

Amendment No. 335

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 397

(BDR 34-131)

Proposed by: Committee on Education**Amendment Box:****Resolves Conflicts with:** N/A**Amends:** Summary: No Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: No

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Amend section 1, page 5, by deleting line 14 and inserting:

“~~[(3)]~~ (4) A certificate of ~~[attendance.]~~ *credit completion.*”.

Amend sec. 2, page 11, by deleting line 4 and inserting:

“~~[(3)]~~ (4) A certificate of ~~[attendance.]~~ *credit completion.*”.

Amend sec. 4, pages 13 and 14, by deleting line 45 on page 13 and lines 1 through 4 on page 14,
and inserting:

*“for graduation from high school and passes the high school proficiency examination
administered pursuant to NRS 389.015.”.*

Amend sec. 4, page 14, line 8, by deleting “*school.*” and inserting:“*school and he:*(a) *Receives the minimum composite score established by the State Board; and*

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A.B. No. 397—Revises provisions governing diplomas and high school proficiency examination.

(b) Satisfies the alternative criteria prescribed by the State Board pursuant to subsection 5.”.

Amend sec. 4, page 14, line 17, by deleting “*attendance*” and inserting “*credit completion*”.

Amend sec. 4, page 14, by deleting lines 21 through 37 and inserting:

“credit completion.

5. The State Board shall adopt regulations that prescribe:

(a) The alternative criteria for receipt of a standard diploma;

(b) The composite score that a pupil must receive on the high school proficiency examination for receipt of a standard diploma; and

(c) The endorsements that may be added to a diploma. A pupil must be allowed to receive more than one endorsement to his diploma if he satisfies the requirements for each endorsement.

6. A homeschooled child who desires to obtain a diploma designated as a Nevada homeschool diploma may take the high school proficiency examination. If a homeschooled child:

(a) Passes all portions of the high school proficiency examination, he must be awarded an advanced Nevada homeschool diploma; or

(b) Receives the composite score prescribed by the State Board, he must be awarded a standard Nevada homeschool diploma.”.

Amend sec. 8, page 20, by deleting lines 13 through 15 and inserting:

“limitation, an explanation that if the pupil fails the examination or does not receive the composite score prescribed by the State Board, he is not eligible to receive a [standard] high school diploma;”.

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sections 9 and 10 and renumbering sections 11 and 12 as sections 9 and 10.

Amend sec. 11, page 24, by deleting lines 22 and 23 and inserting:

“who must pass the examination *or receive the composite score established by the State Board of Education* before the completion of grade 12 to graduate with a ~~standard~~ high”.

Amend sec. 12, page 24, line 25, by deleting “February” and inserting “January”.

Amend sec. 12, page 24, by deleting lines 27 and 28 and inserting:

“the alternative criteria for receipt of a standard high school diploma, the composite score required for receipt of a standard high school diploma and the endorsements that may be added to a high school diploma. The regulations must be effective on January 1, 2006, for application to the pupils who graduate in 2006 and”.

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sec. 13, renumbering sec. 14 as sec. 12 and adding a new section designated sec. 11, following sec. 12, to read as follows:

“**Sec. 11.** On or before the commencement of the 2006-2007 school year, the State Board of Education shall enter into an agreement or agreements necessary to allow a pupil to retake a portion or portions of the high school proficiency examination in lieu of retaking the entire examination.”.

Amend sec. 14, pages 24 and 25, by deleting lines 44 and 45 on page 24 and lines 1 through 7 on page 25, and inserting:

“**Sec. 12.** 1. This section and sections 10 and 11 of this act become effective on July 1, 2005.

2. Section 4 of this act becomes effective on July 1, 2005, for the purpose of adopting regulations and on January 1, 2006, for all other purposes.

3. Sections 1, 2, 3, 8 and 9 of this act become effective on January 1, 2006.

4. Sections 5 and 6 of this act become effective on July 1, 2006.”.

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

“AN ACT relating to education; designating the types of diplomas that may be issued to pupils; requiring the State Board of Education to establish alternative criteria and a composite score on the high school proficiency examination for the receipt of a standard diploma; authorizing homeschooled children to take the high school proficiency examination to receive a diploma; revising various other provisions governing the high school proficiency examination; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.”.