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HB No. 1014

Abstract: Provides relative to the high school career option program.

<u>Present law</u>, relative to the high school career option program, provides for an academic major (college prep. courses) and a career major (academic courses and modern vocational studies). Requires the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) to develop and adopt requirements for career major programs offered by school boards and to issue a career diploma to students who successfully complete such requirements. Requires students in a career major program to complete an academic core of courses and a career and technical sequence of courses and specifies course requirements. Requires students pursuing a career major to have the written permission of his parent or legal guardian. Provides specific conditions for students seeking to pursue a career major curriculum. <u>Proposed law</u> makes technical changes and otherwise retains <u>present law</u>.

(Amends 183.3(D)(1)(b)(ii) and (iii) and (2))