BUDGET BILL LANGUAGE:
UC ENROLLMENT GROWTH

Amend Provision 13 of Item 6440-001-0001:

Of the funds appropriated in Schedule (1), $54,380,000 $52,930,000 is to fund 5,000 additional state-supported full-time equivalent (FTE) students at the University of California (UC), based on a marginal General Fund cost of $10,876 $10,586 per additional student. This funding rate is based on a methodology for determining the marginal cost of each additional state-supported student, as adopted by the Legislature for the 2006-07 budget. This methodology calculates a total marginal cost (including operation and maintenance costs and faculty costs based on the salaries of recently hired professors) and then subtracts from this cost the fee revenue the university anticipates from each additional student (after adjusting for financial aid), in order to determine the amount of General Fund support needed from the state. It is the intent of the Legislature that enrollment growth funding provided to the university in subsequent budgets be based on this specific methodology.

The Legislature expects the University of California UC to enroll a total of 198,455 state-supported FTE students during the 2007-08 academic year. This enrollment target does not include nonresident students and students enrolled in non-state-supported summer programs. The University of California UC shall report to the Legislature by March 15, 2008, on whether it has met the 2007-08 enrollment goal. For purposes of this provision, enrollment totals shall only include state-supported students. If the University of California UC does not meet its total state-supported enrollment goal by at least 250 (FTE) students, the Director of Finance shall revert to the General Fund by April 1, 2008, the total amount of enrollment funding associated with the total share of the enrollment goal that was not met.

$1,450,000 General Fund Savings