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By Representative Goodman

WITHDRAWN 02/17/2016

1 Beginning on page 64, line 15, strike all of section 57 and
2 insert the following:

3 "Sec. 57. RCW 28B.15.069 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 36 s 5 and 2015
4 3rd sp.s. c 4 s 945 are each reenacted to read as follows:

5 (1) The building fee for each academic year shall be a percentage
6 of total tuition fees. This percentage shall be calculated by the
7 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 1994-95 academic year, rounded up to the nearest half percent. After
10 October 9, 2015, the dollar value of the building fee shall not be
11 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 (2) The governing boards of each institution of higher education
15 shall charge to and collect from each student a services and
16 activities fee. A governing board may increase the existing fee
17 annually, consistent with budgeting procedures set forth in RCW
18 28B.15.045, by a percentage not to exceed the annual percentage
19 increase in student tuition fees for resident undergraduate students:
20 PROVIDED, That such percentage increase shall not apply to that
21 portion of the services and activities fee previously committed to
22 the repayment of bonded debt. These rate adjustments may exceed the
23 fiscal growth factor. For the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium, each
24 governing board is authorized to increase the services and activities
25 fees by amounts judged reasonable and necessary by the services and
26 activities fee committee and the governing board consistent with the
27 budgeting procedures set forth in RCW 28B.15.045. The services and
28 activities fee committee provided for in RCW 28B.15.045 may initiate
29 a request to the governing board for a fee increase.

30 (3) Tuition and services and activities fees consistent with
31 subsection (2) of this section shall be set by the state board for
32 community and technical colleges for community and technical college

1 summer school students unless the college charges fees in accordance
2 with RCW 28B.15.515.

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

9 (5) The governing board of a college offering an applied
10 baccalaureate degree program under RCW 28B.50.810 may charge tuition
11 fees for those courses above the associate degree level at rates
12 consistent with rules adopted by the state board for community and
13 technical colleges, not to exceed tuition fee rates at the regional
14 universities."

EFFECT: Adds omitted amendments from enacted 2015 legislation in
a section merging multiple amendments to the same RCW section.

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