

1 Sec. 2c. ALLOWABLE GROWTH IN TUITION FOR APPROVED INDEPENDENT  
2 SCHOOLS IN FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029

3 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, for fiscal years 2028 and 2029  
4 only, the tuition charged pursuant to 16 V.S.A. §§ 823, 824, or 827 by an approved  
5 independent receiving school shall not exceed the tuition charged by the approved  
6 independent receiving school in the prior fiscal year, increased by the annual change in  
7 the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) implicit price deflator for state and  
8 local government consumption expenditures and gross investment as reported by the U.S.  
9 Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.