

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 6, 2024
Date

Committee on Education.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB24-1282 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend page 2, line 8, strike "EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND".

- 2 Page 2, strike line 19 and substitute:
 - 3 "(I) FOR EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL THAT SERVES THE NINTH GRADE,
 - 4 THE NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF FIRST-TIME NINTH GRADE STUDENTS
 - 5 WHO AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR HAVE NOT EARNED AT LEAST
 - 6 ONE-FOURTH OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE
 - 7 FROM HIGH SCHOOL AND HAVE FAILED TWO OR MORE COURSES, REPORTED
 - 8 FOR THE SCHOOL IN TOTAL AND DISAGGREGATED BY RACE, ETHNICITY,
 - 9 GENDER, ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER STATUS, AND WHETHER OR NOT
 - 10 THE STUDENT HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM;
 - 11 (II) FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE
 - 12 OF FIRST-TIME NINTH GRADE STUDENTS WHO AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL
 - 13 YEAR HAVE NOT EARNED AT LEAST ONE-FOURTH OF THE TOTAL NUMBER
 - 14 OF CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL AND HAVE
 - 15 FAILED TWO OR MORE COURSES, REPORTED FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN
 - 16 TOTAL AND DISAGGREGATED BY RACE, ETHNICITY, GENDER, ENGLISH
 - 17 LANGUAGE LEARNER STATUS, AND WHETHER OR NOT THE STUDENT HAS AN
 - 18 INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM;
 - 19 (III) FOR THE CHARTER SCHOOL INSTITUTE, THE NUMBER AND
 - 20 PERCENTAGE OF FIRST-TIME NINTH GRADE STUDENTS WHO AT THE END OF
 - 21 THE SCHOOL YEAR HAVE NOT EARNED AT LEAST ONE-FOURTH OF THE
 - 22 TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL
 - 23 AND HAVE FAILED TWO OR MORE COURSES, REPORTED FOR THE CHARTER
 - 24 SCHOOL INSTITUTE IN TOTAL AND DISAGGREGATED BY RACE, ETHNICITY,
 - 25 GENDER, ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER STATUS, AND WHETHER OR NOT
 - 26 THE STUDENT HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND
 - 27 (IV) FOR THE STATE AS A WHOLE, THE NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE

1 OF FIRST-TIME NINTH GRADE STUDENTS WHO AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL
2 YEAR HAVE NOT EARNED AT LEAST ONE-FOURTH OF THE TOTAL NUMBER
3 OF CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL AND HAVE
4 FAILED TWO OR MORE COURSES, REPORTED FOR THE STATE AS A WHOLE IN
5 TOTAL AND DISAGGREGATED BY RACE, ETHNICITY, GENDER, ENGLISH
6 LANGUAGE LEARNER STATUS, AND WHETHER OR NOT THE STUDENT HAS AN
7 INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM."

8 Page 3, strike lines 1 through 25.

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