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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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02/23/2012	.	
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The Committee on Health Regulation (Sobel) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Beginning with the 2012-2013 school year, the parent or guardian of each student entering grade 6 shall be provided information on the availability of vaccination against human papillomavirus as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). Such information shall be approved by the Department of Health for dissemination by the Department of Education. The information will, at a minimum, include the



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13 connection between the human papillomavirus and cervical cancer
14 as well as other cancers and diseases. The information must also
15 notify the parent or guardian that a vaccine is available to
16 help prevent human papillomavirus infection and that the vaccine
17 is recommended to be given before grade 7 entry.

18 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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20 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

21 And the title is amended as follows:

22 Delete everything before the enacting clause
23 and insert:

24 A bill to be entitled
25 An act relating to the human papillomavirus; requiring
26 information regarding the human papillomavirus, its
27 effects, and available vaccines to parents or
28 guardians of all children entering grade 6; providing
29 an effective date.