

CHAPTER 446

[Substitute House Bill No. 1097]

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES—RECIPROCAL TUITION AND FEE PROGRAMS

AN ACT Relating to reciprocal tuition and fee programs; amending RCW 28B.15.754, 28B.15.756, and 28B.15.758; repealing section 6, chapter 166, Laws of 1983, section 78, chapter 370, Laws of 1985 (uncodified); providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Sec. 1. Section 3, chapter 166, Laws of 1983 as amended by section 75, chapter 370, Laws of 1985 and RCW 28B.15.754 are each amended to read as follows:

The higher education coordinating board may enter into an agreement with appropriate officials or agencies in the state of Idaho to implement RCW 28B.15.750 and 28B.15.752. By January 10 of each odd-numbered year, the board shall review the costs and benefits of any agreement entered into under RCW 28B.15.750 and shall transmit copies of their review to the governor and the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the legislature. ~~((In addition, the board shall make recommendations to the legislature on the continuation or termination of the authorization contained in this section not later than January, 1987.))~~

Sec. 2. Section 4, chapter 166, Laws of 1983 as amended by section 76, chapter 370, Laws of 1985 and RCW 28B.15.756 are each amended to read as follows:

The boards of trustees of The Evergreen State College and the regional universities, the state board for community college education, and the boards of regents of the University of Washington and Washington State University shall waive the payment of nonresident tuition and fees by residents of the Canadian province of British Columbia, upon completion of and to the extent permitted by an agreement between the higher education coordinating board and appropriate officials and agencies in the Canadian province of British Columbia providing for enrollment opportunities for residents of the state of Washington without payment of tuition or fees in excess of those charged to residents of British Columbia.

Sec. 3. Section 5, chapter 166, Laws of 1983 as amended by section 77, chapter 370, Laws of 1985 and RCW 28B.15.758 are each amended to read as follows:

The higher education coordinating board may enter into an agreement with appropriate officials or agencies in the Canadian province of British Columbia to implement RCW 28B.15.756. The agreement should provide for a balanced exchange of enrollment opportunities, without payment of excess tuition or fees, for residents of the state of Washington or the Canadian province of British Columbia. By January 10 of each odd-numbered year, the board shall review the costs and benefits of any agreement entered

into under RCW 28B.15.756 and shall transmit copies of their review to the governor and the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the legislature. ~~((In addition, the board shall make recommendations to the legislature on the continuation or termination of the authorization contained in this section not later than January, 1987.))~~

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. Section 6, chapter 166, Laws of 1983, section 78, chapter 370, Laws of 1985 (uncodified) is repealed.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect June 30, 1987.

Passed the House April 21, 1987.

Passed the Senate April 7, 1987.

Approved by the Governor May 18, 1987.

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CHAPTER 447

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 5219]

NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS—LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

AN ACT Relating to naturopathic physicians; amending RCW 18.06.050 and 18.100.140; reenacting and amending RCW 18.120.020 and 18.130.040; adding a new chapter to Title 18 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 43.131 RCW; repealing RCW 18.36.010, 18.36.020, 18.36.030, 18.36.040, 18.36.050, 18.36.060, 18.36.115, 18.36.120, 18.36.130, 18.36.136, 18.36.165, 18.36.170, 18.36.200, 18.36.210, 18.36.220, 18.36.230, 18.36.240, 18.36.245, 43.131.293, and 43.131.294; declaring an emergency; and providing for effective dates.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature finds that it is necessary to regulate the practice of naturopaths in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. It is the legislature's intent that only individuals who meet and maintain minimum standards of competence and conduct may provide service to the public.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. (1) No person may practice naturopathy or represent himself or herself as a naturopath without first applying for and receiving a license from the director to practice naturopathy.

(2) A person represents himself or herself as a naturopath when that person adopts or uses any title or any description of services that incorporates one or more of the following terms or designations: Naturopath or doctor of naturopathic medicine.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. Naturopathic medicine or naturopathy is the practice by naturopaths of the art and science of the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of disorders of the body by stimulation or support, or both, of the natural processes of the human body. A naturopath is responsible and accountable to the consumer for the quality of naturopathic care rendered.