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Offered By

AMEND House Amendment No. \_\_\_\_ to House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill Nos. 681 & 662, Page 1, Line 1, by inserting after the number "662," the following:

"Page 21, Section 161.700, Lines 20-22, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"5. The term [~~"holocaust"~~] "Holocaust" shall be defined as the [~~period from 1933 through 1945 when~~] systematic, state-sponsored persecution and murder of six million Jews [and millions of others were murdered] by the Nazi [Germany] regime and its allies and collaborators [~~as part of a structured, state-sanctioned program of genocide~~] during the period from 1933 through 1945."; and

Further amend said bill, page and section, Lines 32-52, by deleting said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(a) Information providing a historical understanding of the Holocaust to offer context for the discussion of how and why the Holocaust happened;

(b) Participation, in person or using technology, in learning projects about the Holocaust;  
and

(c) The use of materials developed or supported by the Holocaust education and awareness commission, the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, or the St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum.

(3) Based on the instructional materials provided under paragraph (c) of subdivision (2) of this subsection, the department of elementary and secondary education shall develop a curriculum framework of instruction for studying the Holocaust. The department shall make such curriculum framework available to up to twenty-five school districts or schools within a district, with at least one district or school within each of the nine regional professional development centers, as defined by the department, as a pilot program in consultation with the Holocaust education and awareness commission beginning in the 2023-2024 school year.

Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

1           (4) Each school district participating in the pilot program shall adopt the curriculum  
2 framework provided by the department under subdivision (3) of this subsection in the 2023-2024  
3 school year. Each school district shall determine the minimum amount of instruction time that  
4 qualifies as a unit of instruction satisfying the requirements of this subsection.

5           (5) Each participating school district shall provide a plan of professional development for  
6 teachers to ensure such teachers are adequately prepared to provide the instruction required under  
7 this subsection.

8           (6) This subsection shall apply to schools participating in the pilot program starting in the  
9 2023-2024 school year and the program shall be expanded in all subsequent school years, with all  
10 school districts participating by the 2025-2026 school year.

11           (7) The department shall provide for a program evaluation regarding the success and impact  
12 of the pilot program upon completion of the first year of the pilot program and shall report the  
13 results of such evaluation to the general assembly. The department may consult with organizations  
14 including but not limited to the Holocaust education and awareness commission, the United States  
15 Holocaust Museum, or the St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum to develop the  
16 evaluation."; and

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18 Further amend said bill,"; and

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20 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
21 accordingly.

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23 THIS AMENDS 4133H10.17H