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**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Re-Reengrossed House Bill  
No. 77 by Representative Turner

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**1    AMENDMENT NO. 1****2    On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 17:5002(A)," insert "B(1),"****3    AMENDMENT NO. 2****4    On page 1, line 17, after "R.S. 17:5002(A)," insert "B(1),"****5    AMENDMENT NO. 3****6    On page 2, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:****7                    "B. Any student who is eligible for an Opportunity, Performance, or Honors**  
**8                    Award pursuant to this Chapter and who has enrolled:****9                    (1)(a) In any public college or university in this state, except as provided in**  
**10                   Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph, shall be awarded by the state an amount**  
**11                   determined by the administering agency to equal the tuition charged by the public**  
**12                   college or university during the 2016-2017 academic year.****13                   (b)(i) In any statewide university at which the award amount provided for in**  
**14                   Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph is less than fifty-five percent of the amount of**  
**15                   tuition charged by the university, shall be awarded by the state an amount determined**  
**16                   by the administering agency to equal sixty percent of the tuition charged by the**  
**17                   university.****18                   (ii) For purposes of this Subparagraph:****19                   (aa) "Statewide university" means a university categorized as a statewide**  
**20                   university in the role, scope, and mission designations included in the master plan**  
**21                   for postsecondary education formulated by the Board of Regents pursuant to Article**  
**22                   VIII, Section 5(D) of the Constitution of Louisiana.****23                   (bb) "Tuition" means the annual resident tuition and fees charged by the**  
**24                   institution as reported in the Board of Regents annual mandatory tuition and fees**  
**25                   survey.****26    AMENDMENT NO. 4****27    On page 5, at the end of line 6, delete "either in Louisiana or"****28    AMENDMENT NO. 5****29    On page 7, at the end of line 28, delete "or R.S. 17:5029(B)(3), as applicable"**