

HB 4116

Relating to assistance for community college students

HB 4116 directs the Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development and Higher Education Coordinating Commission to jointly establish a grant program for purpose of distributing moneys to community colleges to increase number of underserved, low-income and first-generation students. In addition, the bill appropriates \$750,000 General Funds to CCWD for support of the program. Grants will be provided to community colleges to provide services to for counseling and support services for underserved, low-income, and first-generation students.

The Education Subcommittee recommends House Bill 4116 be amended and reported out do pass, as amended.