~((tuition~~
6 ~~fees authorized in subsection (1) above))~~) resident undergraduate
7 tuition fees: PROVIDED, That such percentage increase shall not apply
8 to that portion of the services and activities fee previously committed
9 to the repayment of bonded debt. The services and activities fee
10 committee provided for in RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate a request to the
11 governing board for a fee increase."

12 "Sec. 8. RCW 28B.15.225 and 1981 c 20 s 1 are each amended to read
13 as follows:

14 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
15 board (~~((of regents))~~) of the University of Washington may exempt the
16 following students from the payment of all or a portion of the
17 nonresident (~~((portion of the legally established student))~~) tuition
18 (~~((and))~~) fees(~~((, any))~~) differential: Students admitted to the
19 university's school of medicine pursuant to (~~((any))~~) contracts with the
20 states of Alaska, Montana, or Idaho, or agencies thereof, providing for
21 a program of regionalized medical education conducted by (~~((said))~~) the
22 school of medicine(~~((,))~~)i or (~~((any))~~) students admitted to the
23 university's school of dentistry pursuant to (~~((any))~~) contracts with the
24 states of Utah, Idaho, or any other western state which does not have
25 a school of dentistry, or agencies thereof, providing for a program of
26 regionalized dental education conducted by (~~((said))~~) the school of
27 dentistry(~~((, which contracts provide that))~~). The proportional cost of
28 (~~((such))~~) the program (~~((and))~~), in excess of resident student tuition and
29 fees, will be reimbursed to the university by or on behalf of (~~((said))~~)

1 participating states or agencies ((thereof)). Subject to the
2 limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing board of
3 Washington State University may exempt from payment all or a portion of
4 the nonresident tuition fee differential for any student admitted to
5 the University of Washington's school of medicine and attending
6 Washington State University as a participant in the Washington, Alaska,
7 Montana, or Idaho program in this section. Washington State University
8 may reduce the professional student tuition for students enrolled in
9 this program by the amount the student pays the University of
10 Washington as a registration fee.

11 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
12 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
13 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
14 biennial state appropriations act."

15 "Sec. 9. RCW 28B.15.380 and 1990 c 154 s 1 are each amended to
16 read as follows:

17 ~~((In addition to any other exemptions as may be provided by law,))~~
18 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
19 boards ((of regents at)) of the state universities, the regional
20 universities, and The Evergreen State College may exempt the following
21 ((classes of persons)) students from the payment of all or a portion of
22 tuition fees ((or)) and services and activities fees ((except for
23 individual instruction fees)):

24 (1) All veterans as defined in RCW 41.04.005: PROVIDED, That such
25 persons are no longer entitled to federal vocational or educational
26 benefits conferred by virtue of their military service: AND PROVIDED
27 FURTHER, That if any such veterans have not resided in this state for
28 one year prior to registration ((said)), the board may exempt ((them))
29 the student from paying up to ((one-half)) fifty percent of the

1 (~~tuition payable by other nonresident students: AND, PROVIDED~~
2 ~~FURTHER, That~~) nonresident tuition fees differential. Such exemptions
3 (~~shall~~) may be provided only to those persons otherwise covered who
4 were enrolled in universities on or before October 1, 1977.

5 (2) Children of any law enforcement officer or fire fighter who
6 lost his or her life or became totally disabled in the line of duty
7 while employed by any public law enforcement agency or full time or
8 volunteer fire department in this state: PROVIDED, That such persons
9 may receive the exemption only if they begin their course of study at
10 a (~~state~~) state-supported college or university within ten years of
11 their graduation from high school.

12 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
13 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
14 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
15 biennial state appropriations act."

16 "**Sec. 10.** RCW 28B.15.402 and 1989 c 245 s 1 are each amended to
17 read as follows:

18 Tuition fees and maximum services and activities fees at the
19 regional universities and The Evergreen State College for other than
20 the summer (~~quarters or semesters~~) term shall be as follows:

21 (1) For full time resident undergraduate students and all other
22 full time resident students not in graduate study programs, the total
23 tuition fees shall be (~~one-fourth~~) twenty-five percent of the per
24 student undergraduate educational costs at the regional universities
25 computed as provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That
26 the building fees for each academic year shall be seventy-six dollars
27 and fifty cents.

28 (2) For full time resident graduate students, the total tuition
29 fees shall be twenty-three percent of the per student graduate

1 educational costs at the regional universities computed as provided in
2 RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building fees for
3 each academic year shall be seventy-six dollars and fifty cents.

4 (3) For full time nonresident undergraduate students and all other
5 full time nonresident students not in graduate study programs, the
6 total tuition fees shall be one hundred percent of the per student
7 undergraduate educational costs at the regional universities computed
8 as provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the
9 building fees for each academic year shall be two hundred and
10 ninety-five dollars and fifty cents.

11 (4) For full time nonresident graduate students, the total ~~((of))~~
12 tuition fees shall be seventy-five percent of the per student graduate
13 educational costs at the regional universities computed as provided in
14 RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building fees for
15 each academic year shall be two hundred and ninety-five dollars and
16 fifty cents.

