

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 324, Page 2, Section 167.161, Line 32, by  
2 inserting immediately after said line the following:

3 "167.266. 1. Beginning with the 2017-18 school year, the board of education of a school  
4 district or a charter school that is a local educational agency may establish an academic and career  
5 counseling program in cooperation with parents and the local community that is in the best interest  
6 of and meets the needs of students in the community. School districts and local educational  
7 agencies may use the Missouri comprehensive guidance and counseling program as a resource for  
8 the development of a district's or local educational agency's program. The department of  
9 elementary and secondary education shall develop a process for recognition of a school district's  
10 academic and career counseling program established in cooperation with parents and the local  
11 community no later than January 1, 2018.

12 2. The state board of education shall promulgate rules and regulations for the  
13 implementation of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section  
14 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it  
15 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section  
16 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the  
17 general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and  
18 annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any  
19 rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2017, shall be invalid and void."; and

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21 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
22 accordingly.

Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_