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SENATE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 587,  
L.D. 853, Bill, “An Act To Allow Secondary Schools To Grant Certificates of Academic  
Proficiency”

Amend the amendment in subsection 5 in the 2nd line from the end (page 1, line 21  
in amendment) by striking out the following: "shall collect" and inserting the following:  
'may collect'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment strikes the provision in the committee amendment to the bill that  
requires the Department of Education to collect and aggregate data reported by school  
administrative units that submit reports of certificates of content area proficiency issued  
to students who demonstrate proficiency. The amendment replaces this requirement with  
permissive language that allows the department to collect and report aggregate data  
reported by school administrative units.

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**SENATE AMENDMENT**