HOUSE BILL NO. HB0137

Hathaway eligibility requirements.

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for

| 1 | AN ACT relating to the Hathaway scholarship program; |
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| 2 | modifying the Hathaway success curriculum; requiring a study; |
| 3 | and providing for an effective date. |
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| 5 | Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming: |
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| 7 | Section 1. W.S. 21-16-1307(b)(intro), (vi)(intro), |
| 8 | (d)(intro), (vi)(intro), (e)(intro), (iii)(intro), |
| 9 | (f)(intro) and by creating a new subsection (h) is amended to |
| 10 | read: |
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| 12 | 21-16-1307. Success curriculum; test standards. |
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| 14 | (b) The success curriculum required to qualify for |
| 15 | honor or performance scholarship eligibility under this |

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| 1 | article for students graduating from high school in the school |
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| 2 | year 2018-2019 school year and each school year thereafter |
| 3 | through school year 2021-2022 shall be as follows: |
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| 5 | (vi) Effective school year 2015-2016 and each |
| 6 | school year thereafter ending with school year 2021-2022: |
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| 8 | (d) The success curriculum required to qualify for |
| 9 | opportunity scholarship eligibility under this article for |
| 10 | students graduating from high school in the school year |
| 11 | 2010-2011 school year and each school year thereafter through |
| 12 | school year 2021-2022 shall be as follows: |
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| 14 | (vi) Effective school year 2015-2016 and each |
| 15 | school year thereafter ending with school year 2021-2022, and |
| 16 | in lieu of paragraph (v) of this subsection, one (1) of the |
| 17 | following: |
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| 19 | (e) The success curriculum required to qualify for |
| 20 | provisional opportunity scholarship eligibility under this |
| 21 | article for students graduating from high school in the school |
| 22 | year 2010-2011 school year and each school year thereafter |
| 23 | through school year 2021-2022 shall be the curriculum |
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1 for high school graduation required under W.S. 2 21-2-304(a)(iii) subject to the following: 3 4 (iii) Effective school year 2015-2016 and each school year thereafter ending with school year 2021-2022, and 5 in lieu of paragraph (ii) of this subsection, instruction in 6 7 one (1) of the following: 8 9 success curricula (f) The courses set forth as 10 requirements under this article shall be aligned with the 11 student content and performance standards established 12 pursuant to W.S. 21-2-304(a)(iii). Through school year 2021-2022 only, the department shall by rule and regulation: 13 14 (h) The success curriculum required to qualify for a 15 honor, performance, opportunity or provisional opportunity 16 17 scholarship under this article for students graduating from high school in school year 2022-2023 and each school year 18 19 thereafter shall be the curriculum required for high school 20 graduation under W.S. 21-2-304(a)(iii). 21

Section 2. The joint education interim committee shall
conduct a study of the Hathaway scholarship program during

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the 2019 interim. The committee shall examine program components, including the success curriculum, and shall sponsor any recommended legislation to change the program for consideration of the legislature during the 2020 session. The Wyoming department of education, state board of education and Wyoming school districts shall provide assistance to the committee in its study as requested by the committee.

9 Section 3. This act is effective immediately upon 10 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as 11 provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution. 12

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