HB 1595 -- SCHOOL BOARD TRAINING

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This bill establishes continuing education requirements for school board members. Within the first year of each additional term of office, the member must complete at least six hours of training. Board members in districts that are provisionally accredited, have any school scoring at less than fully accredited, or the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education identifies as needing extra support must complete a total of 12 hours of training annually, with six hours on subjects specified in the bill. Failure to comply with the training requirements will result in forfeiture of office.