

**STATE APPLIED TECHNOLOGY CENTERS**

2000 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Sponsor: Thomas V. Hatch**

AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EDUCATION; DESIGNATING THE STATE'S APPLIED TECHNOLOGY CENTERS TO INCLUDE THE SOUTHWEST APPLIED TECHNOLOGY CENTER; PROVIDING FOR FUNDING OF THE CENTER; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act affects sections of Utah Code Annotated 1953 as follows:

AMENDS:

**53A-15-202.5**, as enacted by Chapter 35, Laws of Utah 1999

This act enacts uncodified material.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

Section 1. Section **53A-15-202.5** is amended to read:

**53A-15-202.5. Applied technology centers.**

The following applied technology centers are established to assist in providing applied technology education in an efficient and cost-effective manner throughout the state:

- (1) Bridgerland Applied Technology Center;
- (2) Davis Applied Technology Center;
- (3) Ogden-Weber Applied Technology Center;
- (4) Wasatch Front South Applied Technology Center; [and]
- (5) Uintah Basin Applied Technology Center[.]; and
- (6) Southwest Applied Technology Center.

Section 2. **Legislative intent.**

(1) It is the intent of the Legislature that for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000, the current funding for the Southwest Applied Technology Service Region to public and higher education be consolidated as a public education appropriation to fund the Southwest Applied

28 Technology Center.

29 (2) It is the intent of the Legislature that for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000, and for  
30 each fiscal year thereafter, the Legislature shall provide a line item under public education in the  
31 Appropriations Act to fund the Southwest Applied Technology Center.

32 Section 3. **Effective date.**

33 This act takes effect on July 1, 2000.

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**Legislative Review Note**

**as of 1-25-00 8:07 AM**

A limited legal review of this legislation raises no obvious constitutional or statutory concerns.

**Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel**