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SENATE BILL 542*

Short Title: Cybersecurity Regional Training Center. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Hise (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

April 3, 2019

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT PERTAINING TO THE CYBERSECURITY REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Section 37.2 of S.L. 2018-5 reads as rewritten:

"SECTION 37.2.(a) The Department of Information Technology shall ~~partner with~~ assist Montreat College ~~to establish~~ with establishing a Cybersecurity Regional Training Center (CRTC) in Black Mountain. The Department shall assist in the development of the CRTC and its mission to increase cyber hygiene for State and local government employees and the private sector, enhance the skillset of cybersecurity professionals, and allow for collaboration of public and private entities, industry, and academia to develop new technology, tactics, techniques, and procedures in cybersecurity.

"SECTION 37.2.(b) Of the funds appropriated to the Department of Information Technology for the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, the sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) from the Information Technology Reserve Fund balance shall be ~~used to assist~~ disbursed to Montreat College ~~in establishing~~ to establish the CRTC pursuant to this section."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

