

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2200

Page 1, line 2, after the semicolon insert "to provide an appropriation; to provide for a legislative management study;"

Page 5, after line 1, insert:

"1."

Page 5, line 5, replace "1." with "a."

Page 5, line 5, replace "\$72.70." with "\$67.00"

Page 5, line 7, replace "2." with "b."

Page 5, line 7, replace "\$110.80" with "\$97.00"

Page 5, line 9, replace "3." with "c."

Page 5, line 9, replace "\$117.60" with "\$101.00"

Page 5, line 9, replace "lake region" with "Lake Region"

Page 5, after line 10, insert:

"2. Beginning on July 1, 2013, and each year thereafter, the state board shall incorporate an inflationary factor equal to 0.01 multiplied by the base amount listed in subsection 1 for each respective institution."

Page 5, after line 18, insert:

"15-18.1-08. Tuition - Limitation.

1. The tuition rate in effect for the 2013-14 academic year may not exceed that in effect for the 2012-13 academic year by more than:
 - a. 3.0 percent in the case of Dakota college at Bottineau and Lake Region state college;
 - b. 4.0 percent in the case of Bismarck state college, Dickinson state university, Mayville state university, North Dakota state college of science, and Valley City state university;
 - c. 4.5 percent in the case of Minot state university, North Dakota state university, and the university of North Dakota;
 - d. 5.0 percent in the case of Williston state college; and
 - e. 5.0 percent in the case of the university of North Dakota school of medicine and health sciences.
2. The tuition rate in effect for the 2014-15 academic year may not exceed that in effect for the 2013-14 academic year by more than:

- a. 3.0 percent in the case of Dakota college at Bottineau and Lake Region state college;
- b. 4.0 percent in the case of Bismarck state college, Dickinson state university, Mayville state university, North Dakota state college of science, and Valley City state university;
- c. 4.5 percent in the case of Minot state university, North Dakota state university, and the university of North Dakota;
- d. 5.0 percent in the case of Williston state college; and
- e. 5.0 percent in the case of the university of North Dakota school of medicine and health sciences."

Page 5, after line 22, insert:

"SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING. During the 2013-14 interim, the legislative management shall appoint an interim committee to study higher education funding methods.

- 1. The committee shall review higher education funding methods and recommend for the North Dakota university system a new funding method that is not based on existing levels of funding.
- 2. The committee shall consult with representatives of the state board of higher education, the North Dakota university system office, higher education institutions, and other appropriate entities.
- 3. The committee shall consider:
 - a. The inclusion of tuition revenue as a component of the funding method;
 - b. The level of nonresident tuition rates, including whether the rates charged should provide for the entire cost of a student's education and whether state funding should be provided to offset the educational costs of nonresident students;
 - c. Options to address unique institution needs due to program facility requirements, local costs of goods and labor, and other extraordinary needs;
 - d. The appropriateness of including remedial education and dual-credit course completions in the funding method and which entity should be responsible for paying course costs;
 - e. Facilities required to meet an institution's mission, including the utilization of existing institution facilities and additional facilities needs as identified in the university system campus master plan and space utilization study;
 - f. Administrative costs at institutions, including the appropriateness of providing separate funding allocations to institutions for instructional and administrative costs;
 - g. Options to provide enhanced funding for programs that address state priorities and workforce needs;

- h. Options to provide performance funding distributions to campuses for meeting specified goals such as on-time graduation rates and job placements; and
 - i. Any other issues the committee deems appropriate.
4. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fourth legislative assembly.

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$150,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the legislative council for the purpose of defraying expenses associated with the study of higher education funding as provided for in section 3 of this Act, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015."

Renumber accordingly