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H 57. HIGH SCHOOL PILOT PROG./INTERNATIONAL STUDIES. Filed 2/4/09.

APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A HIGH SCHOOL PILOT PROGRAM FOCUSING ON CRITICAL FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND FOREIGN AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS.

Appropriates \$500,000 for 2009-10 and \$500,000 for 2010-11 from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction as title indicates. Provides that the pilot program is to be established in two local school administrative units selected by the State Board of Education (SBE) with assistance from the Department of Public Instruction. Directs that up to two high schools in each pilot implement the program and begin classes in the first semester of the 2010-2011 school year. Directs the SBE to expedite approval of the curriculum for the pilot program. Effective July 1, 2009.

Intro. by Glazier.

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