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- 1 AN ACT Relating to higher education; adding a new section to
- 2 chapter 28B.50 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.35 RCW; adding
- 3 a new section to chapter 28B.40 RCW; adding a new section to chapter
- 4 28B.30 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28B.20 RCW; and creating a
- 5 new section.
- 6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 7 NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. By May 1, 1994, with the assistance of the
- 8 attorney general, student organizations, the state board for community
- 9 and technical colleges, and institutions of higher education, the
- 10 higher education coordinating board shall develop one or more model
- 11 student progression contracts. A student progression contract shall
- 12 permit a student who meets the terms of the contract to graduate with
- 13 a baccalaureate degree within four years of entering an institution of
- 14 higher education as defined by RCW 28B.10.016.
- 15 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
- 16 to read as follows:
- 17 Beginning with the fall 1994-95 academic term, each community
- 18 college shall enter into a student progression contract with any

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- 1 interested full-time student. The terms of the contract shall permit
- 2 the student to obtain an associate of arts degree within two years of
- 3 entering the institution if the student fulfills the terms of the
- 4 contract.
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.35 RCW 6 to read as follows:
- 7 (1) Beginning with the fall 1994-95 academic term, each regional
- 8 university shall enter into a student progression contract with any
- 9 interested full-time undergraduate student.
- 10 (2) The terms of the contract shall permit a freshman student to
- 11 obtain a baccalaureate degree within four years of entering the
- 12 institution of higher education if the student fulfills the
- 13 requirements of the contract.
- 14 (3) The terms of the contract shall permit a student with an
- 15 associate of arts degree to obtain a baccalaureate degree within two
- 16 years of entering the institution of higher education if the student
- 17 fulfills the terms of the contract.
- 18 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.40 RCW
- 19 to read as follows:
- 20 (1) Beginning with the fall 1994-95 academic term, The Evergreen
- 21 State College shall enter into a student progression contract with any
- 22 interested full-time undergraduate student.
- 23 (2) The terms of the contract shall permit a freshman student to
- 24 obtain a baccalaureate degree within four years of entering the
- 25 institution of higher education if the student fulfills the
- 26 requirements of the contract.
- 27 (3) The terms of the contract shall permit a student with an
- 28 associate of arts degree to obtain a baccalaureate degree within two
- 29 years of entering the institution of higher education if the student
- 30 fulfills the terms of the contract.
- 31 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.30 RCW
- 32 to read as follows:
- 33 (1) Beginning with the fall 1994-95 academic term, Washington State
- 34 University shall enter into a student progression contract with any
- 35 interested full-time undergraduate student.

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- 1 (2) The terms of the contract shall permit a freshman student to 2 obtain a baccalaureate degree within four years of entering the 3 institution of higher education if the student fulfills the 4 requirements of the contract.
- 5 (3) The terms of the contract shall permit a student with an 6 associate of arts degree to obtain a baccalaureate degree within two 7 years of entering the institution of higher education if the student 8 fulfills the terms of the contract.
- 9 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 6.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.20 RCW 10 to read as follows:
- (1) Beginning with the fall 1994-95 academic term, the University of Washington shall enter into a student progression contract with any interested full-time undergraduate student.
- (2) The terms of the contract shall permit a freshman student to obtain a baccalaureate degree within four years of entering the institution of higher education if the student fulfills the requirements of the contract.
- 18 (3) The terms of the contract shall permit a student with an 19 associate of arts degree to obtain a baccalaureate degree within two 20 years of entering the institution of higher education if the student 21 fulfills the terms of the contract.

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