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SENATE BILL NO. 829

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A BILL to direct the Board of Education to establish guidelines for alternatives to suspension.

Patrons-Wexton and McClellan; Delegate: Kory

Referred to Committee on Education and Health

9 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

10 1. § 1. The Board of Education shall establish guidelines for alternatives to short-term and long-term
11 suspension for consideration by local school boards. Such alternatives may include positive behavior
12 incentives, mediation, peer-to-peer counseling, community service, and other intervention alternatives.