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## HOUSE BILL 736 By Lafferty

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to on-the-job training.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE: SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2406, is amended by deleting the section and substituting instead the following:

(a) The office of research and education accountability (OREA) in the office of the comptroller of the treasury shall study and report on whether community schools are providing on-the-job training opportunities to students by working with community businesses or other community partners. The OREA shall examine the number of students participating in any on-the-job training opportunities provided by community schools and whether community schools' on-the-job training opportunities have directly resulted in students obtaining employment after graduating from high school.

(b) The OREA shall file a report containing the findings and conclusions of the study, including any recommendations, with the education committee of the senate and the education committee of the house of representatives no later than January 1, 2020. SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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