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EDUCATION

HOUSE FILE 56
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act limiting the number of semester hours at the resident
2 tuition rate available to an individual student.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 260C.14, subsection 2, Code 1995, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. Have authority to determine tuition rates for
4 instruction. Tuition for residents of Iowa shall not exceed
5 the lowest tuition rate per semester, or the equivalent,
6 charged by an institution of higher education under the state
7 board of regents for a full-time resident student. However,
8 except for students enrolled under chapter 261C, if a local
9 school district pays tuition for a resident pupil of high
10 school age, the limitation on tuition for residents of Iowa
11 shall not apply, the amount of tuition shall be determined by
12 the board of directors of the community college with the
13 consent of the local school board, and the pupil shall not be
14 included in the full-time equivalent enrollment of the
15 community college for the purpose of computing general aid to
16 the community college. Tuition for nonresidents of Iowa shall
17 not be less than the marginal cost of instruction of a student
18 attending the college. A lower tuition for nonresidents may
19 be permitted under a reciprocal tuition agreement between a
20 merged area and an educational institution in another state,
21 if the agreement is approved by the state board. The board
22 may designate that a portion of the tuition moneys collected
23 from students be used for student aid purposes. The board
24 shall limit an individual student who qualifies for resident
25 tuition rates to a maximum of one hundred sixty semester
26 hours, or its equivalent in quarter hours, at the resident
27 rate.

28 Sec. 2. Section 262.9, Code 1995, is amended by adding the
29 following new subsection:

30 NEW SUBSECTION. 30. Limit an individual student who
31 qualifies for resident tuition rates to a maximum of one
32 hundred sixty semester hours at the undergraduate level at the
33 resident rate.

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EXPLANATION

35 This bill limits each Iowa resident to a maximum of 160

1 semester hours, or its equivalent in quarter hours, at the
2 resident rate. The limitation applies to students of
3 community colleges and board of regents institutions.

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