2021 SESSION

SENATE SUBSTITUTE

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1	SENATE BILL NO. 1357
2	AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
3	(Proposed by the Senate Committee on Education and Health
4	on January 28, 2021)
5	(Patron Prior to Substitute—Senator Dunnavant)
6	A BILL to direct the Board of Education to establish a through-year growth assessment system.
7	Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:
8	1. § 1. That the Board of Education shall establish, for the purpose of providing measures of individual
9	student growth over the course of the school year, a through-year growth assessment system. The system
10	shall provide accurate measurement of a student's performance in each core subject to begin during the
11	2021-2022 school year administered through computer adaptive technology, using test items below, at,
12	and above the student's grade level as necessary. Such through-year growth assessment system shall
13	include diagnostic assessment each fall, and again in the winter, and one spring progress assessment.