



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 177

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**"AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY DECLINING  
STUDENT ENROLLMENT."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2016*) (a) For the school year  
4 commencing July 1, 2016, and each school year thereafter, a local board  
5 or regional board of education shall provide school transportation  
6 services for resident students to attend an equivalent nonpublic school  
7 located in an adjacent school district. For purposes of this subsection,  
8 "resident student" means any student who is a resident of the school  
9 district and was enrolled in a nonpublic school located in the school  
10 district that ceased operations at the end of the previous school year.

11 (b) The local or regional board of education providing school  
12 transportation services under this section shall be reimbursed only for  
13 the cost of such transportation as is required by this section upon the

14 same basis and in the same manner as such school districts are  
15 reimbursed pursuant to section 10-281 of the general statutes."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>July 1, 2016</i>	New section