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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012

AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION -- PRIVATE SCHOOLS

<u>Introduced By:</u> Senators Gallo, Miller, Ruggerio, Goodwin, and Jabour

Date Introduced: January 18, 2012

Referred To: Senate Education

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 16-40 of the General Laws entitled "Private Schools" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:
- 3 <u>16-40-10.3. Neumont University. Notwithstanding any rule, regulation or general law</u>
- 4 to the contrary Neumont University shall be authorized to grant associate and bachelor degrees
- 5 provided that it is in compliance with regulations and standards for approval adopted by the board
- 6 <u>of governors for higher education.</u>
- 7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

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This act would grant Neumont University authority to grant associate and bachelor degrees provided that it is in compliance with regulations and standards for approval adopted by the board of governors for higher education.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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