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Brief Description: Requiring a process for children who have received home-based instruction to receive a high school diploma.

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Provides for establishment of the process before February 1, 1997, for initial implementation in the 1997-98 school year.

Designates the requirements to be eligible for the diploma.

Requires recommendations to the legislature on methods to reimburse the school districts for costs of the program.

Prohibits four-year institutions from requiring a diploma for admission from home educated students.