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# HOUSE MOTION \_\_\_\_\_

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 204 be amended to read as follows:

- 1           Replace the effective date in SECTION 15 with "[EFFECTIVE
- 2           JULY 1, 2027]".
- 3           Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new
- 4           paragraph and insert:
- 5           "SECTION 1. IC 5-28-6-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.143-2019,
- 6           SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 7           JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. The corporation shall do the following:
- 8           (1) Create and regularly update a strategic economic development
- 9           plan that includes the following:
- 10           (A) Identification of specific economic regions within Indiana
- 11           and methods by which the corporation will implement more
- 12           regional collaboration between the corporation and the various
- 13           local economic development organizations within these
- 14           regions.
- 15           (B) Methods by which the corporation will implement more
- 16           collaboration between the corporation and the various state
- 17           economic development organizations within the states
- 18           contiguous to Indiana.
- 19           (2) Establish strategic benchmarks and performance measures.
- 20           (3) Monitor and report on Indiana's economic performance.
- 21           (4) Market Indiana to businesses worldwide.

- 1 (5) Assist Indiana businesses that want to grow.  
 2 (6) Solicit funding from the private sector for selected initiatives.  
 3 (7) Provide for the orderly economic development and growth of  
 4 Indiana.  
 5 (8) Establish and coordinate the operation of programs commonly  
 6 available to all citizens of Indiana to implement a strategic plan  
 7 for the state's economic development and enhance the general  
 8 welfare.  
 9 (9) Evaluate and analyze the state's economy to determine the  
 10 direction of future public and private actions, and report and make  
 11 recommendations to the general assembly in an electronic format  
 12 under IC 5-14-6 with respect to the state's economy. The report  
 13 prepared under this subdivision must include recommendations  
 14 for strategies and plans for collaboration by the corporation with:  
 15 (A) local economic development organizations within  
 16 geographic regions in Indiana; and  
 17 (B) the various state economic development organizations  
 18 within the states contiguous to Indiana.  
 19 ~~(10) Assemble and provide information to the commission for  
 20 higher education and the department of workforce development  
 21 concerning the economic benefits of residing and working in  
 22 Indiana as required under IC 21-18-15-4(b)."~~  
 23 Page 5, line 5, delete "any other factor under this subsection." and  
 24 insert **"any factor described in subdivisions (1) through (3)."**  
 25 Page 8, between lines 29 and 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 26 "SECTION 9. IC 21-18-9-11 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY  
 27 1, 2026]. See: 11. (a) ~~The commission shall do the following:~~  
 28 ~~(1) Annually determine for each state educational institution:~~  
 29 ~~(A) the percentage of students enrolled in the state educational~~  
 30 ~~institution who are charged tuition based on the resident~~  
 31 ~~tuition rate; and~~  
 32 ~~(B) the percentage of students enrolled in the state educational~~  
 33 ~~institution who are charged tuition based on the nonresident~~  
 34 ~~tuition rate.~~  
 35 ~~(2) Report the information determined for each state educational~~  
 36 ~~institution under subdivision (1) to the budget committee and the~~  
 37 ~~legislative council before December 1 of each year. The report to~~  
 38 ~~the legislative council must be in an electronic format under~~  
 39 ~~IC 5-14-6.~~  
 40 ~~(b) A state educational institution must submit to the commission~~  
 41 ~~any information needed by the commission to determine the~~  
 42 ~~percentages under subsection (a)."~~  
 43 Page 8, between lines 31 and 32, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 44 "SECTION 12. IC 21-18-14 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,  
 45 2026]. (Return and Complete Project).  
 46 SECTION 13. IC 21-18-15 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,

2026]. (Let Indiana Work for You Program).

SECTION 11. IC 21-18-22 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]:

**Chapter 22. Standardized Financial Aid Award Offer Template**

**Sec. 1. Not later than December 31, 2026, the commission shall, in collaboration with postsecondary educational institutions in Indiana, develop a standardized financial aid award offer template that features the following:**

- (1) Consistent information.**
- (2) A common format.**
- (3) Clear terms and definitions that allow students and families to easily understand and compare financial aid offers from multiple postsecondary educational institutions.**

**Sec. 2. Not later than the 2028-2029 academic year, a postsecondary educational institution in Indiana that accepts state financial aid shall adopt and use the standardized financial aid award offer template developed under section 1 of this chapter.**

**Sec. 3. Nothing in this chapter may be construed to prohibit a postsecondary educational institution described in section 2 of this chapter from providing information that is additional or supplementary to the information in the standardized financial aid award offer template in any format determined by the institution."**

Page 10, line 30, delete "millions" and insert "million".

