



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 477***

LCO No. 2556



Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by:  
(ED)

***AN ACT CONCERNING BOARDS OF EDUCATION.***

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (f) of section 10-233d of the general statutes is  
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
3 *1, 2014*):

4 (f) (1) Whenever a pupil is expelled pursuant to the provisions of  
5 this section, notice of the expulsion and the conduct for which the  
6 pupil was expelled shall be included on the pupil's cumulative  
7 educational record. Such notice [, except for notice of an expulsion  
8 based on possession of a firearm or deadly weapon as described in  
9 subsection (a) of this section,] (A) may be expunged from the  
10 cumulative educational record by the local or regional board of  
11 education if such board determines that the conduct and behavior of  
12 such pupil in the years following such expulsion warrants an  
13 expungement, or (B) shall be expunged from the cumulative  
14 educational record by the local or regional board of education if a  
15 pupil graduates from high school, except as provided for in  
16 [subdivision] subdivisions (2) and (3) of this subsection.

17 (2) In the case of a pupil for which the length of the expulsion  
18 period is shortened or the expulsion period is waived pursuant to  
19 subdivision (2) of subsection (c) of this section, such notice shall be  
20 expunged from the cumulative educational record by the local or  
21 regional board of education (A) if the pupil graduates from high  
22 school, or (B) if the board so chooses, at the time the pupil completes  
23 the board-specified program and meets any other conditions required  
24 by the board pursuant to subdivision (2) of subsection (c) of this  
25 section, whichever is earlier.

26 (3) In the case of a pupil who is four to eight years of age, inclusive,  
27 and who has been expelled based on possession of a firearm or deadly  
28 weapon as described in subsection (a) of this section, the local or  
29 regional board of education may expunge from the pupil's cumulative  
30 educational record the notice of the expulsion and the conduct for  
31 which the pupil was expelled if such board determines that the  
32 conduct and behavior of such pupil in the years following such  
33 expulsion warrants an expungement.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2014	10-233d(f)

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide flexibility as to the conditions and when a board of education may expunge an expulsion from a student's cumulative educational record.

*[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.]*