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Introduced by M. of A. NOLAN, BRINDISI, MOSLEY -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education -- recommitted to the Committee on Education in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to authorizing private special education schools to seek department approval to offer alternative high school equivalency preparation programs

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 305 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 13-a to read as follows:

13-a. The commissioner shall promulgate regulations authorizing private special education schools to seek department approval to operate, administer, offer, or otherwise participate in an alternative high school equivalency preparation program. Such regulations shall ensure that students selected for an alternative high school equivalency preparation program is limited to those students with a credit deficiency that cannot be made up before they turn twenty-one years of age.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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