17 (5) The governing boards ~~((of trustees))~~ of each of the regional
18 universities and The Evergreen State College shall charge to and
19 collect ~~((equally))~~ from each ~~((of the students registering at the
20 particular institution and included in subsections (1) through (4)
21 hereof))~~ student, a services and activities fee ~~((which for each year
22 of the 1981-83 biennium shall not exceed one hundred eighty four
23 dollars and fifty cents. In subsequent biennia))~~. The governing board
24 ~~((of trustees))~~ may increase the existing fee annually, consistent with
25 budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045, by a percentage not
26 to exceed the annual percentage increase in resident undergraduate
27 tuition fees ~~((authorized in subsection (1) above))~~: PROVIDED, That
28 such percentage increase shall not apply to that portion of the
29 services and activities fee previously committed to the repayment of
30 bonded debt. The services and activities fee committee provided for in

1 RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate a request to the governing board for a fee
2 increase.

3 ~~((6) Notwithstanding the provisions of RCW 28B.15.067, for the
4 1989-91 biennium the undergraduate and graduate cost relationship
5 developed by the 1987 cost study for Central Washington University
6 shall be used to establish tuition fees for the regional universities
7 and The Evergreen State College.))"~~

8 **"Sec. 11.** RCW 28B.15.502 and 1991 c 353 s 2 are each amended to
9 read as follows:

10 Tuition fees and maximum services and activities fees at each
11 community college for other than ~~((at))~~ the summer ~~((quarters))~~ term
12 shall be set by the state board for community and technical colleges as
13 follows:

14 (1) For full time resident students, the total tuition fees shall
15 be twenty-three percent of the per student educational costs at the
16 community colleges computed as provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and
17 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building fees for each academic year
18 shall be one hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

19 (2) For full time nonresident students, the total tuition fees
20 shall be one hundred percent of the per student educational costs at
21 the community colleges computed as provided in RCW 28B.15.067 and
22 28B.15.070: PROVIDED, That the building fees for each academic year
23 shall be four hundred and three dollars and fifty cents.

24 (3) The governing boards ~~((of trustees))~~ of each of the state
25 community colleges shall charge to and collect ~~((equally))~~ from each
26 ~~((of the))~~ student ~~((s registering at the particular institution and
27 included in subsections (1) and (2) hereof))~~ a services and activities
28 fee ~~((which for each year of the 1981-83 biennium shall not exceed
29 sixty-four dollars and fifty cents. In subsequent biennia the))~~. Each

1 governing board (~~(of trustees)~~) may increase the existing fee annually,
2 consistent with budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045, by a
3 percentage not to exceed the annual percentage increase in resident
4 student tuition fees (~~((authorized in subsection (1) above))~~): PROVIDED,
5 That such percentage increase shall not apply to that portion of the
6 services and activities fee previously committed to the repayment of
7 bonded debt. The services and activities fee committee provided for in
8 RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate a request to the governing board for a fee
9 increase.

10 (4) Tuition and services and activities fees consistent with (~~(the~~
11 ~~above schedule will)~~) subsection (3) of this section shall be (~~((fixed))~~)
12 set by the state board for community and technical colleges for summer
13 school students unless the community college charges fees in accordance
14 with RCW 28B.15.515.

15 (~~(The)~~) Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, each
16 governing board (~~(of trustees shall)~~) may charge such fees for ungraded
17 courses, noncredit courses, community services courses, and
18 self-supporting (~~((short))~~) courses as it, in its discretion, may
19 determine, (~~((not inconsistent))~~) consistent with the rules and
20 regulations of the state board for community (~~(college education))~~) and
21 technical colleges.

22 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
23 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
24 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
25 biennial state appropriations act."

26 "**Sec. 12.** RCW 28B.15.520 and 1990 c 154 s 2 are each amended to
27 read as follows:

28 (~~((Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter or chapter~~
29 ~~28B.50 RCW as now or hereafter amended))~~) Subject to the limitations of

1 section 33 of this act, the governing boards of the community colleges
2 may:

3 ~~((Boards of trustees of the various community colleges shall))~~
4 Waive all or a portion of tuition fees and services and activities fees
5 for:

6 (a) Students nineteen years of age or older who are eligible for
7 resident tuition and fee rates as defined in RCW 28B.15.012 through
8 28B.15.015 and who enroll in a course of study or program which will
9 enable them to finish their high school education and obtain a high
10 school diploma or certificate; and

11 ~~((2) The various community college boards may waive the tuition~~
12 ~~and services and activities fees for))~~ (b) Children of any law
13 enforcement officer or fire fighter who lost his or her life or became
14 totally disabled in the line of duty while employed by any public law
15 enforcement agency or full time or volunteer fire department in this
16 state: PROVIDED, That such persons may receive the ~~((exemption))~~
17 waiver only if they begin their course of study at a community college
18 within ten years of their graduation from high school;

19 ~~((3) Boards of trustees of the various community colleges may))~~
20 (2) Waive ~~((residency requirements for))~~ all or a portion of the
21 nonresident tuition fees differential for:

22 (a) Nonresident students enrolled in ~~((that))~~ a community college
23 ~~((in a))~~ course of study or program which will enable them to finish
24 their high school education and obtain a high school diploma or
25 certificate. The waiver shall be in effect only for those courses
26 which lead to a high school diploma or certificate; and

27 ~~((4) Boards of trustees of the various community colleges may~~
28 ~~waive the nonresident portion of tuition and fees for))~~ (b) Up to forty
29 percent of the students enrolled in the regional education program for
30 deaf students, subject to federal funding of such program.

