

SB 43

AMENDMENT A.10

This amendment would give students more schooling options by adding to the list of “qualified postsecondary institutions” eligible to receive scholarship funds. Many schools, particularly “non-traditional” schools such as faith-based institutions, technical training schools, flight schools, and salon/beauty schools, cannot receive “regional” accreditation. Instead, such institutions typically pursue other specialized “national” accreditation. They are all officially recognized by the ACPE and are licensed to operate in Alaska. Similarly, such institutions are also recognized federally by the U.S. Dept. of Education and are authorized to receive federal financial aid. This would allow qualifying students who choose to pursue a non-traditional career path to apply their scholarships to a broader swath of legitimate institutions in Alaska.

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- 1 Page 3, line 26, following "regional":
- 2 Insert "or national"