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H. F. No. 727

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to education; providing postsecondary enrollment options program  
1.3 information to students and parents; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section  
1.4 124D.09, subdivision 9.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 124D.09, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

1.7 Subd. 9. **Enrollment priority.** (a) A postsecondary institution shall give priority to  
1.8 its postsecondary students when enrolling 10th, 11th, and 12th grade pupils in its courses.  
1.9 A postsecondary institution may provide information about its programs to a secondary  
1.10 school or to a pupil or parent and it may advertise or otherwise recruit or solicit a secondary  
1.11 pupil to enroll in its programs on educational and programmatic grounds only except,  
1.12 notwithstanding other law to the contrary, and for the 2014-2015 through 2019-2020  
1.13 school years only, an eligible postsecondary institution may advertise or otherwise recruit  
1.14 or solicit a secondary pupil ~~residing in a school district with 700 students or more in~~  
1.15 ~~grades 10, 11, and 12,~~ to enroll in its programs on educational, programmatic, or financial  
1.16 grounds. An institution must not enroll secondary pupils, for postsecondary enrollment  
1.17 options purposes, in remedial, developmental, or other courses that are not college level  
1.18 except when a student eligible to participate in the graduation incentives program under  
1.19 section 124D.68 enrolls full time in a middle or early college program specifically  
1.20 designed to allow the student to earn dual high school and college credit. In this case, the  
1.21 student shall receive developmental college credit and not college credit for completing  
1.22 remedial or developmental courses. Once a pupil has been enrolled in any postsecondary  
1.23 course under this section, the pupil shall not be displaced by another student.

2.1 (b) If a postsecondary institution enrolls a secondary school pupil in a course  
2.2 under this section, the postsecondary institution also must enroll in the same course an  
2.3 otherwise enrolled and qualified postsecondary student who qualifies as a veteran under  
2.4 section 197.447, and demonstrates to the postsecondary institution's satisfaction that the  
2.5 institution's established enrollment timelines were not practicable for that student.

2.6 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.