1 (3) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
2 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
3 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
4 biennial state appropriations act."

5 "Sec. 13. RCW 28B.15.522 and 1985 c 390 s 27 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 (1) The governing boards (~~(of trustees)~~) of the community colleges
8 (~~(districts)~~) may waive all or a portion of the tuition and services
9 and activities fees for persons under subsection (2) of this section
10 pursuant to the following conditions:

11 (a) Such persons shall register for and be enrolled in courses on
12 a space available basis and new course sections shall not be created as
13 a result of the registration;

14 (b) Enrollment information on persons registered pursuant to this
15 section shall be maintained separately from other enrollment
16 information and shall not be included in official enrollment reports,
17 nor shall such persons be considered in any enrollment statistics which
18 would affect budgetary determinations; and

19 (c) Persons who enroll under this section shall have the same
20 access to support services as do all other students and shall be
21 subject to all course prerequisite requirements.

22 (2) A person is eligible for the waiver under subsection (1) of
23 this section if the person:

24 (a) Meets the requirements for a resident student under RCW
25 28B.15.011 through 28B.15.015;

26 (b) Is twenty-one years of age or older;

27 (c) At the time of initial enrollment under subsection (1) of this
28 section, has not attended an institution of higher education for the
29 previous six months;

1 (d) Is not receiving or is not entitled to receive unemployment
2 compensation of any nature under Title 50 RCW; and

3 (e) Has an income at or below the need standard established under
4 chapter 74.04 RCW by the department of social and health services.

5 (3) The state board for community and technical colleges
6 (~~education~~) shall adopt rules to carry out this section.

7 (4) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
8 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
9 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
10 biennial state appropriations act."

11 "Sec. 14. RCW 28B.15.527 and 1989 c 245 s 5 are each amended to
12 read as follows:

13 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
14 boards (~~of trustees~~) of the community colleges may waive all or a
15 portion of the nonresident (~~portion of~~) tuition fees differential for
16 undergraduate students of foreign nations as follows:

17 (1) Priority in the awarding of waivers shall be given to students
18 on academic exchanges and students participating in special programs
19 recognized through formal agreements between states, cities, or
20 institutions;

21 (2) The waiver programs under this section shall promote reciprocal
22 placements and waivers in foreign nations for Washington residents.
23 The number of foreign students granted (~~resident tuition~~) waivers
24 through this program shall not exceed the number of that institution's
25 own students enrolled in approved study programs abroad during the same
26 period;

27 (3) No reciprocal placements shall be required for up to thirty
28 students participating in the Georgetown University scholarship program
29 funded by the United States agency for international development;

1 (4) Participation shall be limited to one hundred full-time foreign
2 students each year.

3 (5) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
4 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
5 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
6 biennial state appropriations act."

7 "Sec. 15. RCW 28B.15.535 and 1985 c 390 s 28 are each amended to
8 read as follows:

9 (1) The governing boards (~~((of regents))~~) of the state universities
10 (~~((and the boards of trustees of))~~), the regional universities, The
11 Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may waive all or a
12 portion of the tuition and services and activities fees for full-time
13 employees of their respective institutions of higher education enrolled
14 in said institutions' courses on a space available basis pursuant to
15 the following conditions:

16 (a) Employees shall register for and be enrolled in courses on a
17 space available basis, and no new course sections shall be created as
18 a direct result of such registration;

19 (b) Enrollment information on employees registered on a space
20 available basis shall be maintained separately from other enrollment
21 information and shall not be included in official enrollment reports,
22 nor shall persons enrolled pursuant to the provisions of this section
23 be considered in any enrollment statistics which would affect budgetary
24 determinations;

25 (c) Employees registering on a space available basis shall be
26 charged a registration fee of not less than five dollars.

27 (2) The governing boards of the respective colleges and
28 universities may waive all or a portion of tuition and services and
29 activities fees for full-time intercollegiate center for nursing

1 education, cooperative extension service, and agricultural research
2 employees of Washington State University for such employees stationed
3 off the Pullman, Whitman county campus: PROVIDED, That such waiver
4 complies with the conditions spelled out in subsection (1) (a), (b),
5 and (c) (~~above~~) of this section.

6 (3) The governing boards (~~(of regents)~~) of the state universities,
7 (~~(the boards of trustees of)~~) the regional universities, and The
8 Evergreen State College(~~(7)~~) and the state board for community and
9 technical colleges (~~(education with respect to community colleges,7)~~)
10 shall adopt guidelines for the implementation of institutional employee
11 waivers granted pursuant to this section."

