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Sec. X. CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION; APPROPRIATIONS

In fiscal year 2022, the following amounts are awarded from [the General Fund] [ARPA Funds] to the following recipients for the purposes specified:

(1) Career and Technical Education Adult Training Scholarships.

(A) \$100,000.00 to the Vermont Student Assistance Corporation for CTE Adult Training Scholarships to provide not more than \$1,000.00 in tuition support to students enrolled in workforce development programs at Adult Career and Technical Education Centers.

(B) Funding may be used for standalone grants or for supplemental grants to the VSAC Advancement Grant.

(C) Eligible students may be nominated by a VSAC Outreach Counselor or a caseworker from the Vermont Department of Labor.

(2) Career and Technical Education equipment purchasing.

(A) \$150,000.00 to the Vermont Agency of Education to award grants of not more than \$20,000 to Adult Career and Technical Education Centers for the purchase of equipment needed to launch or sustain workforce development programs in high-growth, high-need sectors.

(B) The Agency of Education shall collaborate with the Vermont Adult Career and Technical Education Association and the Vermont Department of Labor to create a competitive grant program.

1           (3) CTE program development and instruction.

2           (A) \$150,000.00 to the Agency of Education to provide adult CTE  
3           coordinators with access to curriculum development experts to build local  
4           programs that are needed to address local or regional workforce development  
5           needs.

6           (B) The Agency shall collaborate with the Adult Career and  
7           Technical Education Association and the Vermont Department of Labor to  
8           make awards of not more than \$20,000.00.