



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5241

LCO No. 318



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:
(HED)

**AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF A PAY-IT-FORWARD COLLEGE
PAYMENT PLAN.**

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

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2014*) Not later than January 1, 2015, the
2 Office of Higher Education shall study the feasibility and implications
3 of implementing a plan pursuant to which a Connecticut high school
4 graduate may attend a public institution of higher education in this
5 state tuition-free, provided such graduate agrees to relinquish a
6 percentage of his or her future earnings upon graduation from the
7 public institution of higher education for deposit into a fund that will
8 be utilized for paying for the tuition of future Connecticut high school
9 graduates who participate in such plan.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2014</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To require a study of the feasibility and implications of a pay-it-forward college payment plan.

[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.]