

State of Arizona
House of Representatives
Forty-sixth Legislature
First Regular Session
2003

CHAPTER 103

HOUSE BILL 2001

AN ACT

ESTABLISHING A JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON VOCATIONAL AND
TECHNOLOGICAL EDUCATION.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Joint legislative study committee on vocational and
3 technological education; study; report

4 A. The joint legislative study committee on vocational and
5 technological education is established and consists of:

6 1. Two members of the house of representatives who are appointed by
7 the speaker of the house of representatives, neither of whom shall be members
8 of the same political party. The speaker of the house of representatives
9 shall select one of the members to cochair the committee.

10 2. Two members of the senate who are appointed by the president of the
11 senate, neither of whom shall be members of the same political party. The
12 president of the senate shall select one of the members to cochair the
13 committee.

14 3. The superintendent of public instruction or the superintendent's
15 designee.

16 4. One member of an urban school district governing board in a school
17 district that offers vocational and technological education who is appointed
18 by the president of the senate.

19 5. One member who represents a school district that participates in
20 a joint technological education district who is appointed by the president
21 of the senate.

22 6. One member who is a principal of a rural school that offers
23 vocational and technological education who is appointed by the speaker of the
24 house of representatives.

25 7. One member who is a parent interested in vocational and
26 technological education who is appointed by the speaker of the house of
27 representatives.

28 8. One member who is a school district program administrator for
29 vocational and technological education who is appointed by the speaker of the
30 house of representatives.

31 9. One member of the business community who is appointed by the
32 president of the senate.

33 10. One member who represents the state board of education who is
34 appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.

35 11. One member who represents the governor's office who is appointed
36 by the governor.

37 12. One member who is a president of a community college in an urban
38 community college district that offers vocational and technological education
39 who is appointed by the president of the senate.

40 13. One member who is a president of a community college in a rural
41 community college district that offers vocational and technological education
42 who is appointed by the president of the senate.

- 1 B. The committee shall study the following:
2 1. The feasibility and cost of adding two credit hours of vocational
3 and technological education to the minimum course of study for high school
4 graduation.
5 2. All funding sources available for vocational and technological
6 education and the timeframe to access such sources.
7 3. The effect on the school day of pupils participating in vocational
8 and technological education programs.
9 4. The effect of vocational and technological education programs on
10 similar community college programs, including dual enrollment, and how, if
11 appropriate, school districts and community colleges determine average daily
12 membership and full-time student equivalent student for pupils participating
13 in such programs.
14 5. The different models for delivering vocational and technological
15 education programs and the relative efficiency of each model.
16 6. The benefits to students in vocational and technological education
17 programs compared to students in other academic education programs.
18 7. The number and type of vocational and technological courses that
19 are presently being offered in urban districts.
20 8. The number and type of vocational and technological courses that
21 are presently being offered in rural districts.
22 9. Whether school counselors at high schools encourage high school
23 students to participate in vocational and technological education courses.
24 10. Current business partnerships with high schools regarding
25 vocational and technological education.
26 C. The committee shall submit a report of its findings and
27 recommendations to the governor, the president of the senate and the speaker
28 of the house of representatives on or before December 1, 2003. The committee
29 shall provide a copy of the report to the secretary of state and the director
30 of the Arizona state library, archives and public records.
31 Sec. 2. Delayed repeal
32 This act is repealed from and after December 31, 2003.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 28, 2003.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE APRIL 28, 2003.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE
AMENDMENTS AND FINAL PASSAGE

April 23, 2003,

by the following vote: 48 Ayes,

10 Nays, 2 Not Voting

Jake Flaherty
Speaker of the House
Norman L. Moore
Chief Clerk of the House

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR

This Bill was received by the Governor this

23 day of April, 2003,

at 11:44 o'clock A M.

Sandra Ramirez
Secretary to the Governor

Approved this 28 day of

April, 2003,

at 3³⁰ o'clock P M.

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Governor of Arizona

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 28 day of April, 2003,

at 4:51 o'clock P M.

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

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