

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 7131

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LCO No. **5530** 

Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by: (HED)

## AN ACT CONCERNING FINANCIAL AID FOR STUDENTS IN PARAMEDIC CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS.

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

1	Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2025) Not later than January 1, 2026,	
2	and annually thereafter, the Office of Workforce Strategy shall (1)	
3	identify several public or private sources of financial aid that are	
4	available to a student in each paramedic certificate program approved	
5	by the Office of Emergency Medical Services, (2) post a list of such	
6	financial aid sources on its Internet web site, and (3) distribute such list	
7	to each such paramedic certificate program.	

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2025	New section	

## Statement of Purpose:

To require the Office of Workforce Strategy to identify and publicize sources of financial aid for students in paramedic certificate programs.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]