12 "Sec. 16. RCW 28B.15.540 and 1985 c 390 s 29 are each amended to
13 read as follows:

14 (~~(Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter or the laws~~
15 ~~of this state and)~~) Consistent with the regulations and procedures
16 established by the governing boards (~~(of trustees of the state~~
17 ~~colleges, the boards of regents)~~) of the state universities, the
18 regional universities, and The Evergreen State College and the state
19 board for community and technical colleges, (~~(education)~~) each
20 institution may for Washington residents who are sixty years of age or
21 older:

22 (1) Waive, in whole or in part, the tuition and services and
23 activities fees for students who qualify under this section and who are
24 enrolled for credit, and

25 (2) Waive, in whole or in part, the tuition and services and
26 activities fees for students who qualify under this section, but charge
27 a nominal fee not to exceed five dollars per quarter, or semester, as
28 the case may be, for such students who are enrolled on an audit basis:
29 PROVIDED, That residents enrolling with fee exemptions under this

1 section shall register for not more than two quarter or semester
2 courses at one time on a space available basis, and no new course
3 sections shall be created as a direct result of such registration:
4 PROVIDED FURTHER, That such waivers shall not be available to students
5 who plan to use the course credits gained thereby for increasing
6 credentials or salary schedule increases: PROVIDED FURTHER, That
7 enrollment information concerning fee exemptions awarded under this
8 section shall be maintained separately from other enrollment
9 information but shall not be included in official enrollment reports:
10 PROVIDED, That persons who enroll pursuant to provisions of this
11 section shall not be considered for any purpose in determining student-
12 teacher ratio, nor for any purpose relating to enrollment totals, nor
13 any other statistic which would affect budgetary determinations.
14 Persons enrolling under the provisions of this section shall have, in
15 equal with all other students, access to course counseling services and
16 shall be subject to all course prerequisite requirements."

17 "Sec. 17. RCW 28B.15.543 and 1990 c 33 s 558 are each amended to
18 read as follows:

19 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
20 boards ((of regents and trustees)) of the state universities, the
21 regional universities, ((state universities,)) The Evergreen State
22 College, and the community colleges shall waive tuition and service and
23 activities fees for recipients of the Washington scholars award under
24 RCW 28A.600.100 through 28A.600.150 who received their awards before
25 June 30, 1992. The governing boards may waive all or a portion of
26 tuition and services and activities fees for those recipients of the
27 Washington scholars award who received their awards after June 30,
28 1992. The waivers shall be used only for undergraduate studies. To
29 qualify for the waiver, recipients shall enter the college or

1 university within three years of high school graduation and maintain a
2 minimum grade point average at the college or university equivalent to
3 3.30. Students shall be eligible for waivers for a maximum of twelve
4 quarters or eight semesters and may transfer among ~~((state))~~ state-
5 supported institutions of higher education during that period and
6 continue to have the tuition and services and activities fees waived by
7 the ~~((state))~~ state-supported institution of higher education that the
8 student attends. Should the student's cumulative grade point average
9 fall below 3.30 during the first three quarters or two semesters, that
10 student may petition the higher education coordinating board which
11 shall have the authority to establish a probationary period until such
12 time as the student's grade point average meets required standards.

13 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
14 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
15 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
16 biennial state appropriations act."

17 **"Sec. 18.** RCW 28B.15.545 and 1987 c 231 s 1 are each amended to
18 read as follows:

19 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
20 boards ~~((of regents and trustees))~~ of the state universities, the
21 regional universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community
22 colleges shall waive tuition and services and activities fees ~~((for a~~
23 maximum of six quarters or four semesters)) for those recipients of the
24 Washington award for vocational excellence established under RCW
25 28C.04.520 through 28C.04.540 who received their awards before June 30,
26 1992. The governing boards may waive all or a portion of tuition and
27 services and activities fees for those recipients of the Washington
28 award for vocational excellence who received their awards after June
29 30, 1992. Each recipient shall not receive a waiver for more than six

1 quarters or four semesters. To qualify for the waiver, recipients
2 shall enter the college or university within three years of receiving
3 the award. A minimum grade point average at the college or university
4 equivalent to 3.00 (~~(in the first year)~~), or an above-average rating at
5 a technical college, shall be required in the first year to qualify for
6 the second-year waiver. The tuition waiver shall be granted for
7 undergraduate studies only.

8 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
9 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
10 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
11 biennial state appropriations act."

12 "Sec. 19. RCW 28B.15.556 and 1986 c 232 s 2 are each amended to
13 read as follows:

14 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
15 boards ((of regents)) of the state universities ((and the boards of
16 trustees of)), the regional universities, and The Evergreen State
17 College may waive all or a portion of the tuition, ((operating,)) and
18 services and activities fees for undergraduate or graduate students of
19 foreign nations subject to the following limitations:

20 (1) No more than the equivalent of one hundred waivers may be
21 awarded to undergraduate or graduate students of foreign nations at
22 each of the two state universities;

23 (2) No more than the equivalent of twenty waivers may be awarded to
24 undergraduate or graduate students of foreign nations at each of the
25 regional universities and The Evergreen State College;

26 (3) Priority in the awarding of waivers shall be given to students
27 on academic exchanges or academic special programs sponsored by
28 recognized international educational organizations; and

1 (4) An undergraduate or graduate student of a foreign nation
2 receiving a waiver under this section is not eligible for any other
3 waiver.

4 The waiver programs under this section, to the greatest extent
5 possible, shall promote reciprocal placements and waivers in foreign
6 nations for Washington residents. The number of waivers awarded by
7 each institution shall not exceed the number of that institution's own
8 students enrolled in approved study programs abroad during the same
9 period.

10 (5) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
11 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
12 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
13 biennial state appropriations act."

