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AN ACT relating to public colleges and universities being required to repeal school policies that prohibit the freedom of speech for citizens on campus.

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: Currently, several publicly funded Universities have and are enforcing ambiguous policies that can be applied to and/or explicit policies that restrict speech that, by the laws of our state and the Constitution of the United States, ought to be protected. The continuing of these policies on campuses like The University of Kentucky, The University of Louisville, Western Kentucky University, Murray State University, Morehead State University, and Kentucky State University is evidence that these statues of the Constitution and Kentucky Law are not enforced (Foundation for Individual Rights in Education). This bill will ensure citizens on public colleges and universities in the state of Kentucky will not have their free speech rights infringed upon by the revocation of these policies.

Section 2: There will be no funds resulting in the enforcement of this bill.

Section 3: Universities that fail to comply will promptly penalized funding until the speech-restricting policy is repealed. These penalties will come in the form of losing a percentage of public funding from the state of Kentucky, increasing every month the policy is not complied to. The increase will start at 10% and increase by a metric of 5%. Before Policy: 100% After Policy: 90% Month 1: 85% Month 2: 80%

Section 4: This bill will become Law July 1st, 2018.