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Amendment

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Offered by:

SEN. SMITH, 14th Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 5497

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**"AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE PROVISIONS OF PUBLIC LAW
107-110 AND CONCERNING INTERDISTRICT MAGNET
SCHOOLS."**

1 After the last section, insert the following:

2 "Sec. 8. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2002*) Students enrolled in private
3 schools may take a state-wide mastery examination that measures the
4 essential and grade-appropriate skills in reading, writing and
5 mathematics. Mastery examinations pursuant to this section shall be
6 administered in accordance with guidelines set forth by the
7 Commissioner of Education in accordance with regulations adopted
8 pursuant to the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes."