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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2016**

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## AN ACT

#### RELATING TO EDUCATION - ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR PARTICIPATION IN ROTC

 $\underline{Introduced\ By:}\ Representatives\ Lancia,\ Amore,\ O'Brien,\ Marshall,\ and\ Nardolillo$ 

Date Introduced: April 07, 2016

Referred To: House Health, Education & Welfare

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 16-101 of the General Laws entitled "Academic Credit For Military
- 2 Service" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:
- 3 <u>16-101-2. Credit for junior ROTC.</u> The council on elementary and secondary
- 4 education shall adopt policies or regulations requiring each high school to award educational
- 5 credits to a student enrolled in the institution, based upon the student's participation in a high
- 6 school ROTC program.
- 7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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# EXPLANATION

# BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This act would require the council on elementary and secondary education to develop policy or regulations regarding academic credit for high school ROTC participation.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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