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SYNOPSIS

Requires institutions of higher education to post information on sexual assaults on website and provide information to prospective students.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



1 AN ACT concerning information on sexual assaults occurring at
2 institutions of higher education and supplementing P.L.1994,
3 c.160 (C.18A:61E-1 et seq.).
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5 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
6 of New Jersey:
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8 1. a. Beginning with the 2021-2022 academic year, an
9 institution of higher education shall provide for public inspection on
10 its website information concerning the total number of allegations
11 of sexual assault made by a student enrolled in the institution or
12 made by an employee of the institution against another such student
13 or employee. The institution shall update the information each
14 month. The institution shall provide a link to the information on the
15 homepage of the institution's website.

16 b. An institution of higher education shall provide with all
17 paper applications for admission to the institution a hard copy of its
18 most recent sexual assault information posted pursuant to
19 subsection a. of this section.
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21 2. This act shall take effect immediately.
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24 STATEMENT
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26 This bill requires an institution of higher education, beginning
27 with the 2021-2022 academic year, to provide for public inspection
28 on its website information concerning the total number of
29 allegations of sexual assault made by a student or employee against
30 another student or employee. This information is required to be
31 updated each month and a link to the information must be provided
32 on the homepage of the institution's website. The bill also requires
33 an institution to provide a hard copy of its most recent sexual
34 assault information with all paper applications for admission to the
35 institution.