14 "Sec. 20. RCW 28B.15.558 and 1990 c 88 s 1 are each amended to
15 read as follows:

16 (1) The governing boards of the state (~~((institutions of higher~~
17 ~~education as defined in RCW 28B.10.016))~~ universities, the regional
18 universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community colleges
19 may waive all or a portion of the tuition and services and activities
20 fees for state employees as defined under subsection (2) of this
21 section pursuant to the following conditions:

22 (a) Such state employees shall register for and be enrolled in
23 courses on a space available basis and no new course sections shall be
24 created as a result of the registration;

25 (b) Enrollment information on state employees registered pursuant
26 to this section shall be maintained separately from other enrollment
27 information and shall not be included in official enrollment reports,
28 nor shall such state employees be considered in any enrollment
29 statistics which would affect budgetary determinations; and

1 (c) State employees registering on a space available basis shall be
2 charged a registration fee of not less than five dollars.

3 (2) For the purposes of this section, "state employees" means
4 permanent full-time employees in classified service under chapters
5 28B.16 and 41.06 RCW."

6 "Sec. 21. RCW 28B.15.615 and 1984 c 105 s 1 are each amended to
7 read as follows:

8 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
9 boards ((of regents)) of the state universities and ((the boards of
10 trustees of)) the regional universities ((are authorized to)) may

11 exempt the following students from paying all or a portion of the
12 resident operating fee ((any person who is enrolled in such institution
13 and who holds)): Students granted a graduate service appointment,
14 designated as such by ((that)) the institution, involving not less than
15 twenty hours of work per week. The exemption shall be for the term of
16 the ((person shall hold the)) appointment. ((Until one year after June
17 7, 1984, the stipend paid to persons holding the graduate service
18 appointments paid from state funds shall be reduced in an amount equal
19 to the resident operating fee so waived, and the institution shall pay
20 to the general fund from moneys appropriated an amount equivalent to
21 the amount of waived operating fee revenue so as to ensure that the
22 general fund is not negatively impacted. The 1985-87 and subsequent
23 biennial appropriations to the institutions shall be based on the level
24 of reduced stipend resulting from this section.)) The stipend paid to
25 persons holding graduate student appointments from nonstate funds shall
26 be reduced and the institution reimbursed from such funds in an amount
27 equal to the resident operating fee which funds shall be transmitted to
28 the general fund.

1 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
2 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
3 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
4 biennial state appropriations act."

5 "Sec. 22. RCW 28B.15.620 and 1989 c 306 s 4 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 (~~Notwithstanding any other provision of law,~~) Subject to the
8 limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing boards of the
9 state universities, the regional universities, The Evergreen State
10 College, and the community colleges may exempt veterans of the Vietnam
11 conflict who have served in the southeast Asia theater of operations
12 (~~attending institutions of higher learning shall be exempted~~) from
13 the payment of any increase in tuition and fees otherwise applicable to
14 any other resident or nonresident student (~~at any institution of~~
15 higher education, and)). In such cases, the veteran shall not be
16 required to pay more than the total amount of tuition and fees paid by
17 veterans of the Vietnam conflict on October 1, 1977: PROVIDED, That
18 for the purposes of this exemption, "veterans of the Vietnam conflict"
19 shall be those persons who have been on active federal service as a
20 member of the armed military or naval forces of the United States
21 between a period commencing August 5, 1964, and ending on May 7, 1975,
22 and who qualify as a resident student under RCW 28B.15.012, and who
23 (~~have~~) enrolled in state institutions of higher education on or
24 before May 7, 1990. This section shall expire June 30, 1995.

25 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
26 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
27 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
28 biennial state appropriations act."

1 **"Sec. 23.** RCW 28B.15.628 and 1991 c 228 s 14 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
4 boards of the state universities, the regional universities, The
5 Evergreen State College, and the community colleges may exempt veterans
6 of the Persian Gulf combat zone ((shall be exempted)) from increases in
7 tuition and fees ((at any public institution of higher education)) that
8 occur during and after their period of service(, and)). In such
9 cases, the veteran shall not be required to pay more than the total
10 amount of tuition and fees established for the 1990-91 academic year,
11 if the veteran could have qualified as a Washington resident student
12 under RCW 28B.15.012(2), had he or she been enrolled as a student on
13 August 1, 1990, and if the veteran's adjusted gross family income as
14 most recently reported to the internal revenue service does not exceed
15 Washington state's median family income as established by the federal
16 bureau of the census. For the purposes of this section, "a veteran of
17 the Persian Gulf combat zone" means a person who during any portion of
18 calendar year 1991, served in active federal service as a member of the
19 armed military or naval forces of the United States in a combat zone as
20 designated by the president of the United States by executive order.

21 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
22 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
23 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
24 biennial state appropriations act."

25 **"Sec. 24.** RCW 28B.15.725 and 1989 c 290 s 2 are each amended to
26 read as follows:

27 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
28 boards ((of regents)) of the state universities ((and the boards of
29 trustees of)), the regional universities, and The Evergreen State

1 College may enter into undergraduate upper division student exchange
2 agreements with comparable public four-year institutions of higher
3 education of other states and agree to ~~((charge))~~ exempt participating
4 undergraduate upper division students ~~((resident tuition rates))~~ from
5 payment of all or a portion of the nonresident tuition fees
6 differential subject to the following restrictions:

7 (1) In any given academic year, the number of ~~((undergraduate upper~~
8 ~~division nonresident exchange))~~ students receiving ~~((nonresident~~
9 ~~tuition waivers))~~ a waiver at a state institution~~((,))~~ shall not exceed
10 the number of that institution's ~~((undergraduate upper division))~~
11 students receiving nonresident tuition waivers at participating out-of-
12 state institutions. Waiver imbalances that may occur in one year shall
13 be off-set in the year immediately following.

