

SENATE BILL No. 357

By Committee on Education

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1 AN ACT concerning education; relating to career technical education; cost
2 study by the department of education; amending K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 72-
3 296 and repealing the existing section.
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 72-296 is hereby amended to read as
7 follows: 72-296. (a) The state department of education shall conduct a
8 study of the cost of career technical education programs offered by school
9 districts, including, but not limited to, the following:

10 (1) The career technical education programs offered by school
11 districts;

12 (2) the costs associated with offering such programs, including
13 salaries and wages, materials, equipment and facilities; and

14 (3) the coordination between school districts, community colleges
15 and technical colleges in offering such programs.

16 (b) On or before January 15, ~~2018~~ 2019, the state department of
17 education shall prepare a report on its findings and shall make
18 recommendations on amendments to the Kansas school equity and
19 enhancement act, K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 72-5131 et seq., and amendments
20 thereto, for the financing of career technical education programs using a
21 tiered technical education model or other funding model. The report shall
22 be submitted to the governor and the legislature.

23 (c) The provisions of this section shall expire on July 1, ~~2018~~ 2019.

24 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 72-296 is hereby repealed.

25 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
26 publication in the statute book.