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1 AN ACT Relating to higher education; and adding a new section to
2 chapter 28B.10 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.10 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 (1) The higher education coordinating board shall annually develop
7 information on the approximate amount of state support that students
8 receive. For students at state-supported colleges and universities,
9 the information shall include the approximate level of support received
10 by students in each tuition category. That information may include
11 consideration of the following: Expenditures included in the
12 educational cost formula, revenue forgiven from waived tuition and
13 fees, state-funded financial aid awarded to students at public
14 institutions, and all or a portion of appropriated amounts not
15 reflected in the educational cost formula for institutional programs
16 and services that may affect or enhance the educational experience of
17 students at a particular institution. For students attending a private
18 college, university, or proprietary school, the information shall

1 include the amount of state-funded financial aid awarded to students
2 attending the institution.

3 (2) Beginning July 30, 1993, the board shall annually provide
4 information appropriate to each institution's student body to each
5 state-supported four-year institution of higher education and to the
6 state board for community and technical colleges for distribution to
7 community and technical colleges.

8 (3) Beginning July 30, 1993, the board shall annually provide
9 information on the level of financial aid received by students at that
10 institution to each private university, college, or proprietary school,
11 that enrolls students receiving state-funded financial aid.

12 (4) At least annually, beginning with the 1993 fall academic term,
13 each institution of higher education described in subsection (2) or (3)
14 of this section shall provide to students at the institution
15 information on the approximate amount that the state is contributing to
16 the support of their education. In addition, each student must
17 acknowledge receipt of the information in a manner selected by the
18 institution. Information provided to students at each state-supported
19 college and university shall include the approximate amount of state
20 support received by students in each tuition category at that
21 institution. The amount of state support shall be based on the
22 information provided by the higher education coordinating board under
23 subsections (1) through (3) of this section. Institutions may use any
24 informational format that is appropriate for their students, including,
25 but not limited to, posters, handouts, and information in students'
26 registration packets.

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