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**House Appropriations Committee
Higher Education Subcommittee**

Agenda

Monday, February 12, 2007
Harvey B. Morgan, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee Room
8:30 a.m.

I. Bills Before Subcommittee

**SB 749 Community College Transfer Grant Program; created (Stosch)
Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute**

Establishes the Community College Transfer Grant Program for the purpose of providing higher education grants to domiciles of Virginia who have successfully completed an acceptable associate degree program at a Virginia community college and have been admitted to an accredited nonprofit public or private institution of higher education in the Commonwealth. The State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) must promulgate necessary and appropriate regulations for its administration.

SB 786 Private College Enrollment Grant Program Fund; established (Stosch)

Creates the Private College Enrollment Grant Program for the purpose of providing higher education grants on a per capita basis to private nonprofit institutions of higher education that agree, in the interest of providing access to higher education for Virginia's burgeoning student population, to enroll Virginia domiciles. The State Council of Higher Education for Virginia is designated as the administering agency of the program and is authorized to solicit or receive unsolicited grant proposals

and enter into contracts with private nonprofit institutions of higher education having their main campus in Virginia to provide grants on a per capita basis to such institutions on behalf of enrolled Virginia domiciles. The Council is also authorized to promulgate necessary and appropriate regulations to administer the program, including measures to ensure the reduction of out-of-pocket tuition costs to Virginia's student population.

SB 1342 Higher educational institutions ; operational authority for areas of information technology, etc. (Houck)

Provides operational authority for public institutions of higher education in the areas of information technology and procurement pursuant to the Restructuring Act of 2005.