

Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 713**

1 In line 4 of the printed A-engrossed bill, after “(1)” insert “(a)”.

2 In line 8, delete “(2)” and insert “(b)”.

3 In line 10, after “course,” insert “apprenticeship,”.

4 In line 12, after “course,” insert “apprenticeship,”.

5 After line 14 insert:

6 “(2)(a) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to any course, ap-
7 prenticeship, program, major or degree pathway at a public or private post-
8 secondary institution of education where:

9 “(A) Applicants are required to apply for admission directly to the course,
10 apprenticeship, program, major or degree pathway; and

11 “(B) As determined by the institution, individuals with criminal back-
12 grounds are likely to encounter barriers to licensure or practicum place-
13 ments.

14 “(b) If a course, apprenticeship, program, major or degree pathway at a
15 public or private post-secondary institution of education described in para-
16 graph (a) of this subsection elects to deny admission to an applicant based
17 on the applicant’s prior criminal conviction, the institution shall notify the
18 applicant, who may appeal the decision under a formal process established
19 by the institution.”.

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