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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1

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(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

"AN ACT CONCERNING TRANSPARENCY IN EDUCATION."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a task force to
4 study ways to reverse the academic achievement decline in the state.

5 (b) The task force shall consist of the following members:

6 (1) One appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives;

7 (2) One appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate;

8 (3) One appointed by the majority leader of the House of
9 Representatives;

10 (4) One appointed by the majority leader of the Senate;

11 (5) One appointed by the minority leader of the House of
12 Representatives;

13 (6) One appointed by the minority leader of the Senate; and

14 (7) The Commissioner of Education, or the commissioner's designee.

15 (c) Any member of the task force appointed under subdivision (1),
16 (2), (3), (4), (5) or (6) of subsection (b) of this section may be a member
17 of the General Assembly.

18 (d) All initial appointments to the task force shall be made not later
19 than thirty days after the effective date of this section. Any vacancy shall
20 be filled by the appointing authority.

21 (e) The speaker of the House of Representatives and the president pro
22 tempore of the Senate shall select the chairpersons of the task force from
23 among the members of the task force. Such chairpersons shall schedule
24 the first meeting of the task force, which shall be held not later than sixty
25 days after the effective date of this section.

26 (f) The administrative staff of the joint standing committee of the
27 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to education
28 shall serve as administrative staff of the task force.

29 (g) Not later than January 1, 2024, the task force shall submit a report
30 on its findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of
31 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
32 education, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the
33 general statutes. The task force shall terminate on the date that it
34 submits such report or January 1, 2024, whichever is later."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section