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SYNOPSIS

Recognizes American Sign Language as a world language for meeting high school graduation requirements.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Senate Education Committee on January 29, 2015, with amendments.



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1 AN ACT concerning world language graduation requirements and
2 supplementing chapter 35 of Title 18A of the New Jersey
3 Statutes.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
6 *of New Jersey:*

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8 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law, rule or regulation
9 to the contrary, American Sign Language shall be recognized as a
10 world language for the purpose of meeting any State or local world
11 language requirement for high school graduation.

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13 2. This act shall take effect ¹**[immediately]** on July 1 of the first
14 school year following enactment¹.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Senate SED committee amendments adopted January 29, 2015.