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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 179 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17.
- 2 Delete page 2.
- 3 Page 3, delete lines 1 through 27.
- 4 Page 3, between lines 30 and 31, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 5 **"(b) As used in this SECTION, "virtual instruction course"**
- 6 **means a Core 40 course or credit requirement that is provided in**
- 7 **an interactive learning environment created through technology in**
- 8 **which students are separated from their teachers by time or space,**
- 9 **or both."**
- 10 Page 3, line 31, delete "(b)" and insert "(c)".
- 11 Page 3, delete lines 35 through 42, begin a new line block indented
- 12 and insert:
- 13 **(1) Study the feasibility of implementing a requirement that**
- 14 **all school corporations and charter schools must offer virtual**
- 15 **instruction courses.**
- 16 **(2) Study the costs and savings to a school corporation or a**
- 17 **charter school relating to the implementation of virtual**
- 18 **instruction courses.**
- 19 **(3) Study issues relating to the accessibility and instruction of**
- 20 **a virtual instruction course.**
- 21 **(4) Study how the school funding formula in the state budget**
- 22 **for the state fiscal years beginning July 1, 2013, and ending**
- 23 **June 30, 2015, may be adjusted to recognize the achievement**
- 24 **of objectives under this act for a school corporation or**

- 1 charter school that implements virtual instruction courses.
- 2 **(5) Study any additional topics the legislative council**
- 3 **considers necessary."**
- 4 Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5.
- 5 Page 4, line 6, delete "(c)" and insert "**(d)**".
- 6 Page 4, line 20, delete "(d)" and insert "**(e)**".
- 7 Page 4, between lines 20 and 21, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 8 "SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] **(a) As used in this**
- 9 **SECTION, "virtual instruction course" means a Core 40 course or**
- 10 **credit requirement that is provided in an interactive learning**
- 11 **environment created through technology in which students are**
- 12 **separated from their teachers by time or space, or both.**
- 13 **(b) Before December 1, 2012, the department of education shall**
- 14 **conduct an audit of school corporations to determine each school**
- 15 **corporation's ability to offer virtual instruction courses. The audit**
- 16 **must determine whether a school corporation has appropriate**
- 17 **technological capabilities and enough equipment to accommodate**
- 18 **the students who will be completing virtual instruction courses.**
- 19 **(c) The department of education shall send a report providing**
- 20 **a detailed summary of the results of the audit to the legislative**
- 21 **council in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6. A copy of the**
- 22 **report must also be posted on the department of education's**
- 23 **Internet web site.**
- 24 **(d) This SECTION expires January 1, 2013."**
- 25 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
(Reference is to ESB 179 as printed February 17, 2012.)

Representative Porter