14 (2) Undergraduate upper division student participation in an
15 exchange program authorized by this section is limited to one
16 ~~((calendar))~~ academic year.

17 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
18 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
19 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
20 biennial state appropriations act."

21 "**Sec. 25.** RCW 28B.15.730 and 1985 c 370 s 69 are each amended to
22 read as follows:

23 ~~((1))~~ ~~The state board for community college education and the~~
24 ~~boards of trustees for community college districts thirteen, fourteen,~~
25 ~~sixteen, nineteen, and twenty, for Lower Columbia, Clark, Yakima~~
26 ~~Valley, Columbia Basin, and Walla Walla community colleges,~~
27 ~~respectively, and the board of trustees for The Evergreen State~~
28 ~~College, for any program it offers in Vancouver, shall waive the~~
29 ~~payment of nonresident tuition and fees by residents of Oregon, upon~~

1 completion of an agreement between the higher education coordinating
2 board and appropriate officials and agencies in Oregon granting similar
3 waivers for residents of Cowlitz, Clark, Wahkiakum, Skamania, and
4 Klickitat counties, Washington, who qualify for junior or senior
5 standing to attend Portland State University at the undergraduate
6 level.

7 (2)) Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the
8 state board for community and technical colleges ((education)) and the
9 governing boards of ((trustees of the state's)) the state universities,
10 the regional universities, the community colleges, and The Evergreen
11 State College(, and the regional universities and the boards of
12 regents of the University of Washington and Washington State University
13 shall)) may waive all or a portion of the ((payment of)) nonresident
14 tuition ((and)) fees ((by)) differential for residents of Oregon, upon
15 completion of and to the extent permitted by an agreement between the
16 higher education coordinating board and appropriate officials and
17 agencies in Oregon granting similar waivers for residents of the state
18 of Washington.

19 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
20 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
21 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
22 biennial state appropriations act."

23 "**Sec. 26.** RCW 28B.15.740 and 1989 c 340 s 2 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 ((1)) Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the
26 ((boards of trustees or regents of each of the state's regional
27 universities, The Evergreen State College, or state universities, and
28 the various community colleges, consistent with regulations and
29 procedures established by the state board for community college

1 ~~education,~~) governing boards of the state universities, the regional
2 universities, The Evergreen State College, and the community colleges
3 may waive(~~(, in whole or in part,)~~) all or a portion of tuition and
4 ~~((services and activities))~~ fees subject to the ~~((limitations set forth~~
5 ~~in subsections (2) and (3)).~~

6 ~~(2))~~ following restrictions:

7 ~~(1)~~ Except as provided in subsection ~~((3))~~ (2) of this section,
8 the total dollar amount of tuition and fee waivers awarded by ~~((any~~
9 ~~state university, regional university, or state college,))~~ the
10 governing boards shall not exceed four percent, ~~((and))~~ except for the
11 community colleges considered as a whole, such amount shall not exceed
12 three percent of an amount determined by estimating the total
13 collections from tuition and services and activities fees had no such
14 waivers been made, and deducting the portion of that total amount
15 ~~((which))~~ that is attributable to the difference between resident and
16 nonresident fees: PROVIDED, That at least three-fourths of the dollars
17 waived shall be for needy students who are eligible for resident
18 tuition and fee rates pursuant to RCW 28B.15.012 through 28B.15.015:
19 PROVIDED FURTHER, That the remainder of the dollars waived, not to
20 exceed one-fourth of the total, may be applied to other students at the
21 discretion of the governing boards ~~((of trustees or regents))~~, except
22 on the basis of participation in intercollegiate athletic programs:
23 PROVIDED FURTHER, That the waivers for undergraduate and graduate
24 students of foreign nations under RCW 28B.15.556 are not subject to the
25 limitation under this section.

26 ~~((3))~~ (2) In addition to the tuition and fee waivers provided in
27 subsection ~~((2))~~ (1) of this section and subject to the provisions of
28 RCW 28B.15.455 and 28B.15.460, a total dollar amount of tuition and fee
29 waivers awarded by any state university, regional university, or state
30 college under this chapter, not to exceed one percent, as calculated in

1 subsection ((+2)) (1) of this section, may be used for the purpose of
2 achieving or maintaining gender equity in intercollegiate athletic
3 programs. At any institution that has an underrepresented gender class
4 in intercollegiate athletics, any such waivers shall be awarded:

5 (a) First, to members of the underrepresented gender class who
6 participate in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers result in
7 saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for the
8 underrepresented gender class. Such saved or displaced money shall be
9 used for programs for the underrepresented gender class; and

10 (b) Second, (i) to nonmembers of the underrepresented gender class
11 who participate in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers result
12 in saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for
13 members of the underrepresented gender class. Such saved or displaced
14 money shall be used for programs for the underrepresented gender class;
15 or (ii) to members of the underrepresented gender class who participate
16 in intercollegiate athletics, where such waivers do not result in any
17 saved or displaced money that can be used for athletic programs for
18 members of the underrepresented gender class.

