



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 409

February Session, 2008

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**AN ACT CONCERNING COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL COLLEGE
TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2008*) The Department of Higher
2 Education shall develop and administer a pilot program to provide
3 scholarships to students transferring from a regional community-
4 technical college to a state university in the Connecticut State
5 University system or to The University of Connecticut. The
6 department shall provide scholarships under the program for the fiscal
7 years ending June 30, 2009, and June 30, 2010. Such program shall be
8 designed to permit students at regional community-technical colleges
9 to more easily (1) graduate with a bachelor's degree from a public
10 institution of higher education in this state, (2) take advantage of any
11 guaranteed admissions opportunities provided by the Connecticut
12 State University system or The University of Connecticut, and (3) enter
13 the state's workforce. Scholarship amounts shall be the difference
14 between the tuition the student would be required to pay to continue
15 to attend a regional community-technical college and the tuition
16 charged by a state university in the Connecticut State University
17 system, if the student will attend such a university, or The University
18 of Connecticut, if the student will attend such university.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	New section
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