Page 10, between lines 36 and 37, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 17. IC 21-40-6-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.138-2025, SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. (a) Not later than ~~November 1, 2025~~, and each November 1 thereafter, of each year, the commission for higher education shall prepare a report regarding **that includes the following:**

- (1) Student enrollment data for:**
    - ~~(A)~~ **(A)** each state educational institution; and
    - ~~(B)~~ **(B)** each state educational institution's college or program of:
      - ~~(A)~~ **(i)** engineering; and
      - ~~(B)~~ **(ii)** computer science;
- if the institution offers a college or program described in this subdivision.

**(2) Information regarding the following for each state educational institution:**

- (A) The percentage of students enrolled in the state educational institution who are charged tuition based on the resident tuition rate.**
- (B) The percentage of students enrolled in the state educational institution who are charged tuition based on the nonresident tuition rate.**

1 (b) The report described in subsection (a) must include the  
2 following **student enrollment data** information:

3 (1) The total number of students enrolled in the institution,  
4 college, or program, not including students enrolled in a dual  
5 credit offering or a dual enrollment course, disaggregated by the  
6 following:

7 (A) The number and percentage of enrolled students who:

8 (i) are Indiana residents; and

9 (ii) are not Indiana residents.

10 (B) The number and percentage of enrolled students who:

11 (i) are United States citizens; and

12 (ii) are not United States citizens.

13 (C) The number and percentage of enrolled students described  
14 under clause (B)(ii) disaggregated by the student's country of  
15 origin.

16 (2) The total number of students enrolled in a dual credit offering  
17 or a dual enrollment course from the institution, college, or  
18 program.

19 (c) The commission for higher education shall:

20 (1) submit the report required under subsection (a) to the:

21 (A) legislative council in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6;  
22 and

23 (B) **budget committee; and**

24 (2) publish the report on the commission's website.".

25 Page 11, after line 42, begin a new line block indented and insert:

26 "**(8) A state educational institution shall award course credit**  
27 **for a score described in IC 20-36-6-6(c) on a Cambridge**  
28 **International Advanced A or AS Level examination in which**  
29 **the Cambridge International examination corresponds to the**  
30 **state educational institution's course in the core transfer**  
31 **library.**

32 **(9) With respect to course credit awarded by a state**  
33 **educational institution for a score described in IC 20-36-6-6(c)**  
34 **on a Cambridge International Advanced A or AS Level**  
35 **examination that corresponds to the state educational**  
36 **institution's course on the core transfer library, a receiving**  
37 **state educational institution must transfer and apply course**  
38 **credit in alignment with the receiving state educational**  
39 **institution's corresponding course in the core transfer library**  
40 **or as elective credit if no corresponding course is offered in**  
41 **the core transfer library."**

42 Page 12, line 6, delete "2026." and insert "**2027**".

43 Page 12, line 25, delete "on religious grounds." and insert "**based on**  
44 **a sincerely held religious belief.**".

45 Page 12, between lines 25 and 26, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
46 "SECTION 21. IC 21-49-4-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.113-2024,

1 SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
2 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 3. Not later than September 1, 2024, and  
3 September 1 of each year thereafter, a state educational institution shall  
4 submit to the state budget committee a report with the following  
5 information for the preceding state fiscal year:  
6 ~~(1) The total number of state educational institution:~~  
7 ~~(A) full-time and tenured professors;~~  
8 ~~(B) adjunct instructors;~~  
9 ~~(C) other contingent faculty; and~~  
10 ~~(D) nonacademic support or administrative employees.~~  
11 ~~(2) (1) The total number of employees at the state educational~~  
12 ~~institution whose primary or secondary job duties or job titles~~  
13 ~~include diversity, equity, and inclusion.~~  
14 ~~(3) (2) The total number of state educational institution~~  
15 ~~adjudications or proceedings regarding violations of policies~~  
16 ~~regarding diversity, equity, and inclusion or harassment.~~  
17 ~~(4) (3) A list and description of what the state educational~~  
18 ~~institution did to ensure free speech rights of students.~~  
19 ~~(5) (4) A list and description of what the state educational~~  
20 ~~institution did to ensure intellectual freedom for professors.~~  
21 ~~(6) (5) A list and description of what the state educational~~  
22 ~~institution did to ensure intellectual and ideological diversity of~~  
23 ~~professors.~~  
24 ~~(7) (6) The institution's budget allocations for diversity, equity,~~  
25 ~~and inclusion initiatives."~~  
26 Page 12, delete line 31.  
27 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.  
(Reference is to ESB 204 as printed February 18, 2026.)

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Representative Behning