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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 172.100, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to state colleges and universities grievance procedures.

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

Section A. Section 172.100, RSMo, is repealed and two new sections

- 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 172.100 and 174.800, to read as
- 3 follows:
- 172.100. 1. The curators shall have power to make such bylaws or
- 2 ordinances, rules and regulations as they may judge most expedient for the
- 3 accomplishment of the trust reposed in them, and for the government of their
- 4 officers and employees, and to secure their accountability, and to delegate so
- 5 much of their authority as they may deem necessary to such officers and
- 6 employees or to committees appointed by the board.
- 7 2. Notwithstanding any provision of subsection 1 of this section,
- 8 any taxpayer of the state of Missouri may file a grievance to initiate
- 9 action pursuant to the University of Missouri system grievance
- 10 procedure.

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- 174.800. 1. As used in this section, "public institution" means a
- 2 postsecondary educational institution established by provisions of
- 3 Missouri constitution or statutory law or established by voters of the
- 4 district in which it is located, which is funded fifty percent or more of
- 5 its operating costs from public funds; which is governed by a body
- 6 appointed by the governor and approved by the senate, or selected by
- 7 the voters of the district in which it is located, and which operates on
- 8 a not-for-profit basis.
 - 2. Any taxpayer of the state of Missouri may file a grievance to

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10 initiate action pursuant to internal grievance procedures of any public

11 institution of the state.

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