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SENATE BILL NO. 403

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A BILL to amend and reenact § 23-9.9:01 of the Code of Virginia, relating to publication of certain higher education administrators' salaries.

Patron—Petersen

Referred to Committee on Education and Health

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 23-9.9:01 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 23-9.9:01. Reports of expenditures of state funds.

A. The governing body of each public institution of higher education shall provide the State Council of Higher Education annual data indicating the apportionment and amounts of expenditures that the relevant institution expends by category, including academic costs, administration, research, and public service, as defined by the Council. The Council shall compile and submit a report of such data annually to the Governor and the General Assembly.

B. As part of the reports required by subsection A, each governing body shall provide a list of any administrative personnel whose annual salary and other compensation is in excess of \$150,000, as well as the salary increase received by any such personnel from the previous year. The Council shall publish this list on its website.

C. The Director of the State Council of Higher Education shall, on or before October 1, 2009, and every two years thereafter, solicit from each public institution of higher education that has received restructured financial and operational authority a list of procurements that were competed with the private sector that appear on the Commonwealth Competition Council's commercial activities list and were, until that time, being performed by each public institution of higher education during the previous two years, and the outcome of that competition. The Director shall make the lists available to the public on the State Council of Higher Education's website.