

SENATE BILL NO. 1289

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR CARTER.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal section 160.527, RSMo, relating to health and family education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 160.527, RSMo, is repealed, to read as follows:

2 follows:
3 [160.527. 1. The one-half unit of credit
4 in health education required by the state board
5 of education shall be renamed "Health and Family
6 Education" for the 2024-25 school year and all
7 subsequent school years.]

8 2. The state board of education shall
9 convene a work group to develop and recommend
10 academic performance standards relating to the
11 one-half unit of credit of health and family
12 education required by the board. The work group
13 shall include, but not be limited to, educators
14 providing instruction in health education and
15 family and consumer science in grades nine to
16 twelve, representatives from the department of
17 elementary and secondary education, and
18 nonprofit organizations that focus on public
19 health, parenting, and social services. The
20 work group shall develop written curriculum
21 frameworks relating to health and family
22 education with an emphasis on behavioral health
23 relating to the causes of morbidity and
24 mortality of youth, chronic disease management,
25 and parenting skills associated with optimal
26 family health over a lifetime that may be used
27 by school districts.]

28 3. The state board of education shall
29 adopt and implement academic performance
30 standards relating to health and family
31 education for the 2024-25 school year and all
32 subsequent school years.]

4. The requirements of section 160.514 shall not apply to this section.]



EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.