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Bill #	Senate Author	Description	Date Received	Hearing Date	Action Taken	Senate Last Action				
SF47	Putnam	State grant program appropriation	01/16/2025	04/03/2025	Laid over					
SF164	Weber	Public postsecondary institutions maintenance of a supply of opiate antagonists on system campuses requirement	01/16/2025	02/18/2025	Amended, recommended to pass and re- referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services	See First Special Session, SF1				
SF164	Weber	Public postsecondary institutions maintenance of a supply of opiate antagonists on system campuses requirement	03/06/2025	02/18/2025	Amended, recommended to pass and re- referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services	See First Special Session, SF1				
SF208	Oumou Verbeten	Certain higher education state grant modifications and tuition and fees maximum for certain students created	01/16/2025							
SF377	Oumou Verbeten	Legacy admissions prohibition	01/21/2025	02/18/2025	Laid over					
SF710	Lucero	Public postsecondary institutions requirement to keep certain student information private establishment; consent requirement before collecting student location data	01/27/2025							
SF721	Lucero	Certain provisions modification for resident tuition and state student aid	01/27/2025							
SF777	Hoffman	Loan forgiveness and grants establishment for home care worker education	01/30/2025							
SF1035	Port	Provisions modification related to campus sexual misconduct	02/06/2025	02/27/2025	Amended, recommended to pass and re- referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety	See First Special Session, SF1				
SF1035	Port	Provisions modification related to campus sexual misconduct	04/07/2025	02/27/2025	Amended, recommended to pass and re- referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety	See First Special Session, SF1				
SF1074	Klein	Education benefit establishment for dependents of disabled veterans	02/06/2025	03/25/2025	Laid over					
SF1474	Gustafson	Public high schools requirement to participate in the direct admissions program	02/24/2025	02/27/2025	Laid over					
SF1607	Oumou Verbeten	University of Minnesota health care initiatives in underserved areas appropriation	02/20/2025	02/27/2025	Laid over					
SF1611	Oumou Verbeten	Student loan debt counseling appropriation	02/20/2025	03/13/2025	Laid over					
SF1676	Hoffman	Minnesota Higher Education Facilities Authority restructuring and renaming to Minnesota Health and Education Facilities Authority provision, Authority construction and financing of health care facilities authorization provision, and increasing bonding capacity	02/20/2025			See First Special Session, HF2				
SF1700	Draheim	Low-interest student loan program (HELP) establishment and appropriation	02/20/2025							
SF1742	McEwen	Center of American Indian and Minority Health appropriation	02/20/2025	03/11/2025	Laid over					
SF1940	Kupec	Current paramedic scholarship program continuation	02/27/2025	03/11/2025	Laid over					
SF1978	Rarick	Nondocumented noncitizens ineligibility for state financial aid programs establishment	02/27/2025							
SF1989	Draheim	Disclosure of employment opportunities for fields of study requirement; institution eligibility for state student aid modification	02/27/2025	03/13/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF1				
SF2069	Koran	Metropolitan State University cyber range services funding authorization and appropriation	03/03/2025							
SF2203	Pappas	Empowering small Minnesota communities program establishment	03/06/2025			See First Special Session, HF14				
SF2248	Kupec	Real-time stenographic writer training institutional grant program establishment and appropriation	03/06/2025							
SF2330	Putnam	College Possible grant appropriation to support programs of college admission and graduation for low-income students	03/10/2025							
SF2331	Putnam	Wallin Education Partners grant appropriation to support college admission and graduation programming for low- income students	03/10/2025							
SF2343	Kupec	Minnesota State Colleges and University campuses mental health services appropriation	03/10/2025							
SF2362	Clark	University of Minnesota operations and maintenance appropriation	03/10/2025							
SF2401	Putnam	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities appropriation to provide hospital, medical, and dental benefits coverage to part-time or adjunct faculty	03/13/2025	03/25/2025	Laid over					
SF2406	Oumou Verbeten	Office of Higher Education appropriation for emergency grants to Minnesota State Colleges and Universities students	03/13/2025	03/18/2025	Laid over					
SF2449	Kupec	University of Minnesota student programs and services appropriation	03/13/2025							

