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1 AN ACT Relating to creating a legislative page scholarship
2 program; reenacting and amending RCW 43.79A.040; adding new sections
3 to chapter 44.04 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 42.52 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 44.04
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 The secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house of
8 representatives may administer and conduct a legislative page
9 scholarship program to provide resources for Washington students who
10 participate in the page programs of the senate or house of
11 representatives. The scholarship program should provide assistance to
12 students, based on financial need, who qualify for a page program.
13 The program is called the Gina Grant Bull memorial legislative page
14 scholarship program.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 44.04
16 RCW to read as follows:

17 (1) The secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house
18 of representatives may solicit and accept gifts, grants, conveyances,
19 bequests, and devises of real or personal property, or both, in trust
20 or otherwise, and sell, lease, exchange, or expend these donations or

1 the proceeds, rents, profits, and income from the donations except as
2 limited by the donor's terms. Any legislative member or legislative
3 employee may solicit the same types of contributions for the
4 secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house of
5 representatives.

6 (2) Moneys received under this section may be used only for
7 establishing and operating the legislative page scholarship program
8 authorized in section 1 of this act.

9 (3) Moneys received under this section must be deposited in the
10 legislative page scholarship account established in section 3 of this
11 act.

12 (4) The secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house
13 of representatives must adopt joint rules to govern and protect the
14 receipt and expenditure of the proceeds.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 44.04
16 RCW to read as follows:

17 The legislative page scholarship account is created in the
18 custody of the state treasurer. All moneys received under section 1
19 of this act must be deposited in the account. Expenditures from the
20 account may be made only for the purposes of the legislative page
21 scholarship program in section 1 of this act. Only the secretary of
22 the senate or the chief clerk of the house of representatives or
23 their designee may authorize expenditures from the account. An
24 appropriation is not required for expenditures, but the account is
25 subject to allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW.

26 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 42.52
27 RCW to read as follows:

28 This chapter does not prohibit the secretary of the senate, the
29 chief clerk of the house of representatives, or their designee from
30 soliciting and accepting contributions to the legislative page
31 scholarship account created in section 2 of this act. Furthermore,
32 this chapter does not prohibit any legislative member or legislative
33 employee from soliciting gifts for the legislative page scholarship
34 account.

35 **Sec. 5.** RCW 43.79A.040 and 2016 c 203 s 2, 2016 c 173 s 10, 2016
36 c 69 s 21, and 2016 c 39 s 7 are each reenacted and amended to read
37 as follows:

1 (1) Money in the treasurer's trust fund may be deposited,
2 invested, and reinvested by the state treasurer in accordance with
3 RCW 43.84.080 in the same manner and to the same extent as if the
4 money were in the state treasury, and may be commingled with moneys
5 in the state treasury for cash management and cash balance purposes.

6 (2) All income received from investment of the treasurer's trust
7 fund must be set aside in an account in the treasury trust fund to be
8 known as the investment income account.

9 (3) The investment income account may be utilized for the payment
10 of purchased banking services on behalf of treasurer's trust funds
11 including, but not limited to, depository, safekeeping, and
12 disbursement functions for the state treasurer or affected state
13 agencies. The investment income account is subject in all respects to
14 chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required for payments to
15 financial institutions. Payments must occur prior to distribution of
16 earnings set forth in subsection (4) of this section.

17 (4)(a) Monthly, the state treasurer must distribute the earnings
18 credited to the investment income account to the state general fund
19 except under (b), (c), and (d) of this subsection.

20 (b) The following accounts and funds must receive their
21 proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or fund's
22 average daily balance for the period: The 24/7 sobriety account, the
23 Washington promise scholarship account, the legislative page
24 scholarship account, the Washington advanced college tuition payment
25 program account, the Washington college savings program account, the
26 accessible communities account, the Washington achieving a better
27 life experience program account, the community and technical college
28 innovation account, the agricultural local fund, the American Indian
29 scholarship endowment fund, the foster care scholarship endowment
30 fund, the foster care endowed scholarship trust fund, the contract
31 harvesting revolving account, the Washington state combined fund
32 drive account, the commemorative works account, the county enhanced
33 911 excise tax account, the toll collection account, the
34 developmental disabilities endowment trust fund, the energy account,
35 the fair fund, the family leave insurance account, the food animal
36 veterinarian conditional scholarship account, the fruit and vegetable
37 inspection account, the future teachers conditional scholarship
38 account, the game farm alternative account, the GET ready for math
39 and science scholarship account, the Washington global health
40 technologies and product development account, the grain inspection

1 revolving fund, the industrial insurance rainy day fund, the juvenile
2 accountability incentive account, the law enforcement officers' and
3 firefighters' plan 2 expense fund, the local tourism promotion
4 account, the multiagency permitting team account, the pilotage
5 account, the produce railcar pool account, the regional
6 transportation investment district account, the rural rehabilitation
7 account, the Washington sexual assault kit account, the stadium and
8 exhibition center account, the youth athletic facility account, the
9 self-insurance revolving fund, the children's trust fund, the
10 Washington horse racing commission Washington bred owners' bonus fund
11 and breeder awards account, the Washington horse racing commission
12 class C purse fund account, the individual development account
13 program account, the Washington horse racing commission operating
14 account, the life sciences discovery fund, the Washington state
15 heritage center account, the reduced cigarette ignition propensity
16 account, the center for childhood deafness and hearing loss account,
17 the school for the blind account, the Millersylvania park trust fund,
18 the public employees' and retirees' insurance reserve fund, and the
19 radiation perpetual maintenance fund.

20 (c) The following accounts and funds must receive eighty percent
21 of their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or
22 fund's average daily balance for the period: The advanced right-of-
23 way revolving fund, the advanced environmental mitigation revolving
24 account, the federal narcotics asset forfeitures account, the high
25 occupancy vehicle account, the local rail service assistance account,
26 and the miscellaneous transportation programs account.

27 (d) Any state agency that has independent authority over accounts
28 or funds not statutorily required to be held in the custody of the
29 state treasurer that deposits funds into a fund or account in the
30 custody of the state treasurer pursuant to an agreement with the
31 office of the state treasurer shall receive its proportionate share
32 of earnings based upon each account's or fund's average daily balance
33 for the period.

34 (5) In conformance with Article II, section 37 of the state
35 Constitution, no trust accounts or funds shall be allocated earnings
36 without the specific affirmative directive of this section.

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