

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 4873

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require each institution of higher education to describe how it spends tuition and fees.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 23, 2016

Mr. MEEHAN (for himself, Mr. MACARTHUR, and Mr. SMITH of Missouri) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Tuition Use Informa-
5 tion Transparently Identified Online Act” or the “TUI-
6 TION Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. DISAGGREGATION OF TUITION AND FEES BY INSTI-**
2 **TUTIONAL EXPENSES.**

3 Section 487(a) of the Higher Education Act of 1965
4 (20 U.S.C. 1094(a)) is amended by adding at the end the
5 following:

6 “(30) The institution will, on an annual basis—

7 “(A) disaggregate the total revenue gen-
8 erated by the institution from tuition, fees, and
9 other institutional charges for students enrolled
10 in programs eligible for assistance under this
11 title, for the most recent academic year for
12 which data are available, by the proportion of
13 such revenue the institution applied toward any
14 type of institutional expense (such as faculty
15 salaries or facility maintenance);

16 “(B) provide a description of each such ex-
17 pense; and

18 “(C) publish, on its public website in the
19 location providing admissions information, the
20 information described in subparagraphs (A) and
21 (B) in a manner that clearly presents such in-
22 formation to students (including prospective
23 students) and their parents.”.

1 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 The amendment made by this Act shall take effect
3 with respect to award year 2016–2017 and each suc-
4 ceeding award year.

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