**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND ACT 571 OF 1965, RELATING TO DARLINGTON COUNTY’S SHARE OF THE OPERATING BUDGET FOR FLORENCE‑DARLINGTON TECHNICAL COLLEGE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE BOARD FOR TECHNICAL AND COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATION ANNUALLY SHALL DETERMINE THE PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ENROLLED AT FLORENCE‑DARLINGTON TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHO ARE DARLINGTON COUNTY RESIDENTS DURING THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR, AND TO PROVIDE THAT DARLINGTON COUNTY’S CONTRIBUTION TOWARD THE COLLEGE’S OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE NEXT ENSUING FISCAL YEAR MAY NOT EXCEED THIS PERCENTAGE.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Act 571 of 1965 is amended by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

“SECTION \_\_\_. Notwithstanding another provision of law, the State Board for Technical and Correspondence Education annually shall determine the percentage of students enrolled at Florence‑Darlington Technical College who are Darlington County residents during the current fiscal year, and Darlington County’s contribution toward the college’s operating budget for the next ensuing fiscal year may not exceed this percentage.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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