

Colorado Community College System

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HB08-1079	JAHN / BACON	Colorado Vocational Act Career Technical	<i>Replaces the term "vocational education" with the term "career and technical education" in specified statutes. Requires specified moneys to be distributed based on actual, rather than estimated, expenditures by participating school districts, boards of cooperative services, and institute charter schools. Amends the standards for eligibility for grants of specified moneys. Changes the date by which the state board for community colleges and occupational education shall report to the joint budget committee and the house of representatives and senate education committees concerning the implementation and results of specified programs.</i>	04/07/2008 Governor Action - Signed	NOT ON CALENDAR	
SB08-017	SPENCE / PRIMAVERA	Occupational Education Credentialing	Legislative Audit Committee. Retains authority in the state board for community colleges and occupational education ("state board") for establishing minimum qualifications necessary for teachers and other professionals in occupational education at both the secondary and postsecondary levels. Places with the state board the authority for issuing credentials, including establishing and charging fees, for postsecondary occupational education teachers and professionals, but allows the state board to delegate to a postsecondary institution the authority to issue the credentials. Retains in the department of education the authority for issuing credentials, including establishing and charging fees, for junior high school, middle school, and high school occupational education teachers and professionals.	01/09/2008 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Education 01/09/2008 Introduced In Senate - Assigned to Education + Appropriations 01/16/2008 Senate Committee on Education Refer Unamended to Appropriations 02/15/2008 Senate Committee on Appropriations Pass Amended to Senate Committee of the Whole 02/22/2008 Senate Second Reading Passed with Amendments	NOT ON CALENDAR	

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