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S 161. TEST HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES FOR STEROIDS. Filed 2/13/07. *DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ADOPT RULES REQUIRING RANDOM TESTING OF STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES FOR PERFORMANCE ENHANCING DRUGS.* Rewrites GS 115C-12(23) to impose an affirmative duty on the State Board of Education, before the 2007-08 school year, to adopt rules pertaining to students who participate in interscholastic athletic activities (1) prohibiting the use of performance enhancing drugs, (2) requiring random testing for these drugs, and (3) banning participation in interscholastic athletic activities for students who test positive for prohibited drugs or who refuse to be tested.

Intro. by Forrester.

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