



General Assembly

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**Committee Bill No. 633**

LCO No. 3307

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Referred to Committee on Higher Education and Employment  
Advancement

Introduced by:  
(HED)

***AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MENTORING PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN  
HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS.***

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2009*) (a) The Departments of  
2 Higher Education and Education shall establish, within available  
3 appropriations, an academic services program for minority males  
4 enrolled in institutions of higher education and secondary schools in  
5 this state.

6 (b) The program shall provide the following academic services: (1)  
7 Mentoring, and (2) educational and job training and support. The  
8 departments shall establish criteria for teachers offering such services  
9 under the program.

10 (c) Each institution of higher education and school district shall  
11 select teachers to participate in the program based on the criteria  
12 established by the departments pursuant to subsection (b) of this  
13 section.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	October 1, 2009	New section
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**Statement of Purpose:**

To promote academic achievement in minority males.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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