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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to requirements for statements of account issued  
2 to students by each community college and institution of  
3 higher learning under the control of the state board of  
4 regents and providing an effective date.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 260C.14, Code 1999, is amended by  
2 adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 2A. Cause to be printed on all statements  
4 of account for payment of tuition and fees issued by the  
5 community college the portion of the average cost of an Iowa  
6 resident student's education at that community college that is  
7 paid by appropriations from the general fund of the state.  
8 The information, rounded to the nearest one-tenth of one  
9 percent and the nearest whole dollar, shall be included in the  
10 following statement:

11 "Tuition pays for approximately \_\_\_\_% of the average cost  
12 for a resident Iowa student at this community college. The  
13 State of Iowa pays approximately \$\_\_\_\_ of the average cost for  
14 a full-time state resident student at this community college."

15 Sec. 2. Section 262.9, Code 1999, is amended by adding the  
16 following new subsection:

17 NEW SUBSECTION. 30. Cause to be printed on all statements  
18 of account for payment of tuition and fees issued by each  
19 institution of higher learning under the control of the board  
20 the portion of the average cost of an Iowa resident student's  
21 education at the institution issuing the statement that is  
22 paid by appropriations from the general fund of the state.  
23 The information, rounded to the nearest one-tenth of one  
24 percent and the nearest whole dollar, shall be included in the  
25 following statement:

26 "Tuition pays for approximately \_\_\_\_% of the average cost  
27 for a resident Iowa student at this institution of higher  
28 learning. The State of Iowa pays approximately \$\_\_\_\_ of the  
29 average cost for a full-time state resident student at this  
30 institution of higher learning."

31 Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of  
32 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

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#### EXPLANATION

34 This bill requires the boards of directors of each  
35 community college and the state board of regents to cause each

1 statement of account for payment of tuition and fees issued by  
2 each state institution of higher learning to include a  
3 statement disclosing the approximate percentage of the issuing  
4 institution's average cost of education that is state-paid,  
5 and the approximate number of dollars paid by the state for  
6 the average resident student's tuition at each state  
7 institution.

8 The bill takes effect upon enactment.

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