

STATE OF ARIZONA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

KATIE HOBBS GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE OFFICE

May 12, 2025

The Honorable Warren Petersen President of the Senate Arizona State Senate 1700 W. Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Senate Bill 1020: disruption; educational institution; concealed weapon

President Petersen.

Today, I vetoed Senate Bill 1020. Ensuring the safety of our students is a responsibility that belongs to all of us. Our community colleges and universities are places where our students should feel welcome and safe.

This bill could lead to increased risk on campus and other unintended consequences.

Sincerely,

Katie Hobbs Governor

State of Arizona

cc:

The Honorable Steve Montenegro The Honorable Wendy Rogers The Honorable Adrian Fontes