



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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LCO No. 5014



Offered by:  
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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 203

File No. 203

Cal. No. 149

(As Amended)

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSIDERATION OF FAMILIAL  
RELATIONSHIP DURING THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS BY AN  
INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION."**

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu  
2 thereof:

3 "Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2024*) Not later than January 1, 2025, each  
4 public institution of higher education and independent institution of  
5 higher education, as defined in section 10a-173 of the general statutes,  
6 shall submit, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the  
7 general statutes, to the joint standing committee of the General  
8 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to higher education  
9 and employment advancement (1) a statement that such institution does  
10 not consider a prospective student's familial relationship to a graduate  
11 of or donor to such institution during the admissions process, or (2) a  
12 report with admissions and enrollment data, disaggregated by race, in  
13 accordance with the most recent United States Supreme Court decision,

14 and gender, for each of the prior five academic years. Such data shall  
15 include, but need not be limited to, the following:

16 (A) The total number of applicants who were (i) admitted to, (ii)  
17 deferred by, (iii) transferred to, and (iv) enrolled in such institution and  
18 the number of such applicants who had a familial relationship to a  
19 graduate of or donor to such institution; and

20 (B) For each category of enrolled students reported pursuant to clause  
21 (iv) of subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the (i) median and average  
22 grade point average, class rank percentile and scores on standardized  
23 academic aptitude tests, (ii) graduation or completion rates, (iii) median  
24 and average amount of need-based financial aid received by such  
25 students in each category, and (iv) number of such students in each  
26 category who had an expected family contribution or student aid index  
27 that qualified such students as (I) eligible for a full federal Pell grant or  
28 other need-based financial aid, (II) eligible for a partial federal Pell grant  
29 or other need-based financial aid, (III) ineligible for a federal Pell grant,  
30 but eligible for other need-based financial aid, and (IV) ineligible for a  
31 federal Pell grant or other need-based financial aid."