AN ACT MAKING PERMANENT THE MORATORIUM ON APPROVAL OF A CERTAIN NUMBER OF PROGRAMS AT INDEPENDENT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

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

1 That subsection (l) of section 10a-34 of the general statutes be amended to delete the expiration date of July 1, 2020, relating to the moratorium on the authority of the Office of Higher Education to approve up to twelve new programs of higher learning in any academic year and any program modifications proposed by independent institutions of higher education.

Statement of Purpose:
To permanently allow independent institutions of higher education to create up to twelve new programs of higher learning in any academic year and any program modifications without being subject to the approval of the Office of Higher Education.