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SF2481	Putnam	Hunger-Free Campus grant program appropriation	03/13/2025	03/18/2025	Laid over	
SF2482	Fateh	Certain higher education provisions modifications	03/13/2025	03/20/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF1
SF2483	Fateh	Omnibus Higher Education policy and appropriations	03/13/2025	04/10/2025	Amended, recommended to pass and re- referred to the Committee on Finance	See First Special Session, SF1
SF2495	Putnam	Default living and miscellaneous expenses allowance for the state higher education grant program authorization; State Grant Plus scholarship to supplement state grant awards establishment; grant programs establishment within the Office of Higher Education; appropriating money	03/13/2025			
SF2516	Putnam	CentraCare residency programs at Rice Memorial Hospital and St. Cloud Hospital appropriation	03/13/2025	03/18/2025	Laid over	
SF2518	Kupec	Workforce development scholarship program parameters modifications and Minnesota State Colleges and Universities various needs appropriation	03/13/2025			
SF2527	Rarick	Workforce development scholarships program eligibility expansion provision	03/13/2025			
SF2528	Rarick	North Star Promise scholarships recipients in-state residency and work requirement imposition provision	03/13/2025			
SF2597	Rarick	Higher education institutions grant program modifications	03/17/2025	03/25/2025	Laid over	
SF2617	Kupec	University of Minnesota's Health Sciences Strategic Plan implementation appropriation	03/17/2025			
SF2683	Utke	North Star Promise scholarship program elimination	03/17/2025			
SF2703	Gustafson	Enrollment fraud working group creation	03/20/2025	03/27/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF1
SF2729	Putnam	Minitex library information and resource sharing program appropriation	03/20/2025			
SF2734	Hauschild	Minnesota Green Iron initiative at the University of Minnesota's Natural Resources Research Institute appropriation	03/20/2025	03/27/2025	Laid over	
SF2739	Fateh	Certain higher education student bank account minimum standards requirement provision	03/20/2025			
SF2753	Kupec	Cybersecurity offering as an applied doctoral degree authorization provision	03/20/2025	03/25/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF1
SF2816	Clark	Higher education institution unused student meal plan balances refund requirement	03/20/2025			
SF2881	Hauschild	Permanent university fund mining royalty income allocation modifications	03/24/2025	03/27/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF 1
SF2888	Lucero	Authority to offer doctoral degrees at state universities expansion	03/24/2025			
SF2931	Seeberger	Law enforcement grant program establishment and appropriation	03/24/2025			See First Special Session, SF1
SF2932	Oumou Verbeten	College Financing Literacy Act establishment provision	03/24/2025	03/27/2025	Laid over	See First Special Session, SF1
SF3005	Clark	Plant-based foods production training pilot program establishment	03/27/2025			
SF3052	Rarick	Minnesota Independence College and Community grant appropriation for student scholarships and other specified purposes	03/27/2025			
SF3079	Duckworth	North Star Promise scholarship's eligibility conditions limited to students enrolled in programs in high-demand industries and occupations provision	03/27/2025			See First Special Session, SF1
SF3108	Clark	University of Minnesota promising industry sectors research appropriation	04/01/2025			
SF3120	Putnam	Statewide children's savings account program for higher education establishment; local partner design and implementation grants establishment; appropriating money	04/01/2025			
SF3128	Kunesh	Increase Teachers of Color Act modification; pilot scholarship for aspiring teachers of color permanency establishment; appropriating money	04/03/2025			
SF3155	Hoffman	Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis research appropriation provision and appropriation cancellation provision	04/01/2025			See First Special Session, SF1
SF3159	Oumou Verbeten	Student Basic Needs Advisory Council establishment	04/01/2025			
SF3164	Nelson	University of Minnesota's Health Sciences Strategic Plan implementation appropriation	04/01/2025			
SF3248	Putnam	Certain assets of colleges and universities certain growth participation fee establishment provision and special revenue fund account establishment provision	04/03/2025			
SF3286	Lucero	Intellectual Freedom Protection Act creation to regulate public postsecondary institutions	04/03/2025			
SF3471	Oumou Verbeten	For-profit educational institutions ineligibility for the state grant program establishment	05/01/2025			
SF3491	Duckworth	Certain disclosures and implementation of corequisite model requirement related to developmental courses	05/07/2025			