



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5500

January Session, 2013



AN ACT REQUIRING INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH UNIFORM FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2014*) Each institution of higher
2 education, as defined in section 10a-55 of the general statutes, shall
3 provide uniform financial aid information to every prospective student
4 who has been accepted for admission to such institution. Each
5 institution shall provide such information prior to such institution's
6 enrollment deadline for purposes of providing each student with
7 sufficient time to make an informed decision about enrollment. Each
8 institution shall use the financial aid shopping sheet developed by the
9 Consumer Financial Protection Bureau and the United States
10 Department of Education pursuant to the Higher Education
11 Opportunity Act, P.L. 110-315, to provide such information.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2014</i>	New section

HED Joint Favorable Subst.

APP Joint Favorable

