

SENATE No. 2168

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Twenty

SENATE, March 19, 2014.

The committee on Higher Education, to whom was referred the petitions (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 276) of Bruce E. Tarr for legislation to authorize Performance-Based Education Funding; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 573) of Gale D. Candaras and James B. Eldridge for legislation relative to a law student repayment assistance program.; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 574) of Gale D. Candaras, John W. Scibak, Stephen L. DiNatale, Ruth B. Balser and other members of the General Court for legislation to promote higher education among employees of human services provider organizations.; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 576) of Jack Wilson for legislation relative to college fees; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 577) of Sonia Chang-Diaz, Sal N. DiDomenico, William N. Brownsberger, James B. Eldridge and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to equal access to higher education and generating revenue for the Commonwealth; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 578) of Eileen M. Donoghue and James Arciero for legislation relative to fees at community colleges and state universities; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 580) of Jessie Wright for legislation to provide full student representation on the Univeristy of Massachusetts Board of Trustees.; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 581) of Patricia D. Jehlen for legislation relative to the rights of faculty members at the University of Massachusetts; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 582) of Michael R. Knapik, Peter V. Kocot, Sal N. DiDomenico, Marjorie C. Decker and others for legislation to provide coverage of educational expenses to deceased veterans; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 583) of Thomas M. McGee and Sal N. DiDomenico for legislation to ensure equal access to college course materials for visually impaired students; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 584) of Michael O. Moore, Michael R. Knapik, Cory Atkins, Karen E. Spilka and others for legislation relative to nursing school articulation between degree granting programs of state and community colleges of the Commonwealth; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 585) of Michael O. Moore, Tom Sannicandro, Jennifer L. Flanagan, Michael R. Knapik and other members of the General Court for legislation to establish a commission on the funding needs for quality public higher education; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 586) of Stanley C. Rosenberg, Sean Garballey, Peter V. Kocot and Daniel A. Wolf for legislation to support access and excellence in public higher education; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 587) of Karen E. Spilka, John W. Scibak, Stephen L. DiNatale, Alan Silvia and other members of the

General Court for legislation to promote higher education among employees of human services provider organizations; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 588) of Bruce E. Tarr for legislation to establish the Finish Line Scholarship program; (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 589) of Bruce E. Tarr, Leonard Mirra, Bradley H. Jones, Jr. and Robert L. Hedlund for legislation relative to oversight on eligibility for tuition and fee waivers; and (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 590) of James E. Timilty for legislation to establish a Master of Library Science assistance program, report the accompanying Order (Senate, No. 2168).

For the committee,
Michael O. Moore

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Senate, June 05, 2014.

1 *Ordered,* That the committee on Higher Education be authorized and directed to make an
2 investigation and study of certain current Senate documents numbered 276, 573, 574, 576, 577,
3 578, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, and 590 relative to higher education.