

Bill History
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Introducer(s):

SEN. JAMES J. MARONEY, 14th DIST.

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING HIGH-NEED CERTIFICATE AND TRAINING PROGRAMS AND ESTABLISHING THE "NUTMEG INTERNSHIP PROGRAM".

Statement of Purpose: To (1) designate certain certificate and training programs as high-need programs, (2) allow the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority to issue loans to individuals for the completion of such high-need certificate programs, (3) allow employers who pay such Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority loans on behalf of employees to claim a tax credit, (4) establish a mentorship program for students in the debt-free community college program who enroll in such high-need certificate programs, and (5) establish a state internship program.

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01-28-2021 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Higher Education and Employment Advancement Committee

Co-sponsor(s):