

**Senate Bill No. 41**

(By Senator Tucker)

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[Introduced January 8, 2014; referred to the Committee on  
Education; and then to the Committee on Finance.]

**FISCAL  
NOTE**

A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by  
adding thereto a new section, designated §18B-10-3, relating  
to fees and other moneys collected at state institutions of  
higher education; and providing that the children of graduates  
of West Virginia institutions qualify for resident tuition  
rates.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended  
by adding thereto a new section, designated §18B-10-3, to read as  
follows:

**ARTICLE 10. FEES AND OTHER MONEY COLLECTED AT STATE INSTITUTIONS  
OF HIGHER EDUCATION.**

**§18B-10-3. Resident tuition rates for children of West Virginia**

1                   **institution graduates.**

2           (a) The term "resident" or "residency", or any other term or  
3 expression used to designate a West Virginia resident student,  
4 includes nonresident children of graduates of any West Virginia  
5 institution of higher education when used to determine the rate of  
6 tuition to be charged students attending community colleges and  
7 state-related and state-owned institutions of higher education.

8           (b) A nonresident child of a West Virginia institution  
9 graduate who qualifies as a resident, as the term is defined in  
10 subsection (a) of this section, on the first day of the semester or  
11 term of the college or institution, shall be charged resident  
12 tuition rates.

13           (c) This section applies at the beginning of the semester or  
14 term immediately following the effective date of this section.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to provide resident tuition rates to nonresident children of West Virginia institution graduates.

§18B-10-3 is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.