CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1433

65th Legislature 2018 Regular Session

Passed by the House February 8, 2018 Yeas 91 Nays 7 Speaker of the House of Representatives Passed by the Senate March 1, 2018 Yeas 41 Nays 8 CERTIFICATE I, Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1433 as passed by House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

Chief Clerk

President of the Senate Approved

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By House Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Stambaugh, Orwall, Haler, Tarleton, Jinkins, Pollet, Stonier, Ryu, Hargrove, Santos, and Doglio)

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1 AN ACT Relating to decoupling services and activities fees from 2 tuition; and reenacting and amending RCW 28B.15.069.

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

4 Sec. 1. RCW 28B.15.069 and 2016 sp.s. c 33 s 2 and 2016 c 202 s 5 57 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

6 (1) The building fee for each academic year shall be a percentage 7 of total tuition fees. This percentage shall be calculated by the office of financial management and be based on the actual percentage 8 the building fee is of total tuition for each tuition category in the 9 10 1994-95 academic year, rounded up to the nearest half percent. After 11 October 9, 2015, the dollar value of the building fee shall not be reduced below the level in the 2014-15 academic year adjusted for 12 inflation. As used in this subsection, "inflation" has the meaning in 13 RCW 28B.15.066(2). 14

15 (2) The governing boards of each institution of higher education 16 shall charge to and collect from each student a services and 17 activities fee. A governing board may increase the existing fee 18 annually, consistent with budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 19 28B.15.045, by <u>amounts that shall not exceed four percent per year</u>, 20 judged reasonable and necessary by the services and activities fee 21 committee and the governing board. The governing boards of the

1 community and technical colleges may increase the existing student and activities fee annually, consistent with budgeting procedures set 2 forth in RCW 28B.15.045, by a percentage not to exceed the annual 3 percentage increase in student tuition fees for 4 resident undergraduate students: PROVIDED, That such percentage increase shall 5 б not apply to that portion of the services and activities fee 7 previously committed to the repayment of bonded debt. These rate adjustments may exceed the fiscal growth factor. ((For the 2015-2017 8 fiscal biennium, each governing board is authorized to increase the 9 10 services and activities fees by amounts judged reasonable and necessary by the services and activities fee committee and the 11 12 governing board consistent with the budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045.)) The services and activities fee committee provided 13 for in RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate a request to the governing board 14 for a fee increase. 15

16 (3) Tuition and services and activities fees consistent with 17 subsection (2) of this section shall be set by the state board for 18 community and technical colleges for community and technical college 19 summer school students unless the college charges fees in accordance 20 with RCW 28B.15.515.

(4) Subject to the limitations of RCW 28B.15.910, each governing board of a community or technical college may charge such fees for ungraded courses, noncredit courses, community services courses, and self-supporting courses as it, in its discretion, may determine, consistent with the rules of the state board for community and technical colleges.

(5) The governing board of a college offering an applied baccalaureate degree program under RCW 28B.50.810 or a bachelor of science degree program described in RCW 28B.50.825 may charge tuition fees for those courses above the associate degree level at rates consistent with rules adopted by the state board for community and technical colleges, not to exceed tuition fee rates at the regional universities.

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