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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON
CONNECTICUT'S TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS."**

1 Strike lines 4 to 14, inclusive, and substitute the following in lieu
2 thereof:

3 "meet at least semiannually, to [recommend to the State Board of
4 Education (1) how the regional vocational-technical schools may best
5 meet the skill needs of employers; (2) how the role of school craft
6 committees can be strengthened and employer participation increased;
7 (3) how alternative technical training models for eleventh and twelfth
8 grade students, such as tech-prep, shared time, trade academies and
9 preapprenticeship can be expanded, particularly in manufacturing;
10 and (4) new trade programs for such schools] (1) identify emerging
11 state and national workforce needs and trade technology programs for
12 the regional vocational-technical school system to meet such needs; (2)
13 identify the workforce skills that will be needed for the next thirty
14 years and ensure that the curriculum of the regional vocational-
15 technical school system is incorporating such skills into the regional

16 vocational-technical schools; (3) ensure that all students who graduate
17 from the regional vocational-technical school system have
18 communication, leadership, teamwork and problem-solving skills, in
19 addition to expertise in a trade technology; (4) assess the adequacy of
20 the resources available to the regional vocational-technical school
21 system as the system develops and refines programs to meet existing
22 and emerging workforce needs; and (5) advise and make
23 recommendations to the State Board of Education to carry out the
24 provisions of subdivisions (1) to (4), inclusive, of this section. The
25 committee shall consist"