



Bill Number: S.B. 1271

Shope Floor Amendment

Reference to: printed bill

Amendment drafted by: Leg Council

## FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION

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1. Adds a county shelter to the list of approved practice areas the applicant must serve for two years.
2. Requires the Arizona Department of Agriculture (AZDA) to distribute to the veterinarian from the Arizona Veterinary Loan Assistance Fund (Fund) an amount that is equal to the amount of the veterinarian's outstanding veterinary college educational loan balance, rather than the tuition the veterinarian paid to attend the college.
3. Asserts monies distributed from the Fund are subject to availability and legislative appropriation.
4. Defines *education loan balance* as the balance of principal, interest and related expenses of the educational loan.

Amendment explanation prepared by Liam Maher

SHOPE FLOOR AMENDMENT  
SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1271  
(Reference to printed bill)

- 1 Page 1, line 29, after "NONPROFIT" insert ", COUNTY"
- 2 Line 37, strike "TUITION THE VETERINARIAN PAID TO ATTEND VETERINARY COLLEGE"
- 3 insert "THE VETERINARIAN'S OUTSTANDING VETERINARY COLLEGE EDUCATIONAL LOAN
- 4 BALANCE"
- 5 Line 39, after "FUND" insert "SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF MONIES AND
- 6 LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATION AND"; after the period insert "FOR THE PURPOSES
- 7 OF THIS SUBSECTION, "EDUCATIONAL LOAN BALANCE" MEANS THE BALANCE OF THE
- 8 PRINCIPAL, INTEREST AND RELATED EXPENSES OF THE EDUCATIONAL LOAN."
- 9 Amend title to conform

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