



General Assembly

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LCO No. 4995



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:
(HED)

**AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY BY THE OFFICE OF HIGHER
EDUCATION REGARDING GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT RATES.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2019*) The Office of Higher Education, in
2 consultation with the Labor Department, shall study the rate of
3 employment for graduates of institutions of higher education in the
4 state. Such study shall include, but need not be limited to, the
5 differences in the rates of employment in various industries and the
6 identification of industries in the state in which hiring needs are not
7 being met. On or before January 1, 2020, the executive director of the
8 Office of Higher Education shall report, in accordance with the
9 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, the findings of such
10 study to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having
11 cognizance of matters relating to higher education and employment
12 advancement.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2019</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To require a study by the Office of Higher Education regarding graduate employment rates.

[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.]