



Senate

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Senate Bill No. 694

Senate, March 19, 2015

The Committee on Veterans' Affairs reported through SEN. FLEXER of the 29th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING SERVICES AVAILABLE TO VETERANS ON STATE COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Board of Regents for Higher
2 Education and the Board of Trustees for The University of Connecticut
3 shall conduct a study to (1) evaluate and assess programming at
4 Operation Academic Support for Incoming Service Members centers at
5 public institutions of higher education; and (2) identify successful
6 programming at such centers. Not later than January 15, 2016, the
7 boards shall report the results of the study including any
8 recommendations as to enhancing services at all such centers in the
9 state, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general
10 statutes, to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly
11 having cognizance of matters relating to veterans and military affairs
12 and higher education.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

VA *Joint Favorable*

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

There is no fiscal impact to the Board of Regents for Higher Education or the University of Connecticut to conduct a study to (1) evaluate and assess programming at Operation Academic Support for Incoming Service Members centers at public institutions of higher education; and (2) identify successful programming at such centers as the units have existing expertise in this area.

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State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY:

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Veterans' Affairs Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 14 Nay 0 (03/05/2015)