
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 4437

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By Representatives Kenney and Carlson

Read first time . Referred to Committee on .

1 WHEREAS, Washington's community and technical colleges make a
2 difference in the lives of individuals and in the state's economic
3 health; and

4 WHEREAS, Washington's community and technical colleges serve a
5 diverse and increasing student population; and

6 WHEREAS, The funding levels have not kept pace with the changing
7 and expanding role and mission of the community and technical colleges;

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of
9 the state of Washington, the Senate concurring, That a joint select
10 committee on community and technical college funding be established to
11 review past legislative funding processes resulting in the current
12 funding levels and analyze community college funding levels in other
13 states; and

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the committee consist of eight
15 members, four members each selected by the President of the Senate and
16 the Co-Speakers of the House of Representatives and that the committee
17 be represented by two members of the House of Representatives Committee
18 on Higher Education, two members of the House of Representatives
19 Committee on Appropriations, two members of the Senate Committee on
20 Higher Education, and two members of the Senate Committee on Ways and
21 Means; and

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the committee collaborate with and
2 seek the expertise of the State Board for Community and Technical
3 Colleges, the Higher Education Coordinating Board, and the Office of
4 Financial Management; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the committee report its findings and
6 recommendations regarding funding levels to the legislature by December
7 31, 2000.

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