FULL COMMITTEE PONY

HB 3335 Relating to university degree programs

HB 3335 directs the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to work with public universities to develop solutions for students who successfully complete two or more years of coursework and then leave the university without graduating and without any official recognition of the academic accomplishments.

The legislation is repealed on July 1, 2020.

The bill had an estimated fiscal impact related to a limited duration position to support the work with universities; however, no appropriations have been made. The Higher Education Coordinating Commission is directed to absorb the workload associated with this legislation by using existing resources already provided in the agency budget.

The Education Subcommittee recommends HB 3335 be reported out do pass.