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**A B I L L**

To amend sections 3333.38 and 3345.32 and to enact 1  
sections 3333.46 and 3333.47 of the Revised Code 2  
to establish the Career Training Workforce 3  
Development Grant Program and to allocate a 4  
portion of casino license fees to finance the 5  
program. 6

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That sections 3333.38 and 3345.32 be amended and 7  
sections 3333.46 and 3333.47 of the Revised Code be enacted to 8  
read as follows: 9

**Sec. 3333.38.** (A) As used in this section: 10

(1) "Institution of higher education" includes all of the 11  
following: 12

(a) A state institution of higher education, as defined in 13  
section 3345.011 of the Revised Code; 14

(b) A nonprofit institution issued a certificate of 15  
authorization under Chapter 1713. of the Revised Code; 16

(c) A private institution exempt from regulation under 17

Chapter 3332. of the Revised Code, as prescribed in section 18  
3333.046 of the Revised Code; 19

(d) An institution of higher education with a certificate of 20  
registration from the state board of career colleges and schools 21  
under Chapter 3332. of the Revised Code. 22

(2) "Student financial assistance supported by state funds" 23  
includes assistance granted under sections 3315.33, 3333.12, 24  
3333.122, 3333.21, 3333.26, 3333.28, 3333.372, 3333.391, 3333.46, 25  
5910.03, 5910.032, and 5919.34 of the Revised Code, financed by an 26  
award under the choose Ohio first scholarship program established 27  
under section 3333.61 of the Revised Code, or financed by an award 28  
under the Ohio co-op/internship program established under section 29  
3333.72 of the Revised Code, and any other post-secondary student 30  
financial assistance supported by state funds. 31

(B) An individual who is convicted of, pleads guilty to, or 32  
is adjudicated a delinquent child for one of the following 33  
violations shall be ineligible to receive any student financial 34  
assistance supported by state funds at an institution of higher 35  
education for two calendar years from the time the individual 36  
applies for assistance of that nature: 37

(1) A violation of section 2917.02 or 2917.03 of the Revised 38  
Code; 39

(2) A violation of section 2917.04 of the Revised Code that 40  
is a misdemeanor of the fourth degree; 41

(3) A violation of section 2917.13 of the Revised Code that 42  
is a misdemeanor of the fourth or first degree and occurs within 43  
the proximate area where four or more others are acting in a 44  
course of conduct in violation of section 2917.11 of the Revised 45  
Code. 46

(C) If an individual is convicted of, pleads guilty to, or is 47  
adjudicated a delinquent child for committing a violation of 48

section 2917.02 or 2917.03 of the Revised Code, and if the 49  
individual is enrolled in a state-supported institution of higher 50  
education, the institution in which the individual is enrolled 51  
shall immediately dismiss the individual. No state-supported 52  
institution of higher education shall admit an individual of that 53  
nature for one academic year after the individual applies for 54  
admission to a state-supported institution of higher education. 55  
This division does not limit or affect the ability of a 56  
state-supported institution of higher education to suspend or 57  
otherwise discipline its students. 58

Sec. 3333.46. (A) As used in this section, "eligible student" 59  
means a student who meets both of the following conditions: 60

(1) The student has an expected family contribution, as 62  
defined by the chancellor of the Ohio board of regents under 63  
section 3333.122 of the Revised Code, of two thousand one hundred 64  
ninety dollars or less. 65

(2) The student is enrolled, in a bachelor's or associate's 66  
degree program or course of study in the fields of business 67  
administration or management, finance, information technology or 68  
application, health care, or hospitality, at either: 69

(a) A private institution that holds a certificate of 70  
registration from the state board of career colleges and schools 71  
under Chapter 3332. of the Revised Code; 72

(b) A private institution exempt from regulation under 73  
Chapter 3332. of the Revised Code as prescribed in section 74  
3333.046 of the Revised Code. 75

(B) The career training workforce development grant program 76  
is hereby established. The director of development shall 77  
administer the program and shall award grants, in amounts 78

determined by the director, to eligible students using moneys from 79  
the career training workforce development grant fund established 80  
in section 3333.47 of the Revised Code. 81

(C) The director shall prescribe, by rule adopted in 82  
accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code, procedures 83  
necessary to carry out this section, including, but not limited 84  
to, the following: 85

(1) Application procedures for a grant; 86

(2) Conditions and terms under which an eligible student may 87  
receive a grant; 88

(3) Limitations on a grant award, including a maximum period 89  
of time for which an eligible student may receive a grant; 90

(4) Calculations of the amount of a grant awarded to an 91  
eligible student; 92

