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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 456

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"AN ACT CONCERNING STUDENT ATHLETES AND CONCUSSIONS."

1 Strike line 41 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:
2 "(2) On or before July 1, 2011, and annually thereafter, the State Board
3 of Education, in"

4 In line 59, strike "any" and insert "a" in lieu thereof

5 Strike line 60 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:
6 "student athlete from participating in any intramural or interscholastic
7 athletic activity"

8 In line 63, after "competition," insert "unless such coach reasonably
9 believes that such signs, symptoms or behaviors are the result of an
10 illness or physical condition other than a concussion,"

11 In line 67, after "occurred" insert ", unless such coach reasonably
12 believes that such signs, symptoms or behaviors are the result of an

13 illness or physical condition other than a concussion"

14 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
15 internal references accordingly:

16 "Sec. 501. (*Effective from passage*) The Department of Education shall
17 consider a coach of intramural or interscholastic athletics as having
18 successfully completed the initial training course regarding
19 concussions and head injuries required pursuant section 1 of this act if
20 such coach completes a course that is offered by the governing
21 authority for intramural and interscholastic athletics and is
22 substantially similar, as determined by the department, to the training
23 course required pursuant to section 1 of this act, provided such
24 substantially similar course is completed on or after January 1, 2010,
25 but prior to the date the State Board of Education approves the
26 training course pursuant to section 1 of this act."