

State of Arizona
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SENATE BILL 1280

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 15-1646, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO UNIVERSITIES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 15-1646, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 15-1646. Board of regents and university scholarships:
5 notification requirements

6 The ~~state-public~~ universities under the jurisdiction of the Arizona
7 board of regents shall establish policies ~~which assure~~ THAT ENSURE fair and
8 equitable access by Arizona students from public, private, charter and home
9 schools to scholarships, including tuition waivers, ~~which~~ THAT are issued
10 solely on the basis of academic merit and for which the universities
11 establish and administer fair and equitable selection criteria. The
12 universities under the jurisdiction of the Arizona board of regents shall
13 ~~report annually to the board information including the number of such~~
14 ~~scholarships issued on the basis of academic merit to students from public,~~
15 ~~private, charter and home schools:~~

16 1. ANNUALLY REPORT TO THE BOARD AND PUBLISH AND DISCLOSE TO THE EXTENT
17 PERMITTED BY STATE AND FEDERAL LAW, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATED TO EACH
18 MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED TO STUDENTS FROM PUBLIC, PRIVATE, CHARTER AND
19 HOME SCHOOLS BY EACH UNIVERSITY FOR THE PRIOR ACADEMIC YEAR:

20 (a) THE TOTAL NUMBER AND DOLLAR AMOUNT OF AWARDS AND TOTAL NUMBER OF
21 APPLICANTS.

22 (b) THE TOTAL NUMBER AND DOLLAR AMOUNT OF AWARDS AND TOTAL NUMBER OF
23 APPLICANTS BY TYPE OF STUDENT.

24 (c) THE SPECIFIC CRITERIA USED TO AWARD EACH SCHOLARSHIP, INCLUDING
25 AVERAGE AND RANGE OF SAT AND ACT SCORES.

26 (d) THE NUMBER OF NEWLY AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS AND THE NUMBER OF RENEWED
27 SCHOLARSHIPS.

28 2. NOTIFY STUDENTS IN THIS STATE OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS IN A TIMELY
29 MANNER WITHOUT REGARD TO WHETHER THE STUDENTS ARE FROM PUBLIC, PRIVATE,
30 CHARTER OR HOME SCHOOLS.