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Introduced by Representatives Oliver of Sheldon, Bartley of Fairfax, Branagan of Georgia, Burditt of West Rutland, Christie of Hartford, Clifford of Rutland City, Demar of Enosburgh, Galfetti of Barre Town, Goslant of Northfield, Graham of Williamstown, Gregoire of Fairfield, Hango of Berkshire, Higley of Lowell, Hooper of Randolph, Labor of Morgan, Laroche of Franklin, McFaun of Barre Town, Morgan of Milton, Morrissey of Bennington, Parsons of Newbury, Peterson of Clarendon, Smith of Derby, Taylor of Milton, Toof of St. Albans Town, Walker of Swanton, and Wilson of Lyndon

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: Education; career technical education; Vermont State Colleges admissions; University of Vermont admissions

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require the Vermont State Colleges and the University of Vermont and State Agricultural College to give preference in admissions to eligible students who are residents of the State and who have completed a career technical education program in a subject matter or industry the postsecondary school offers programming in.

1 An act relating to postsecondary opportunities for Vermont career technical
2 education students

3 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

4 Sec. 1. 16 V.S.A. § 2181 is added to read:

5 § 2181. VERMONT CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

6 The Colleges shall give preference in admissions to eligible students who
7 are residents of the State and who have completed a career technical education
8 program in a subject matter or industry that the Colleges offer programming in.

9 Sec. 2. 16. V.S.A. § 2286 is added to read:

10 § 2286. VERMONT CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

11 The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College shall give
12 preference in admissions to eligible students who are residents of the State and
13 who have completed a career technical education program in a subject matter
14 or industry that the University of Vermont and State Agricultural College
15 offers programming in.

16 Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE

17 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2023.