(5) Disbursement of grants to eligible students. 93

**Sec. 3333.47.** The career training workforce development grant 94  
fund is hereby established in the state treasury. The fund shall 95  
consist of twenty per cent of the proceeds from the upfront 96  
license fees paid for the casino facilities authorized under 97  
division (C) of Section 6 of Article XV, Ohio Constitution. The 98  
fund shall be used by the director of development to award grants 99  
under section 3333.46 of the Revised Code. 100

**Sec. 3345.32.** (A) As used in this section: 101

(1) "State university or college" means the institutions 102  
described in section 3345.27 of the Revised Code and the 103  
northeastern Ohio universities college of medicine. 104

(2) "Resident" has the meaning specified by rule of the 105  
chancellor of the Ohio board of regents. 106

(3) "Statement of selective service status" means a statement certifying one of the following:	107 108
(a) That the individual filing the statement has registered with the selective service system in accordance with the "Military Selective Service Act," 62 Stat. 604, 50 U.S.C. App. 453, as amended;	109 110 111 112
(b) That the individual filing the statement is not required to register with the selective service for one of the following reasons:	113 114 115
(i) The individual is under eighteen or over twenty-six years of age.	116 117
(ii) The individual is on active duty with the armed forces of the United States other than for training in a reserve or national guard unit.	118 119 120
(iii) The individual is a nonimmigrant alien lawfully in the United States in accordance with section 101 (a)(15) of the "Immigration and Nationality Act," 8 U.S.C. 1101, as amended.	121 122 123
(iv) The individual is not a citizen of the United States and is a permanent resident of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands or the Northern Mariana Islands.	124 125 126
(4) "Institution of higher education" means any eligible institution approved by the United States department of education pursuant to the "Higher Education Act of 1965," 79 Stat. 1219, as amended, or any institution whose students are eligible for financial assistance under any of the programs described by division (E) of this section.	127 128 129 130 131 132
(B) The chancellor shall, by rule, specify the form of statements of selective service status to be filed in compliance with divisions (C) to <del>(F)</del> (E) of this section. Each statement of selective service status shall contain a section wherein a male	133 134 135 136

student born after December 31, 1959, certifies that the student 137  
has registered with the selective service system in accordance 138  
with the "Military Selective Service Act," 62 Stat. 604, 50 U.S.C. 139  
App. 453, as amended. For those students not required to register 140  
with the selective service, as specified in divisions (A)(2)(b)(i) 141  
to (iv) of this section, a section shall be provided on the 142  
statement of selective service status for the certification of 143  
nonregistration and for an explanation of the reason for the 144  
exemption. The chancellor may require that such statements be 145  
accompanied by documentation specified by rule of the chancellor. 146

(C) A state university or college that enrolls in any course, 147  
class, or program a male student born after December 31, 1959, who 148  
has not filed a statement of selective service status with the 149  
university or college shall, regardless of the student's 150  
residency, charge the student any tuition surcharge charged 151  
students who are not residents of this state. 152

(D) No male born after December 31, 1959, shall be eligible 153  
to receive any loan, grant, scholarship, or other financial 154  
assistance for educational expenses granted under section 3315.33, 155  
3333.12, 3333.122, 3333.21, 3333.22, 3333.26, 3333.391, 3333.46, 156  
5910.03, 5910.032, or 5919.34 of the Revised Code, financed by an 157  
award under the choose Ohio first scholarship program established 158  
under section 3333.61 of the Revised Code, or financed by an award 159  
under the Ohio co-op/internship program established under section 160  
3333.72 of the Revised Code, unless that person has filed a 161  
statement of selective service status with that person's 162  
institution of higher education. 163

(E) If an institution of higher education receives a 164  
statement from an individual certifying that the individual has 165  
registered with the selective service system in accordance with 166  
the "Military Selective Service Act," 62 Stat. 604, 50 U.S.C. App. 167  
453, as amended or that the individual is exempt from registration 168

for a reason other than that the individual is under eighteen 169  
years of age, the institution shall not require the individual to 170  
file any further statements. If it receives a statement certifying 171  
that the individual is not required to register because the 172  
individual is under eighteen years of age, the institution shall 173  
require the individual to file a new statement of selective 174  
service status each time the individual seeks to enroll for a new 175  
academic term or makes application for a new loan or loan 176  
guarantee or for any form of financial assistance for educational 177  
expenses, until it receives a statement certifying that the 178  
individual has registered with the selective service system or is 179  
exempt from registration for a reason other than that the 180  
individual is under eighteen years of age. 181

**Section 2.** That existing sections 3333.38 and 3345.32 of the 182  
Revised Code are hereby repealed. 183