SECOND REGULAR SESSION CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 2003

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

4003L.05S

AN ACT

To appropriate money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the Department of Higher Education, the several divisions, programs, and institutions of higher education included therein to be expended only as provided in Article IV, Section 28 of the Constitution of Missouri, and to transfer money among certain funds for the period beginning July 1, 2014 and ending June 30, 2015; provided that no funds from these sections shall be expended for the purpose of costs associated with the offices of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, or Attorney General, and further provided that no funds shall be expended at public institutions of higher education that knowingly offer a tuition rate to an unlawfully present covered student pursuant to 173.1110, RSMo, that is less than the tuition rate charged to citizens or nationals of the United States whose residence is not in Missouri, and further provided that the Department of Higher Education shall employ no more than 14.88 full-time equivalent employees (FTE) from the General Revenue Fund.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

There is appropriated out of the State Treasury, to be expended only as provided in Article IV, Section 28 of the Constitution of Missouri, for the purpose of funding each department, division, agency, and program enumerated in each section for the item or items stated, and for no other purpose whatsoever chargeable to the fund designated for the period beginning July 1, 2014 and ending June 30, 2015 as follows:

Section 3.005. To the Department of Higher Education

- 2 For Higher Education Coordination and for grant and scholarship program
- 3 administration, provided that not more than five percent (5%)
- 4 flexibility is allowed between personal service and expense and
- 5 equipment