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To enact sections 3313.907 and 3317.166 of the Revised Code to designate a JROTC or NDCC program offered by a school district as a career-technical education program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 3313.907 and 3317.166 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:

Sec. 3313.907. A school district may designate either of the following programs it offers and that is approved under Title 10 of the United States Code as part of the district's career-technical education program under section 3313.90 of the Revised Code:

(A) A junior reserve officer training corps (JROTC) program approved by the congress of the United States;

(B) A national defense cadet corps (NDCC) program approved by the secretary of a military department of the United States

armed forces, as defined in section 5910.01 of the Revised Code. 16

Sec. 3317.166. The department of education and workforce 17
shall include in the calculation of a city, local, exempted 18
village, or joint vocational school district's career-technical 19
education funding any program designated by the district as part 20
of its career-technical education program under section 3313.907 21
of the Revised Code. For that purpose, the department shall 22
determine in which category of career-technical education 23
programs under section 3317.014 of the Revised Code to include 24
those types of programs. 25