

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2244

Page 1, line 11, after "entitled" insert "to"

Page 1, line 12, remove "institutions under the control of the state board of higher"

Page 1, line 13 replace "education" with "a public or private postsecondary education institution in the state"

Page 1, line 14, remove "at any institution under the control of the"

Page 1, line 15, replace "board" with "in an amount not exceeding the tuition charged for the credit at the institution in which the participant is enrolled, except the amount may not exceed the highest tuition for a graduate level credit charged at an institution of higher education under the control of the state board of higher education."

Page 1, line 15, remove "If the"

Page 1, remove lines 16 through 18

Page 1, line 19, remove "cost of the tuition and fees at an institution under the control of the board."

Page 2, line 8, replace "\$700,000" with "\$200,000"

ReNUMBER accordingly

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

This amendment allows participants in the dual-credit course incentive program to enroll in graduate courses at private postsecondary institutions. Reimbursement rates for participants at private institutions would be limited to the cost of enrolling in a graduate course at a public institution. The amendment also reduces the appropriation from the student loan trust fund for the program from \$700,000 to \$200,000.