

Higher Education and Employment Advancement Committee

MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, March 11, 2021

1:00 PM IN ZOOM AND [YOUTUBE LIVE](#)

- I. CONVENE MEETING.
- II. REMARKS BY THE CHAIRS AND RANKING MEMBERS.
- III. BILLS FOR REVIEW:
 1. [H.B. No. 6229](#) (COMM) AN ACT ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF FOOD-INSECURE STUDENTS AT PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) (JFS to the Floor.)
 2. [S.B. No. 954](#) (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING THE REPORTING OF ACCIDENTAL DEATHS AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) (JFS to the Floor.)
 3. [H.B. No. 5895](#) (COMM) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE ON THE REDUCTION OF STUDENT LOAN DEBT. (HED) (JFS to the Floor.)
 4. [H.B. No. 6404](#) (RAISED) AN ACT FUNDING THE DEBT-FREE COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM. (HED) (JF to Appropriations.)
 5. [S.B. No. 996](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDRAISING BY THE FOUNDATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT. (HED) (JF to the Floor.)
 6. [S.B. No. 997](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING AN EXPANSION OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT AND THE VOTING RIGHTS OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION. (HED) (JFS to the Floor.)

7. [H.B. No. 5545](#) (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE BUDGET OF THE CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES. (HED) (JF to the Floor.)
8. [H.B. No. 6403](#) (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FOR THE MERGER OR CLOSING OF INSTITUTIONS WITHIN THE CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES. (HED) (JF to the Floor.)
9. [H.B. No. 6580](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS. (HED) (JF to the Floor.)

IV. ANNOUNCEMENT OF TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

Committee Meeting, Wednesday, March 17, 2021 at 12:00 p.m. via Zoom.

V. ADJOURNMENT.

The meeting may be recorded and broadcast live on CT-N.com.