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C19-012

--In School Committee--
01/15/2019

Ordered:

That Whereas Cambridge supported the passage of the LOOK bill; and

Whereas the opportunity for all students to develop bilingualism and bi-literacy is an effective way to promote high achievement, intercultural facility and employment for students in immersion programs, those from bilingual households, and any other students engaged in language study; That the school district establish a task force including ESL, bilingual and world language educators and students to explore ways to support and expand language instruction in the district; and To establish a multi-tiered local seal of bi-literacy in addition to providing district students with the opportunity to earn the state seal of bi-literacy; Further, that the work be done in alignment with the Language Opportunity Coalition's work in this area.

A true copy:



Dosha E. Beard
Executive Secretary to the School Committee

c:
Member Nolan
Member Fantini

Motion # 19-10