HB 3254 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Economic Development and Small Business

Action Date: 04/04/23

Action: Without recommendation as to passage and be referred to

Rules. **Vote:** 11-0-0-0

Yeas: 11 - Bynum, Diehl, Elmer, Javadi, Lively, Morgan, Nguyen D, Osborne, Pham H, Ruiz,

Walters

Fiscal: Fiscal impact issued
Revenue: Revenue impact issued
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Meeting Dates: 4/4

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) to establish statewide semiconductor industry consortium for purpose of building strategic partnerships between semiconductor industry, institutions of education, workforce organizations, and community-based organizations. Requires consortium to develop comprehensive educational curriculum framework. Requires HECC to appoint panel led by representatives of semiconductor industry. Requires HECC and industry panel to develop method for providing financial rewards to institutions of education that produce graduates with academic degrees that lead to employment in semiconductor industry. Appropriates funds to HECC for purpose of establishing education curriculum framework, industry consortium and new academic programs. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2023.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

• Transfer of measure to House Committee on Rules

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

This document is only for the purpose of transferring the measure to the House Committee on Rules.