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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 692

AMENDMENT NO. A2
(to be filled in by
Principal Clerk)

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Amends Title [YES]
Third Edition

Date _____, 2023

Senator Chaudhuri

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, lines 7-9, by rewriting the lines to read:
2 "PRIOR APPROVAL BY THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES, TO MAKE
3 CHANGES TO THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND LOCAL
4 BOARDS OF TRUSTEES, AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR CAMPUS SAFETY.";

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6 on page 3, line 43, through page 6, line 5, by rewriting those lines to read:

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8 "SECTION 4. G.S. 115D-2.2 reads as rewritten:

9 "**§ 115D-2.2. State Board of Community Colleges.**

- 10 (a) The State Board of Community Colleges is established.
- 11 (b) The State Board of Community Colleges shall consist of 22-19 members, as follows:
 - 12 (1) ~~The Lieutenant Governor or the Lieutenant Governor's designee shall be a~~
13 ~~member ex officio.~~
 - 14 (2) ~~The Treasurer of North Carolina or the Treasurer's designee shall be a member~~
15 ~~ex officio.~~
 - 16 (3) ~~The Commissioner of Labor or the Commissioner's designee shall be a~~
17 ~~member ex officio.~~
 - 18 (4) The Governor shall appoint to the State Board four members from the State at
19 large and one member from each of the six Trustee Association Regions
20 defined in G.S. 115D-62. Each appointment by the Governor shall be for a
21 term of four years and until a successor is appointed and qualifies. Any
22 vacancy occurring among the Governor's appointees before the expiration of
23 term shall be filled by appointment of the Governor. The member appointed
24 to fill a vacancy shall meet the same residential qualification, if any, as the
25 vacating member and shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term of
26 that member.
 - 27 (5) The General Assembly shall elect eight members of the State Board from the
28 State at large to a term of four years and until a successor is elected and
29 qualifies. The Senate shall elect four members and the House of
30 Representatives shall elect four members in accordance with subsection (c) of
31 this section. Members elected by either chamber of the General Assembly.



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1 shall to the degree practicable, be proportional to the party representation of
2 the respective chamber.
3 (6) The person serving as president of the North Carolina Comprehensive
4 Community College Student Government Association shall be an ex officio
5 member of the State Board. If the president of the Association is unable for
6 any reason to serve as the student member of the State Board, then pursuant
7 to the constitution of the Association, the vice-president of the Association
8 shall serve as the student member of the State Board. Any person serving as
9 the student member of the State Board must be a student in good standing at
10 a North Carolina community college. The student member of the State Board
11 shall have all the rights and privileges of membership, except that the student
12 member shall not have a vote.

13 ...
14 (g) The following people shall be prohibited from serving as a member of the State Board:
15 (1) A member of the General Assembly currently serving or who has served
16 within the prior three years or that member's spouse.
17 (2) An officer or employee of the State or that person's spouse.
18 (3) An officer or employee of an institution under the jurisdiction of the State
19 Board or that person's spouse.
20 (4) A person who within five years has been an employee of the Community
21 Colleges System Office or that person's spouse.
22 (5) A member of the Council of State currently serving or who has served within
23 the prior three years.
24 (6) A lobbyist registered with the Secretary of State currently or within the prior
25 three years or that person's spouse.
26 (7) An individual who made a campaign donation to the campaign committee of
27 any individual running for statewide office within the prior three years.
28 (8) An individual convicted of a sex offense under Article 7B of Chapter 14 of
29 the General Statutes, regardless of whether or not the conviction was
30 expunged.
31 (9) An individual required to register as a sex offender under Article 27A of
32 Chapter 14 of the General Statutes.

33 ~~No member of the General Assembly, no officer or employee of the State, and no officer or~~
34 ~~employee of an institution under the jurisdiction of the State Board shall be eligible to serve on~~
35 ~~the State Board. No spouse of a member of the General Assembly or of an officer or employee~~
36 ~~of the Community College System or of an institution under the jurisdiction of the State Board~~
37 ~~shall be eligible to serve on the State Board. No person who within the prior five years has been~~
38 ~~an employee of the Community Colleges System Office shall be eligible to serve on the State~~
39 ~~Board.~~

40 (h) At its first meeting after July 1 of each odd-numbered year, the State Board shall elect
41 from its membership a ~~chair~~-chair, vice-chair, and such other officers as it may deem necessary.

42 (i) The State Board of Community Colleges shall meet at stated times established by the
43 State Board, but not less frequently than ~~10~~-eight times a year. The State Board of Community

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1 Colleges shall also meet with the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors of The
2 University of North Carolina at least once a year to discuss educational matters of mutual interest
3 and to recommend to the General Assembly such policies as are appropriate to encourage the
4 improvement of public education at every level in this State; these joint meetings shall be hosted
5 by the three Boards according to the schedule set out in G.S. 115C-11(b1). Special meetings of
6 the State Board may be set at any regular meeting or may be called by the chair. A majority of
7 the qualified members of the State Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
8";

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10 and on page 8, lines 19-20, by rewriting the lines to read:

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12 **"PART VI. CAMPUS SAFETY FUNDS**

13 **SECTION 6.** There is appropriated ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) from the
14 General Fund to the State Board of Community Colleges to be allocated by the State Board to
15 the community colleges to study and address campus safety issues.

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17 **PART VII. EFFECTIVE DATE**

18 **SECTION 7.** Except as otherwise provided, this act is effective when it becomes
19 law."

SIGNED _____
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED _____
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED _____ FAILED _____ TABLED _____