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1 AN ACT Relating to community college allocations; and adding new
2 sections to chapter 28B.50 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 It is the intent of the legislature that state-funded full-time
7 equivalent students be allocated by the college board according to
8 demand as demonstrated by indicators that include but are not limited
9 to service levels and participation rates. It is the further intent of
10 the legislature that demand as demonstrated by service levels and
11 participation rates be heavily weighted by the college board in any
12 student allocation model.

1 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
2 to read as follows:

3 If no increase in the system-wide community college student full-
4 time equivalent enrollments is granted by the legislature for the 1991-
5 93 or succeeding biennia, the college board shall increase the
6 enrollment allocations of community colleges with service levels more
7 than twenty percent below the system-wide average service level by two
8 percent per biennium. The college board shall offset the increase with
9 a reduction in the enrollment allocations of community colleges with
10 the highest service levels. This requirement shall not be in effect if
11 the college board determines that there is good reason to believe that
12 a community college with a low service level cannot effectively use an
13 increase in its enrollment allocation.