



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 1371

January Session, 2001

**AN ACT CONCERNING CURRICULUM APPROVAL FOR
INDEPENDENT COLLEGES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Not later than January 1, 2002, the Commissioner of Higher
2 Education shall report to the joint standing committee of the General
3 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to education and to
4 the select committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
5 matters relating to workforce development concerning whether the
6 Board of Governors of Higher Education's existing curriculum
7 approval process allows independent institutions of higher education
8 in this state sufficient flexibility to quickly respond to changing
9 workforce needs with new curriculum specifically designed to address
10 such needs. Such report shall include, but not be limited to,
11 recommendations about how such independent institutions of higher
12 education can respond to changing workforce needs in a more time-
13 sensitive fashion.

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