

## HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION



Bill Number: **HB 2563**

Boyer Floor Amendment

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1. Requires ABOR to form a free expression committee and the community colleges to jointly form a free expression committee, rather than a joint committee of ABOR and the community colleges.
  2. Replaces the definition of *peer-to-peer harassment* with *harassment* and redefines the term.

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BOYER FLOOR AMENDMENT  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2563  
(Reference to printed bill)

1 Page 4, line 23, after "HARASSMENT" insert a period strike remainder of line  
2 Line 24, strike "(a) PEER-ON-PEER HARASSMENT."; strike "SUBDIVISION" insert  
3 "PARAGRAPH"  
4 Line 25, strike "PEER-ON-PEER"; after "MEANS" strike remainder of line  
5 Strike lines 26 through 36, insert "ONLY THAT EXPRESSION THAT IS SO SEVERE,  
6 PERVASIVE AND SUBJECTIVELY AND OBJECTIVELY OFFENSIVE THAT IT UNREASONABLY  
7 INTERFERES WITH AN INDIVIDUAL'S ACCESS TO EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES OR  
8 BENEFITS PROVIDED BY THE UNIVERSITY OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE."  
9 Page 5, line 3, after "15-1867." insert "Arizona board of regents;"  
10 Lines 5 and 6, strike "AND THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARDS";  
11 strike "JOINTLY"  
12 Lines 9 and 10, strike "THE ARIZONA BOARD OF REGENTS, EACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
13 DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD,"  
14 Line 12, strike "AND EACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT"  
15 Lines 13 and 14, strike "THEIR RESPECTIVE WEBSITES, AND THE ARIZONA BOARD OF  
16 REGENTS" insert "ITS WEBSITE AND"  
17 Lines 17 and 20, strike "AND COMMUNITY COLLEGES"  
18 Lines 28 and 29, strike "OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE"  
19 Between lines 32 and 33, insert:  
20 "15-1868. Community college districts; committee on free  
21 expression; annual report; committee termination  
22 A. THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARDS SHALL JOINTLY  
23 ESTABLISH A COMMITTEE ON FREE EXPRESSION CONSISTING OF AT LEAST FIFTEEN  
24 MEMBERS.  
25 B. THE COMMITTEE ON FREE EXPRESSION SHALL SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT ON  
26 OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1 TO THE GOVERNOR, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF

1 REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE. EACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
2 DISTRICT SHALL POST A COPY OF THE ANNUAL REPORT ON ITS RESPECTIVE WEBSITE,  
3 AND A COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT THAT IS IN A COUNTY WITH A POPULATION OF  
4 AT LEAST TWO MILLION PERSONS SHALL SUBMIT A COPY OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO  
5 THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE ANNUAL REPORT SHALL INCLUDE:

6 1. A DESCRIPTION OF ANY BARRIERS TO OR DISRUPTIONS OF FREE  
7 EXPRESSION WITHIN THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES IN THIS STATE.

8 2. A DESCRIPTION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE HANDLING AND DISCIPLINE  
9 RELATING TO BARRIERS TO OR DISRUPTIONS OF FREE EXPRESSION WITHIN THE  
10 COMMUNITY COLLEGES IN THIS STATE.

11 3. A DESCRIPTION OF SUBSTANTIAL DIFFICULTIES, CONTROVERSIES OR  
12 SUCCESSES IN MAINTAINING A POSTURE OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND INSTITUTIONAL  
13 NEUTRALITY.

14 4. ANY ASSESSMENTS, CRITICISMS, COMMENDATIONS OR RECOMMENDATIONS  
15 THAT THE COMMITTEE DECIDES TO INCLUDE IN THE ANNUAL REPORT.

16 5. AN ACCOUNTING OF HOW STUDENT ACTIVITY FEES WERE ALLOCATED IN THE  
17 PRIOR YEAR. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS PARAGRAPH, "STUDENT ACTIVITY FEES"  
18 MEANS ANY FEE THAT IS CHARGED TO STUDENTS BY A COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN THIS  
19 STATE AND THAT IS USED TO SUPPORT AND FACILITATE THE EXPRESSION AND  
20 ACTIVITIES OF STUDENTS OR STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS.

21 C. THE COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION ENDS ON  
22 JULY 1, 2026 PURSUANT TO SECTION 41-3103."

23 Page 5, line 33, strike "15-1868" insert "15-1869"

24 Amend title to conform

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