

(3) Report. The Department of Labor shall consider the goals and purposes outlined in subdivision (2) of this subsection and, in consultation and cooperation with the stakeholders listed below, shall issue a report to the General Assembly on the design, implementation, and cost of an integrated adult career and technical education system that achieves the results specified in subdivision (2) of this subsection.

(b) Stakeholders. The Department shall consult with the following organizations and stakeholders in developing the report:

- (1) Agency of Education
- (2) Agency of Commerce and Community Development
- (3) Agency of Human Services
- (4) Vermont State Colleges
- (5) State Workforce Development Board
- (6) Vermont Adult Technical Education Association
- (7) VT Association of Career and Technical Education Directors
- (8) Regional Development Corporations
- (9) Employers & Industry Organizations
- (10) Vermont Student Assistance Corporation
- (11) Other groups or entities as appropriate.

(c) TBD (Assistance of Council and JFO – prob. not?)

(d) The Department may request additional support for subject matter and technical expertise from Executive Branch agencies and departments as is necessary to complete its work.

(e) Findings. The Department shall submit its report and any recommendations to the House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development and the Senate Committee on Economic Development, Housing, and General Affairs on or before February 1, 2020.

(f) Funding. The Department may use up to \$60,000 of workforce, education, and training funds described in 10 VSA §543 to support the development of the report. This funding may be used to support staff time, consultants, or the acquisition of other resources as necessary.