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MEMORANDUM

February 27, 2009

SUBJECT: Sectional Summary of SB 109 (Work Order No. 26-LS0527\A)

TO: Senator Bettye Davis
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FROM: Jean M. Mischel
Legislative Counsel



You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill and the bill itself is the best statement of its contents. If you would like an interpretation of the bill as it may apply to a particular set of circumstances, please advise.

Section 1. Deletes the high school competency examination reference in the Department of Education and Early Development's annual report to the legislature.

Section 2. Deletes the high school competency examination reference in the Department of Education and Early Development's annual report to the public on school performance.

Section 3. Deletes the high school competency examination reference in the Department of Education and Early Development's school accountability system.

Section 4. Deletes the high school competency examination reference in the charter school operational requirements.

Section 5. Repeals the high school competency test requirements.

Section 6. Provides a July 1, 2011, effective date.

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