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HOUSE BILL NO. 2521

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A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Chapter 1 of Title 23 a section numbered 23-7.2:1, relating to Virginians' access to higher education.

Patrons—O'Brien, Albo, Hargrove and McDonnell; Senator: Barry

Referred to Committee on Education

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Chapter 1 of Title 23 a section numbered 23-7.2:1 as follows:

§ 23-7.2:1. Virginians' access to higher education.

On and after July 1, 1997, the governing body of a four-year public institution of higher education shall maintain a ratio of in-state and out-of-state student population that is not less than sixty-seven percent in-state students. Such institutions shall admit not less than five percent of undergraduate students from the community colleges and other two-year institutions as transfer students to the institutions. However, the provisions of this section shall not apply to Virginia Military Institute, Norfolk State University, and Virginia State University. Prior to July 1, 1997, no institution shall reduce the percentage of in-state and out-of-state students or the number of transfer students to undergraduate programs at four-year institutions.

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