

**Miscellaneous Ed – As Passed by the House
H. 876**

Potential Amendments and Additions Being Considered by Senate Education

Senate Ed Decision	House Sec. # (pages in House Passed)	Topic
	1-7 (pp. 1–8)	16 V.S.A. § 165 and other statutes education quality standards (EQS)
	8-9 (pp. 8–9)	16 V.S.A. §§ 176 & 176a online postsecondary degree programs Potential SEC #1: add “Nondegree-granting and non-credit granting programs” to both Secs.
	10-11 (pp.9–11)	16 V.S.A. § 1075 & § 11 child awaiting adoption; residency; state-placed child Potential SEC #2: strike out Sec. 10 (alternative solutions; only need one; keeping both may cause confusion)
	12-28 (pp. 11–29) (p. 21) (p. 23)	16 V.S.A. ch. 37 CTE centers; technical correction – misc. sections Potential SEC #3: in Sec 19, reinsert words “employees and of” (CTE regional advisory board) Potential SEC #4: strike out Sec. 23 (enrollment; CTE transportation)
	29 (pp. 30)	16 V.S.A. § 2282 UVM Tuition; full tuition for graduate/distance programs Potential SEC #5: replace entirely with simplified language
	30 (pp. 30–32)	16 V.S.A. § 2902 Educational Support Teams Potential SEC #6: (1) add back original words “and educational support team” and (2) strike out phrase “and intensive, individualized interventions for any student requiring a higher level of support”

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	31 (pp. 33–35)	16 V.S.A. § 563(11)(B) divided vote – repeals law no longer in effect – related section in Repeals Sec. 35
	32 (p. 36)	16 V.S.A. § 563(31) designation – repeals 2006 law prohibiting designation of public school, because designation of public school was permitted explicitly in 2009 by § 827
	33 (pp. 36–37)	32 V.S.A. § 5401(13) district spending adjustment – removes exemption
(SEC pp. 2–4)	34 (pp. 37–38)	Expanded Learning Opportunities PreK-16 Council study Potential SEC #7: replace entirely so can include Governor’s Institute’s language
	35 (p. 38)	Repeal: (1) sight and hearing testing equipment (2) CTE (that was moved to another section) (3) exception to divided vote calculation (see Sec. 31)
	36 (p. 39)	16 V.S.A. § 323 district audits returned to once in every three years Potential SEC #8: strike out Sec. 36 (so requirement for annual school district audits remains in law)
NEW SEC. NUMBER	37 (p. 39)	Effective Dates – on passage (<i>grandfathers Sec. 29 for students already enrolled</i>)
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SEC Secs. (draft 1.1) (pages)		Potential SEC #9: ADD SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS
37 (pp.4–6)		16 V.S.A. § 944 dual enrollment – explicitly authorize public funding for: (1) private pay students at non-sectarian approved independent schools <i>and also?</i> (2) sectarian schools
38 (pp. 6–9)		Technology; Innovation in Education Task Force (based on House Bill H.826)
39–40 (pp. 9–11)		Privatization of Public Schools 2 year moratorium and study (S. 91 as passed by the Senate)
41 (pp. 11–12)		16 V.S.A. § 1093 student remaining enrolled in school of former residency (S. 175 as passed by the Senate)
42 (pp. 12–16)		16 V.S.A. § 243 principals; nonrenewal of contract (S. 304 as passed by the Senate)
43 (p. 16)		Student Privacy Requires AOE policies / permits SBE rules
44–45 (pp. 16–17)		16 V.S.A. § 1263 School Lunches; Nonpayment requires school district policy
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Senate Ed Decision	House Sec. # (pages in House Passed)	Topic
(sec numbers as in 3.1)		Additional Potential Sections (originally presented to Senate Committee on Finance in connection with H.889)
1–8 (pp. 18–26)		SU Board; SU; Superintendent; and School District Responsibilities
9–10 (pp. 26–28)		SU Cooperation with Other SUs for Certain Duties Option #1: SUs must contract with at least one other SU Option #2: Secretary establishes SU Service Regions and SUs required to cooperate within regions
11 (pp. 29–30)		Excess Spending Type Penalty for Noncompliance with Law
12 (p. 30)		SU Consolidation – Require SBE to consolidate existing SUs into 20 SUs
13–15 (pp. 31–32)		Paraprofessional Funding
16 (pp. 33–35)		Special Education Funding; Pilot Project
17 (p. 35)		Improperly Categorized Ed Fund Expenditures of \$1 Million