

HOUSE BILL No. 2085

By Committee on Education

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1 AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; creating the students' right
2 to know act; relating to the publication of certain information regarding
3 postsecondary education.
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. (a) The provisions of this section shall be known and may
7 be cited as the students' right to know act.

8 (b) On or before October 15, 2022, and each year thereafter, the state
9 department of education shall ensure the distribution, including by
10 electronic communication, to each student or each student's parents the
11 degree prospectus information published by the state board of regents in
12 accordance with K.S.A. 74-32,303, and amendments thereto, the Kansas
13 training information program report published in accordance with K.S.A.
14 74-32,418, and amendments thereto, any other information relevant to
15 students' understanding of potential earnings as determined by the
16 department of labor and the potential earnings published by each branch of
17 the armed services of the United States military.

18 (c) To the extent permitted by law, the department shall enter into
19 memorandums of understanding and any other necessary agreements with
20 the state board of regents, the department of labor and any other state
21 agencies or other entities as required to implement the provisions of this
22 section.

23 (d) As used in this section, the term "student" means any person
24 enrolled in any of the grades seven through 12 in a school district.

25 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after
26 January 1, 2022, and its publication in the statute book.