

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Engrossed House Bill No. 77 by Representative Turner

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 6, after "amounts" and before "to create" delete the semicolon ";" and insert "at certain institutions;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 3 through 29 and delete pages 3 and 4 and insert the following:

"B. Any student who is eligible for an Opportunity, Performance, or Honors Award pursuant to this Chapter and who has enrolled:

(1)(a) In any public college or university in this state, except as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, shall be awarded by the state an amount determined by the administering agency to equal the tuition charged by the public college or university during the 2016-2017 academic year.

(b)(i) In a statewide university at which the award amount provided for in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph is less than fifty-five percent of the amount of tuition charged by the university, shall be awarded by the state an amount determined by the administering agency to equal sixty percent of the tuition charged by the university.

(ii) For purposes of this Subparagraph:

(aa) "Statewide university" means a university categorized as a statewide university in the role, scope, and mission designations included in the master plan for postsecondary education formulated by the Board of Regents pursuant to Article VIII, Section 5(D) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

(bb) "Tuition" means the annual resident tuition and fees charged by the institution as reported in the Board of Regents annual mandatory tuition and fees survey."