



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 1219

LCO No. 3980



Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS

Introduced by:
(APP)

AN ACT CONCERNING FULLY FUNDING EXCESS COSTS FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION.

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

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Commissioner of Education
2 shall study the provision of special education services in the state and
3 the cost for the state to fully reimburse local and regional boards of
4 education in an amount equal to the total excess costs for special
5 education.
- 6 (b) Not later than October 1, 2023, the commissioner shall report, in
7 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes,
8 to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having
9 cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of state
10 agencies concerning the results of the study described in subsection (a)
11 of this section.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To require a study of funding needed to fully cover excess costs for special education.

[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.]