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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Senate Bill 257

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Amends Title [NO]
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Senator Daniel

1 moves to amend the bill on page 70, lines 16 and 17, by inserting between the lines the following
2 new section to read:

3 **"NO FINANCIAL BENEFIT FOR CC STUDENTS CONVICTED OF ASSAULTING**
4 **OFFICERS OR EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE**

5 **SECTION 6.10.(a)** G.S. 115D-5 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

6 "(aa) The State Board of Community Colleges shall adopt a policy prohibiting the
7 Community Colleges System Office and community colleges from providing a State-funded
8 scholarship or grant to any student who has been convicted of assaulting an officer or employee
9 of the State or any political subdivision of the State, as provided in G.S. 14-33(c)(4), while
10 enrolled as a student. The prohibition begins with the semester or academic term following the
11 conviction."

12 **SECTION 6.10.(b)** This section is effective December 1, 2025, and applies to
13 offenses committed on or after that date."; and

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15 on page 144, lines 25 and 26, by inserting between the lines the following new section to read:

16 **"NO FINANCIAL BENEFIT FOR UNC STUDENTS CONVICTED OF ASSAULTING**
17 **OFFICERS OR EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE**

18 **SECTION 8.27.(a)** G.S. 116-11 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

19 "(7b) The Board of Governors shall adopt a policy prohibiting The University of
20 North Carolina and its constituent institutions from providing a State-funded
21 scholarship or grant to any student who has been convicted of assaulting an
22 officer or employee of the State or any political subdivision of the State, as
23 provided in G.S. 14-33(c)(4), while enrolled as a student. The prohibition
24 begins with the semester or academic term following the conviction."

25 **SECTION 8.27.(b).** Article 14 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes is amended by
26 adding a new section to read:

27 **"§ 116-143.2A. In-State tuition rate disqualification.**

28 Notwithstanding G.S. 116-143.1 or any other law to the contrary, a person enrolled at an
29 institution of higher education, as defined in G.S. 116-143.1, is disqualified from receiving the
30 in-State tuition rate if the person has been convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the
31 State or any political subdivision of the State, as provided in G.S. 14-33(c)(4), while enrolled in



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1 the institution. The disqualification begins with the semester or academic term following the
 2 conviction."

3 **SECTION 8.27.(c)** Article 23 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes is amended by
 4 adding a new section to read:

5 **"§ 116-209.19B. State-funded scholarship or grant disqualification.**

6 The Authority shall adopt a rule prohibiting any student from receiving a State-funded
 7 scholarship or grant if the student has been convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the
 8 State or any political subdivision of the State, as provided in G.S. 14-33(c)(4), while enrolled as
 9 a student. The prohibition begins with the semester or academic term following the conviction."

10 **SECTION 8.27.(d)** This section is effective December 1, 2025, and applies to
 11 offenses committed on or after that date."

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