

ENROLLED ACT NO. 47, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
2018 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to community colleges and the University of Wyoming; requiring the development of a common transcript system; prescribing duties of the University of Wyoming and the community college commission; requiring a report; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 21-18-202(a) by creating a new paragraph (vi) is amended to read:

21-18-202. Powers and duties of the commission.

(a) The commission shall perform the following general functions:

(vi) Develop and maintain a common transcript system that uses common course numbering for all courses provided at the community colleges or the University of Wyoming. The system shall facilitate program planning and the transfer of students and course credits between the community colleges and the University of Wyoming. The development and ongoing maintenance of the statewide course numbering system, including determining course equivalencies, shall be accomplished with the assistance of appropriate committees that shall include faculty members and staff of the community colleges and the University of Wyoming.

Section 2. The community college commission, the community colleges of the state and the University of Wyoming shall work collaboratively to develop the common college transcript system under W.S. 21-18-202(a)(vi) as created by this act. The University of Wyoming and the community college commission, in cooperation with the seven

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(7) community colleges, shall submit a report not later than October 31, 2018 to the joint education interim committee that establishes a plan for development of an electronic transcript transfer system that allows each student information system to send and receive transcript data automatically and establishment of a course equivalence and common course numbering system. The plan shall include recommendations for resource needs and policy or statute changes necessary to accomplish this directive. The system shall be developed by July 1, 2019.

Section 3. This act is effective July 1, 2018.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

Chief Clerk