



### Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Finance to the engrossed bill

1. Removes requirement for the Board of Regents, through LOUIS: The Louisiana Library Network, and the state's public postsecondary education institutions to develop and implement a plan to increase the development, acquisition, availability, and accessibility of affordable textbooks and other educational resources for postsecondary students.
2. Removes requirement that the plan include a list of courses prioritized for support to convert course materials to affordable educational resources (AER) and open educational resources (OER); faculty grants to develop, convert, or adopt AER or OER; a digital repository to serve as a publicly accessible database for AER and OER; and strategies to promote the production, access, and use of AER and OER.

### Senate Floor Amendments to reengrossed bill

1. Redefines "affordable educational resource".
2. Clarifies that postsecondary institutions may include other distinguishing features related to the cost of course materials in the course catalog.
3. Requires postsecondary institutions to include required textbooks instead of a textbook list in the course catalog.
4. Makes technical corrections.