

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By \_\_\_\_\_

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1613, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by  
2 deleting all of said line and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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4 "education."; and

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6 Further amend said bill, Page 3, Section 173.750, Line 33, by inserting after all of said line and  
7 section the following:

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9 "173.1410. 1. Prior to September 1, 2017, each public institution of higher education  
10 within the state shall adopt a policy on student favoritism. The policy, which shall establish a  
11 procedure for addressing allegations of favoritism towards any given student, shall include, but not  
12 be limited to, the following:

13 (1) A statement of the institution's commitment to a nondiscriminatory educational  
14 environment;

15 (2) A statement prohibiting unfair advantage to any student including, but not limited to,  
16 unfair preferential treatment in grading, class selection, class assignments, class attendance, or any  
17 kind of grade inflation or course work requirement modification aimed solely at qualifying a student  
18 for participation in an extracurricular activity or sport;

19 (3) Specific provisions discouraging or prohibiting relationships or environments that  
20 encourage favoritism;

21 (4) A method for reporting an allegation of favoritism that allows allegations to be brought  
22 by any individual or any group; and

23 (5) A method for resolving allegations of favoritism including determinations as to  
24 appropriate consequences for confirmed acts of favoritism.

25 2. Upon implementation of a policy required under subsection 1 of this section, an  
26 institution shall uniformly and consistently apply such policy, make it easily accessible, and train  
27 campus leaders on the policy.

28 3. The department of higher education may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations  
29 for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section  
30 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it  
31 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section  
32 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the  
33 general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and  
34 annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any  
35 rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void."; and  
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- 1 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 2 accordingly.
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