

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. _____

Offered by _____ of _____

Amend SS/SCS/Senate Bill No. 437, Page 7, Section 173.1500, Line 15

of said page, by striking the word "exception" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "exceptions"; and further amend said line by inserting immediately after the word "College" the following: "and Truman State University"; and further amend line 21 of said page, by inserting immediately after the word "income" the following: ", except for institutions categorized in the statewide liberal arts and sciences institution sector, for which peer states shall be selected as provided in subsection 4 of section 173.1505"; and

Further amend said bill and section, page 8, line 12 of said page, by striking the word "exception" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "exceptions"; and further amend said line by inserting immediately after the word "of" the following: "(1)"; and

Further amend line 14 by inserting at the end said line the following: "and

(2) Truman State University, which is designated in the statewide liberal arts and sciences institution sector;"; and

Further amend said bill, page 9, section 173.1505, line 17 of said page, by striking the following: "Truman State University,"; and further amend line 18 of said page, by

1 inserting after the semicolon ";" the following: "

2 (5) The statewide liberal arts and sciences institution
3 sector shall include Truman State University;"; and further amend
4 said subsection by renumbering the remaining subdivision
5 accordingly; and

6 Further amend said bill and section, page 10, line 1 of said
7 page, by inserting after all of said line the following:

8 "4. The peer comparison group for Truman State University
9 shall consist of institutions with similar missions, degree
10 programs, and a similar level of selectivity in admissions
11 requirements, chosen by the coordinating board for higher
12 education from the group of thirty states comprised of the
13 fifteen states next higher than Missouri and the fifteen states
14 next lower than Missouri, based on rank-ordering of all states
15 according to the Bureau of Economic Analysis based on the 2011
16 midyear population estimates of the census data for the per
17 capita personal income, or an equal number of states above and
18 below Missouri in order to obtain a minimum of ten institutions
19 in the statewide liberal arts and sciences institution sector
20 peer comparison group. The rank-ordering of all states according
21 to the Bureau of Economic Analysis using midyear population
22 estimates of the census data for the per capita personal income
23 shall be recalculated decennially based on the previous census.".
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