



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 740

LCO No. 2132



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT CONCERNING CRITICAL SKILLS IN DEMAND BY
EMPLOYERS IN THE STATE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Office of
- 2 Workforce Strategy to (1) inventory critical skills that are in demand by
- 3 employers in the state, and (2) jointly with Charter Oak State College,
- 4 identify or develop a process of assessing and certifying such critical
- 5 skills.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Office of Workforce Strategy to provide a way to earn
credentials for critical skills in demand by employers in the state.