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By House Committee on Higher Education (originally sponsored by Representatives Jacobsen, Wood, Wineberry, Dorn, R. Fisher, Peery and Orr)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to accountability and collaboration in higher
- 2 education and K-12 education; and adding new sections to chapter 28B.10
- 3 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW
- 6 to read as follows:
- 7 The legislature finds that some college students who have recently
- 8 graduated from high school must immediately enroll in one or more
- 9 precollege classes before they can proceed successfully through
- 10 college. The legislature also finds that these students should have
- 11 received basic skills in English, reading, spelling, grammar, and
- 12 mathematics before graduating from high school. It is the intent of
- 13 the legislature that colleges and universities provide information to
- 14 school districts about recent graduates who enroll in precollege

- 1 classes. It is also the intent of the legislature to encourage
- 2 institutions of higher education and the common schools to work
- 3 together to solve problems of common concern.
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW
- 5 to read as follows:
- 6 By May 1st of each year, each institution of higher education as
- 7 defined in RCW 28B.10.016 shall provide a report to the office of the
- 8 superintendent of public instruction. The report shall contain the
- 9 following information: (1) The numbers of college freshmen or
- 10 sophomores who graduated from a Washington high school within three
- 11 years of enrolling in a state-supported precollege level class in
- 12 mathematics, reading, grammar, spelling, writing, or English; (2) the
- 13 types of precollege classes in which each student is enrolled; and (3)
- 14 the Washington high school from which each student graduated. Each
- 15 institution of higher education shall also report information on
- 16 precollege class enrollment to the Washington school district from
- 17 which each student enrolled in a precollege class graduated.