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Introduced by Representatives Marcotte of Coventry, Botzow of Pownal, Hill
of Wolcott, Kimbell of Woodstock, McCoy of Poultney, Myers
of Essex, and O’Sullivan of Burlington

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: Workforce development; education; career technical education; dual
enrollment

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to direct the
Agency of Education to assist the University of Vermont and the Vermont
State Colleges in developing memoranda of understanding with each regional
CTE center and each comprehensive high school to facilitate dual enrollment
and the awarding of secondary and postsecondary credits for career technical
courses, and to require the University of Vermont and the Vermont State
Colleges to enter into memoranda of understanding, as developed with the
Agency, with each regional CTE center.

An act relating to expanding dual enrollment opportunities for career and
technical education

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

2 Sec. 1. CTE DUAL ENROLLMENT MEMORANDA OF

3 UNDERSTANDING

4 Pursuant to 16 V.S.A. § 944(e), the Agency of Education shall assist the
5 University of Vermont and the Vermont State Colleges in developing
6 memoranda of understanding with each regional CTE center and each
7 comprehensive high school, as defined in 16 V.S.A. § 1522, to facilitate dual
8 enrollment under section 944 and the awarding of secondary and
9 postsecondary credits for career technical courses. The University of Vermont
10 and the Vermont State Colleges shall enter into memoranda of understanding,
11 as developed with the Agency, with each regional CTE center. The intent of
12 this act is to expand the recognition of dual enrollment credit for technical
13 career education courses by the University of Vermont and the Vermont State
14 Colleges. On or before January 15, 2018, the Secretary of Education shall
15 provide a progress report on the status of the memoranda of understanding to
16 the House and Senate Committees on Education, the House Committee on
17 Commerce and Economic Development, and the Senate Committee on
18 Economic Development, General Housing and General Affairs.

19 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

20 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.