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Session Year 2026
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Introducer(s):

Education Committee

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PARAEDUCATOR HEALTH CARE SUBSIDY PROGRAM.

Statement of Purpose: To clarify eligibility of paraeducators employed in public schools, including, but not limited to, charter schools, for the health care subsidy program.

Bill History:

02-18-2026 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Education Committee

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03-05-2026 FAVORABLE CHANGE OF REFERENCE, SENATE TO COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee

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