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<u>21-137</u>	APPLY TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR APPROVAL OF THE LESS THAN ONE-YEAR CERTIFICATE IN SECURE PROGRAMMING FOR PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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REPORT:	The proposed Less Than One-Year Certificate in Secure Programming is designed to prepare students for the profession of Computer User Support Specialist. This 24- credit certificate would allow students to gain valuable skills in cybersecurity around secure software development.
RECOMMENDATION:	That the College be authorized to submit an application to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission for the Less Than One-Year Certificate in Secure Programming for Portland Community College.