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HOUSE BILL 1030: 2016 Appropriations Act, Sec. 10.5: Clarify Career-and College-Ready Graduation Program

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OVERVIEW: Sec. 10.5 of S.L. 2016-94 makes changes to the requirements regarding the Careerand College-Ready Graduate Program (Program) to include the following:

- Provides that the State Board of Community Colleges (SBCC), in consultation with the State Board of Education (SBE), must implement model programs beginning with the 2016-2017 school year.
- Requires full implementation of the Program in all high schools statewide beginning with the 2018-2019 school year.
- Requires the SBCC and the SBE to jointly report to the Joint Legislative Education Oversight Committee as follows:
 - By March 15, 2017, the outcomes of model programs implemented in the 2016-2017 school year and suggested statutory changes.
 - By March 15, 2018, the implementation and professional development efforts in the 2017-2018 school year and information on final changes in curriculum, policy, and rules for implementation of the Program statewide in the 2018-2019 school year.
 - No later than October 15, 2019, and annually thereafter, on program outcomes, including impact on remediation rates in mathematics and reading and English for recent high school graduates entering a North Carolina community college or constituent institution of The University of North Carolina.

This section became effective July 1, 2016.

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