

## HB 1015 -- Student Favoritism

Sponsor: Cookson

This bill requires each public institution of higher education to adopt a policy on student favoritism before September 1, 2014. The policy must include a statement of the institution's commitment to a nondiscriminatory educational environment, a statement prohibiting favoritism of any kind, provisions to discourage relationships or environments that encourage favoritism, a method for reporting favoritism, and a method for resolving allegations. An institution must uniformly and consistently apply the policy, make it easily accessible, and train campus leaders about its contents.