FULL COMMITTEE PONY

SB 860 Relating to university pilot programs

SB 860 directs the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to select, by January 1, 2016, one large and one small public university to participate in a pilot program to receive funding to hire one position which will coordinate opportunities for student career advising and mentorship available through the university's academic advising center, career services center, and alumni network or alumni foundations.

The Subcommittee recommends adoption of an amendment which appropriates \$427,500 General Fund to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to be allocated to the two public universities that are selected for the pilot program.

The Education Subcommittee recommends SB 860 be amended by the -A3 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.