



General Assembly

January Session, 2025

Raised Bill No. 1112

LCO No. 3601



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:
(HED)

AN ACT PROHIBITING SCHOLARSHIP DISPLACEMENT.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2025*) No institution of higher
2 education in the state may reduce the amount of financial aid awarded
3 to any student as a result of such student receiving a scholarship,
4 whether from a private or public source, provided an institution of
5 higher education may reduce the amount of financial aid if (1) a
6 student's total financial aid from all sources meets or exceeds such
7 student's cost of attendance, as defined in 20 USC 1087*ll*, as amended
8 from time to time, or (2) such reduction is necessary to bring the total
9 financial aid awarded to a student athlete, as defined in section 10a-56
10 of the general statutes, in compliance with the individual or team
11 financial aid restrictions of an athletic association or conference,
12 including, but not limited to, the NCAA, as defined in section 10a-55k
13 of the general statutes.

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

Section 1	July 1, 2025	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit an institution of higher education from reducing the amount of financial aid awarded to a student as a result of such student receiving a scholarship.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]