

53B-17-103 General powers of University of Utah related to public broadcasting and telecommunication for education.

- (1) Subject to applicable rules of the Federal Communications Commission and the State Board of Regents, the University of Utah shall:
 - (a) serve as the state's provider of public television services, with programming from the Public Broadcasting Service and other syndicated and locally produced programs;
 - (b) serve as the state's primary provider of public radio services, with programming from National Public Radio and other syndicated and locally produced programs; and
 - (c) subject to Section 53B-7-103, accept and use gifts and apply for and receive funds from federal and other sources to carry out the purposes of this part.
- (2) Subject to future budget constraints, the Legislature shall provide an annual appropriation to operate KUED - TV.
- (3) This section neither regulates nor restricts a privately owned company in the distribution or dissemination of educational programs.

Amended by Chapter 150, 2006 General Session