OLR Bill Analysis
HB 5468

AN ACT CONCERNING COLLEGE CREDITS AWARDED FOR MILITARY TRAINING.

SUMMARY
This bill requires, by January 1, 2022, and every five years thereafter, each public higher education institution’s governing body to review and update its policies on awarding college credit for a student’s military training, coursework, and education.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2021

BACKGROUND
College Credit for Military Training
Existing law requires public higher education institutions to award college credit for military occupational specialty training to service members enrolled at the institutions. The applicant must have experience in a military occupation the institution recognizes as substituting for, or meeting the requirements of, a particular course of study (CGS § 10a-149d).

COMMITTEE ACTION
Higher Education and Employment Advancement Committee
Joint Favorable
Yea 22  Nay 0  (03/22/2021)