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HOUSE BILL No. 1242

Proposed Changes to introduced printing by AM124202

DIGEST OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Charter and eligible schools. Requires the report to include information regarding charter schools and schools that participate in the choice scholarship program.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 20-19-3-41.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 41.3. (a) As used in this section,
4 "eligible school" has the meaning set forth in IC 20-51-1-4.7.

5 (b) The department shall prepare a report compiling
6 statewide data on school corporations, charter schools, and
7 eligible schools. The report must include the following
8 information:

9 (1) The total number of school corporations, charter
10 schools, and eligible schools in Indiana disaggregated by:

11 (A) county population;
12 (B) the number of school corporations, charter schools,
13 and eligible schools per county; and
14 (C) the number of students enrolled in each school
15 corporation, charter school, and eligible school. <

16 ➤ (2) Recommendations to:
17 (A) increase school corporation, charter school, and
18 eligible school administrative efficiencies; and
19 (B) reduce school corporation, charter school, and
20 eligible school administrative costs.

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1 (↔[c]) Not later than September 1, 2026, the department
2 shall, in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6, submit the report
3 prepared under subsection (↔[b]) to the:

4 (1) legislative council; and
5 (2) interim study committee on education established by
6 IC 2-5-1.3-4.

7 I (↔[d]) This section expires December 31, 2026.I
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