

AN ACT relating to wages and declaring an emergency.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 164 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

*The Kentucky Community and Technical College System shall make available on the system's public Web site a listing of the one hundred (100) highest-paid system employees and persons employed under contract. The list shall include each employee's and contractor's name, title, current total annual compensation amount, and the amount by category that comprises the total compensation amount including but not limited to base pay, housing allowance, automobile allowance, and bonuses. The list shall be updated quarterly.*

➔Section 2. Whereas the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, a publicly funded institution created to provide affordable access to higher education and workforce training to Kentucky's citizens, has increased tuition by 21 percent over the past five years and implemented spending cuts while the compensation of the system's leadership, paid by taxpayers' and students' dollars, has been questioned as excessive, an emergency is declared to exist, and this Act takes effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.