19 (3) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
20 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
21 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
22 biennial state appropriations act."

23 "Sec. 27. RCW 28B.15.750 and 1985 c 370 s 73 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 (~~The state board for community college education and the boards of~~
26 ~~trustees of the state's community colleges, The Evergreen State~~
27 ~~College, and the regional universities and boards of regents of the~~
28 ~~University of Washington and Washington State University shall))
29 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing~~

1 boards of the state universities, the regional universities, and The
2 Evergreen State College and the state board for community and technical
3 colleges may waive all or a portion of the ((payment of)) nonresident
4 tuition ((and)) fees ((by)) differential for residents of Idaho, upon
5 completion of and to the extent permitted by an agreement between the
6 higher education coordinating board and appropriate officials and
7 agencies in Idaho granting similar waivers for residents of the state
8 of Washington.

9 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
10 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
11 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
12 biennial state appropriations act."

13 "Sec. 28. RCW 28B.15.756 and 1987 c 446 s 2 are each amended to
14 read as follows:

15 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the governing
16 boards of ((trustees of The Evergreen State College and the regional
17 universities,)) the state universities, the regional universities, and
18 The Evergreen State College and the state board for community and
19 technical colleges ((education, and the boards of regents of the
20 University of Washington and Washington State University shall)) may
21 wave all or a portion of the ((payment of)) nonresident tuition
22 ((and)) fees ((by)) differential for residents of the Canadian province
23 of British Columbia, upon completion of and to the extent permitted by
24 an agreement between the higher education coordinating board and
25 appropriate officials and agencies in the Canadian province of British
26 Columbia providing for enrollment opportunities for residents of the
27 state of Washington without payment of tuition or fees in excess of
28 those charged to residents of British Columbia.

1 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
2 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
3 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
4 biennial state appropriations act."

5 "Sec. 29. RCW 28B.50.259 and 1991 c 315 s 17 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 (1) The state board for community and technical colleges
8 (~~education~~) shall administer a program designed to provide higher
9 education opportunities to dislocated forest products workers and their
10 unemployed spouses who are enrolled in a community or technical college
11 for ten or more credit hours per quarter. In administering the program,
12 the college board shall have the following powers and duties:

13 (a) With the assistance of an advisory committee, design a
14 procedure for selecting dislocated forest products workers to
15 participate in the program;

16 (b) Allocate funding to community and technical colleges attended
17 by participants;

18 (c) Monitor the program and report on participants' progress and
19 outcomes; and

20 (d) Report to the legislature by December 1, 1993, on the status of
21 the program.

22 (2) Unemployed spouses of eligible dislocated forest products
23 workers may participate in the program, but tuition and fees may be
24 waived under the program only for the worker or the spouse and not
25 both.

26 (3) Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the
27 governing boards (~~of trustees~~) of the community and technical
28 colleges (~~shall~~) may waive all or a portion of tuition and fees for

1 program participants, for a maximum of six quarters within a two-year
2 period.

3 (4) During any biennium, the number of full-time equivalent
4 students to be served in this program shall be determined by the
5 applicable omnibus appropriations act, and shall be in addition to the
6 community college enrollment level funded by the applicable omnibus
7 appropriations act.

8 (5) Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
9 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
10 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
11 biennial state appropriations act."

12 "Sec. 30. RCW 28B.70.050 and 1969 ex.s. c 223 s 28B.70.050 are
13 each amended to read as follows:

14 When said compact becomes operative the governing board of each
15 institution of higher (~~learning~~) education in this state, to the
16 extent necessary to conform with the terms of the contractual
17 agreement(~~(, may)~~), subject to the limitations of section 33 of this
18 act, may exempt from payment ((of)) all or a portion of the nonresident
19 tuition fees ((established by law for nonresident students))
20 differential, any student admitted to such institution under the terms
21 of a contractual agreement entered into with the commission in accord
22 with the provisions of Article VIII(a) of the compact.

23 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
24 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
25 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
26 biennial state appropriations act."

27 "Sec. 31. RCW 28B.80.580 and 1991 c 315 s 20 are each amended to
28 read as follows:

1 (1) The board shall contract with institutions of higher education
2 to provide upper division classes to serve additional placebound
3 students in the timber impact areas meeting the following criteria, as
4 determined by the employment security department: (a) A lumber and
5 wood products employment location quotient at or above the state
6 average; (b) a direct lumber and wood products job loss of one hundred
7 positions or more; and (c) an annual unemployment rate twenty percent
8 above the state average; and which are not served by an existing state-
9 funded upper division degree program. The number of full-time
10 equivalent students served in this manner shall be determined by the
11 applicable omnibus appropriations act. The board may direct that all
12 the full-time equivalent enrollments be served in one of the eligible
13 timber impact areas if it should determine that this would be the most
14 viable manner of establishing the program and using available
15 resources. The institutions shall utilize telecommunication
16 technology, if available, to carry out the purposes of this section.
17 Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, the institutions
18 providing the service ((shall)) may waive all or a portion of the
19 tuition, service((7)) and activities fees for dislocated forest
20 products workers or their unemployed spouses enrolled as one of the
21 full-time equivalent students allocated to the college under this
22 section.

