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HOUSE BILL DRH40286-MT-55

Short Title: College Cost Reduction Act.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representative Gable.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
3 NORTH CAROLINA FROM REQUIRING STUDENTS TO USE LEARNING
4 MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS THAT COME WITH ADDITIONAL COSTS.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 116-11 is amended by adding the following new subdivision to
7 read:

8 "(3d) The Board of Governors shall adopt a policy on the use of Learning
9 Management Systems (LMSs) at constituent institutions of The University of
10 North Carolina. At a minimum, the policy shall prohibit every college, school,
11 professor, or other entity associated with a constituent institution from
12 requiring any student, as a part of any course, to sign up for an LMS that
13 results in a cost to the student above the student fees previously approved by
14 the Board of Governors."

15 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law and applies beginning with
16 the 2025-2026 academic year.



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