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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Education

Measure: HB3068

Please vote yes on HB 3068

Provides alternative pathway for students: HB3068 awards an 11th or 12th grader who obtains a GED with a high school diploma, providing an alternative pathway for students who may face challenges that prevent them from finishing high school in the traditional way.

Creates new opportunities: By awarding a high school diploma to students who obtain a GED, HB3068 will help these students overcome the stigma associated with not having a high school diploma and create new opportunities, including access to higher education, better-paying jobs, and more fulfilling careers.

Benefits for individuals and communities: The bill will benefit the students who earn the diploma, the communities they live in, and the state as a whole by creating a more educated and prosperous workforce, reducing poverty, and improving public health and safety.

Win-win solution: HB3068 is a win-win for everyone involved. It provides an important recognition of students' achievements, helps them succeed in life, and contributes to the overall well-being of the state.

Thank you