23 (2) Unemployed spouses of eligible dislocated forest products
24 workers may participate in the program, but tuition and fees may be
25 waived under the program only for the worker or the spouse and not
26 both.

27 (3) Subject to the limitations of section 33 of this act, for any
28 eligible participant, all or a portion of tuition ((shall)) may be
29 waived for a maximum of four semesters or six quarters within a two-

1 year time period ((and)). The participant must be enrolled for a
2 minimum of ten credits per semester or quarter.

3 Before June 30, 1995, no individual waiver program under this
4 section may be reduced by more than twice the percentage reduction
5 required in operating fee foregone revenue from tuition waivers in the
6 biennial state appropriations act."

7 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 32. A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
8 RCW to read as follows:

9 Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, as used in this
10 chapter "nonresident tuition fees differential" means the difference
11 between resident tuition fees and nonresident tuition fees."

12 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 33. A new section is added to chapter 28B.15
13 RCW to read as follows:

14 (1) Except for revenue waived under programs listed in subsection
15 (3) of this section, and unless otherwise expressly provided in the
16 omnibus state appropriations act, the total amount of operating fee
17 revenue waived, exempted, or reduced by a state university, a regional
18 university, The Evergreen State College, or the community colleges as
19 a whole, shall not exceed the percentage of total net authorized
20 operating fees revenue set forth below. As used in this section, "net
21 authorized operating fees revenue" means the estimated gross operating
22 fees revenue as estimated under RCW 82.33.020, before granting any
23 waivers, minus obligations under RCW 28B.15.820. This limitation
24 applies to all tuition waiver programs established before or after the
25 effective date of this section.

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| 26 | (a) University of Washington | 21 percent |
| 27 | (b) Washington State University | 20 percent |
| 28 | (c) Eastern Washington University | 11 percent |

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

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

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

1 (x) RCW 28B.80.580.

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

5 (a) RCW 28B.15.522;

6 (b) RCW 28B.15.535;

7 (c) RCW 28B.15.540; and

8 (d) RCW 28B.15.558."

9 "Sec. 34. RCW 82.33.020 and 1990 c 229 s 2 are each amended to
10 read as follows:

11 (1) Four times each year the supervisor shall prepare, subject to
12 the approval of the economic and revenue forecast council under RCW
13 82.33.010:

14 (a) An official state economic and revenue forecast;

15 (b) An unofficial state economic and revenue forecast based on
16 optimistic economic and revenue projections; and

17 (c) An unofficial state economic and revenue forecast based on
18 pessimistic economic and revenue projections.

19 (2) The supervisor shall submit forecasts prepared under this
20 section, along with any unofficial forecasts provided under RCW
21 82.33.010, to the governor and the members of the committees on ways
22 and means and the chairs of the committees on transportation of the
23 senate and house of representatives and the chair of the legislative
24 transportation committee, including one copy to the staff of each of
25 the committees, on or before November 20th, February 20th in the even-
26 numbered years, March 20th in the odd-numbered years, June 20th, and
27 September 20th. All forecasts shall include both estimated receipts
28 and estimated revenues in conformance with generally accepted
29 accounting principles as provided by RCW 43.88.037.

1 (3) All agencies of state government shall provide to the
2 supervisor immediate access to all information relating to economic and
3 revenue forecasts. Revenue collection information shall be available
4 to the supervisor the first business day following the conclusion of
5 each collection period.

6 (4) The economic and revenue forecast supervisor and staff shall
7 co-locate and share information, data, and files with the tax research
8 section of the department of revenue but shall not duplicate the duties
9 and functions of one another.

10 (5) As part of its forecasts under subsection (1) of this section,
11 the supervisor shall provide estimated revenue from tuition fees as
12 defined in RCW 28B.15.020."

13 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 35. This act shall take effect July 1,
14 1992."

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

17 An account is established in the state treasury for each public
18 four-year institution of higher education and the community colleges as
19 a whole, known as the "(institution's name or "community colleges")
20 operating fees account." The account shall consist of all operating
21 fees, as defined in this chapter, collected by the institution, except
22 that two and one-half percent of moneys received as operating fees
23 shall be deposited into the institution long-term loan fund under RCW
24 28B.15.820. Beginning July 1, 1992, all operating fees revenue shall
25 be transferred to the state treasurer, consistent with RCW 28B.15.031,
26 to be credited to the appropriate higher education operating fees
27 account."

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2 By Senators McDonald and Saling

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4 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "waivers;" strike the
5 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 28B.10.016, 28B.10.265,
6 28B.15.067, 28B.15.070, 28B.15.202, 28B.15.225, 28B.15.380, 28B.15.402,
7 28B.15.502, 28B.15.520, 28B.15.522, 28B.15.527, 28B.15.535, 28B.15.540,
8 28B.15.543, 28B.15.545, 28B.15.556, 28B.15.558, 28B.15.615, 28B.15.620,
9 28B.15.628, 28B.15.725, 28B.15.730, 28B.15.740, 28B.15.750, 28B.15.756,
10 28B.50.259, 28B.70.050, 28B.80.580, and 82.33.020; reenacting and
11 amending RCW 28B.15.014 and 28B.15.100; adding a new section to chapter
12 28B.15 RCW; and providing an effective date."