Legislative Update

February 25, 2021

Bills reported from Education Committees

- SB 11 Strikes by public school employees are illegal
- SB 14 Third pathway to Alternative Certification
- SB 15 Advanced salary restricted to "in-field" MA after 7/1/2022
- HB 2012 Charter school revisions
- HB 2013 Educational Savings Accounts
- HB 2267 Bus operator in residence program
- HB 2536 (similar to SB 11; currently inactive)
- HB 2582 (similar to SB 14; currently inactive)

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| Bill | Senate | House |
|---------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| SB 11 | Passed | 3 rd reading on 2/26 |
| SB 14 | Passed | 3 rd reading on 2/26 |
| SB 15 | Passed | Referenced to Education |
| HB 2012 | 2 nd reading on 2/26 | Passed |
| HB 2013 | | Passed, then recalled to Finance |
| HB 2536 | | Inactive |
| HB 2582 | | Inactive |

Other bills of interest

HB 2501 – Freezes State Aid funding into 2024; calls for new formula HB 2652, 2712, 2748 – School calendar bills

In committee today:

SB 356 – Allowing driver's written exam given in driver's ed class

SB 375 – Modifying open enrollment code

HB 2362 – Implementing trauma-informed practices in schools

HB ??? – Relating to enrollment at county vocational schools