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1 AN ACT Relating to higher education; and adding new sections to
2 chapter 28B.50 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 For the purposes of determining eligibility of state-mandated
7 insurance and retirement benefits for part-time academic employees in
8 community and technical colleges, the following definitions shall be
9 used:

10 (1) "Full-time academic work load" means the number of in-class
11 teaching hours that a full-time instructor must teach to fulfill his or
12 her employment obligations in a given discipline in a given college.
13 If full-time academic work load is defined in a contract adopted
14 through the collective bargaining process, that definition shall
15 prevail.

16 (2) "In-class teaching hours" means contact classroom and lab hours
17 in which full or part-time academic employees are performing
18 contractually assigned teaching duties. The in-class teaching hours

1 shall not include any duties performed in support of, or in addition to
2 those contractually assigned in-class teaching hours.

3 (3) "Academic employee" in a community or technical college means
4 any teacher, counselor, librarian, or department head who is employed
5 by a college district, whether full or part-time, with the exception of
6 the chief administrative officer of, and any administrator in, each
7 college district.

8 (4) "Part-time academic work load" means any percentage of a full-
9 time academic work load for which the part-time academic employee is
10 not paid on the full-time academic salary schedule.

11 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW
12 to read as follows:

13 For the purposes of determining eligibility for receipt of state-
14 mandated benefits for part-time academic employees at community and
15 technical colleges, each institution shall report to the appropriate
16 agencies the hours worked by part-time academic employees as a ratio of
17 the part-time academic work load to the full-time academic work load in
18 a given discipline in a given institution.

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