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11	The Committee on Transportation and Economic Development
12	Appropriations (Fasano) recommended the following amendment:
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14	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
15	On page 3, between lines 17 and 18,
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17	insert:
18	Section 4. (1) Each district school board and county
19	supervisor of elections may cooperate to provide voter
20	education to high school students who are in grade 12. The
21	voter education may be in the form of a presentation and is
22	voluntary for public high schools and nonpublic high schools.
23	Each supervisor of elections may conduct the presentation for
24	the public high schools and, upon request, for the nonpublic
25	high schools.
26	(2) If provided, the voter education must include
27	information concerning:
28	(a) How to register and preregister to vote.
29	(b) The operation of voting machines.
30	(c) How, when, and where to vote.
31	(d) The importance of voting.
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1	(3) If provided, the voter education program must
2	provide students with the opportunity, sufficient information,
3	and sufficient time to complete and hand in to the supervisor
4	of elections applications for voter registration.
5	(4) If provided, the voter education program shall be
6	conducted during school hours each term of the school year in
7	order to reach a maximum number of students in the most
8	effective and efficient manner.
9	(5) If voter education is provided, a student may not
10	be excluded from the voter education program due to an
11	irregular class schedule, and students enrolled in a magnet
12	school must be provided the same opportunity for voter
13	education.
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15	(Redesignate subsequent sections.)
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18	======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ==========
19	And the title is amended as follows:
20	On page 1, line 17, after the semicolon,
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22	insert:
23	authorizing district school boards and county
24	supervisors of elections to cooperate to
25	provide a program of voter education for high
26	school seniors; providing guidelines for the
27	content of the educational program; requiring
28	that the program of voter education be
29	conducted during school hours;
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