

By Senator Hutson

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to excess credit hour surcharges;
3 amending s. 1009.286, F.S.; revising provisions
4 relating to additional student payment for credit
5 hours exceeding baccalaureate degree program
6 completion requirements at state universities;
7 providing an effective date.

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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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11 Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 1009.286, Florida
12 Statutes, is amended to read:

13 1009.286 Additional student payment for hours exceeding
14 baccalaureate degree program completion requirements at state
15 universities.—

16 (2) State universities shall require a student to pay an
17 excess hour surcharge for each credit hour in excess of the
18 number of credit hours required to complete the baccalaureate
19 degree program in which the student is enrolled. The excess hour
20 surcharge shall become effective for students who enter a state
21 university for the first time and maintain continuous enrollment
22 as follows:

23 (a) For the 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 academic years, an
24 excess hour surcharge equal to 50 percent of the tuition rate
25 for each credit hour in excess of 120 percent.

26 (b) For the 2011-2012 academic year and thereafter, an
27 excess hour surcharge equal to 100 percent of the tuition rate
28 for each credit hour in excess of 120 ~~115~~ percent.

29 ~~(c) For the 2012-2013 academic year and thereafter, an~~

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30 ~~excess hour surcharge equal to 100 percent of the tuition rate~~
31 ~~for each credit hour in excess of 110 percent.~~

32 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017.