

**HOUSE BILL No. 2631**

By Committee on Appropriations

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1 AN ACT concerning education; relating to career technical education;  
2 enacting the career technical education credential and transition  
3 incentive for employment success act; providing state aid to school  
4 districts for students obtaining a credential; establishing the career  
5 technical education credential and transition incentive fund.  
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7 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

8 Section 1. (a) This section shall be known and may be cited as the  
9 career technical education credential and transition incentive for  
10 employment success act.

11 (b) Subject to the availability of appropriations and within the limits  
12 of any such appropriations, a school district that offers career technical  
13 education and has students who obtain a career technical education  
14 credential shall receive payments pursuant to this section. Each school  
15 year, the state board of education shall determine the amount of such  
16 payment to each school district as follows:

17 (1) Determine the number of students enrolled in the school district  
18 who obtained an industry-recognized career technical education credential  
19 during the immediately preceding school year;

20 (2) determine the total cost of assessment for each such credential  
21 obtained by such students in such school year; and

22 (3) multiply the amount calculated under paragraph (2) by 1.2. The  
23 resulting product is the amount of payment the school district is to receive  
24 from the career technical education credential and transition incentive fund  
25 in the school year.

26 (c) There is hereby established in the state treasury the career  
27 technical education credential and transition incentive fund. The career  
28 technical education credential and transition incentive fund shall be  
29 administered by the state board of education and shall consist of all  
30 moneys transferred thereto under the provisions of subsection (d).

31 (d) The state board shall certify to the director of accounts and reports  
32 the aggregate amount of payments determined under the provisions of  
33 subsection (b), and an amount equal thereto shall be transferred by the  
34 director from the state general fund to the career technical education  
35 credential and transition incentive fund for distribution to school districts.  
36 All transfers made in accordance with the provisions of this subsection

1 shall be considered to be demand transfers from the state general fund.

2 (e) Payments from the career technical education credential and  
3 transition incentive fund shall be distributed to school districts at times  
4 determined by the state board of education. The state board of education  
5 shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount due each  
6 school district, and the director of accounts and reports shall draw a  
7 warrant on the state treasury payable to the treasurer of the school district.  
8 Upon receipt of the warrant, the treasurer of the school district shall credit  
9 the amount thereof to the career technical education fund of the school  
10 district to be used for the purposes of such fund.

11 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
12 publication in the statute book.