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An act relating to making miscellaneous changes in education law

The House concurs in the Senate proposal of amendment with further amendment thereto as follows:

First: By striking out Sec. 3, 16 V.S.A. § 492, and its reader assistance heading in their entireties and inserting in lieu thereof a reader assistance heading and a new Sec. 3 to read:

\* \* \* Special Education Rule Change; Delay \* \* \*

Sec. 3. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION 2360 RULE SERIES; PARTIAL  
DELAY

It is the intent of the General Assembly to allow educators and staff time to adequately prepare for the delivery of special education services as required under the State Board of Education special education rules series 2360, which takes effect on July 1, 2022. Therefore, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary under 16 V.S.A. § 164 and 3 V.S.A. § 845(d), the State Board of Education shall suspend the implementation of rules 2362 and 2362.2.5 until July 1, 2023. The remaining rules under the 2360 rule series shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

Second: By striking out Sec. 4, educator workforce development; appropriation; report, and its reader assistance heading in their entireties and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 4. [Deleted.]