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Mr. President:

The Education Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **S.B. 151**, DRIVER EDUCATION AMENDMENTS, by Senator T. Hatch, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 13 through 14:*

13 determining the cost of driver education for funding purposes; ~~{and}~~

▶ clarifies that the date a local school board is required to report certain driver education information to the state superintendent of public instruction is no later than October 1 of each year;

▶ provides that if a local school board does not report certain driver education information to the state superintendent of public instruction, the school district may not be reimbursed for certain driver education costs; and

14 ▶ makes technical changes.

2. *Page 1, Line 21:*

21 53A-13-202, as last amended by Chapter 23, Laws of Utah 2003

53A-13-204, as last amended by Chapter 32, Laws of Utah 2003

3. *Page 2, Lines 38 through 41:*

38 (2) (a) ~~{The}~~ Except as provided in Subsection 53A-13-204(2), the state
superintendent of public instruction shall, prior to September 2nd

39 following the school year during which it was expended, or may at earlier intervals during
that

40 school year, reimburse each school district that applied for reimbursement in accordance
with

41 this section.

4. *Page 3, Line 69:*

69 that are not otherwise covered by reimbursements and allocations made under this

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section.

Section 2. Section 53A-13-204 is amended to read:

53A-13-204. Reports as to costs of driver training programs.

(1) A local school board seeking reimbursement shall, at the end of each school year **but no later than October 1 of each year** and at other times as designated by the State Board of Education, report the following to the state superintendent of public instruction:

~~{(1)}~~ **(a)** the costs of providing driver education including a separate accounting for:
~~{(a)}~~ **(i)** course work; and
~~{(b)}~~ **(ii)** behind-the-wheel and observation training to students;
~~{(2)}~~ **(b)** the costs of fees waived under Section 53A-12-103 for driver education including a separate accounting for:

~~{(a)}~~ **(i)** course work; and
~~{(b)}~~ **(ii)** behind-the-wheel and observation training to students;
~~{(3)}~~ **(c)** the number of students who completed driver education including a separate accounting for:

~~{(a)}~~ **(i)** course work; and
~~{(b)}~~ **(ii)** behind-the-wheel and observation training to students;
~~{(4)}~~ **(d)** whether or not a passing grade was received; and
~~{(5)}~~ **(e)** any other information the State Board of Education may require for the purpose of administering this program.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision under this part, a school district may not be reimbursed in accordance with Section 53A-13-202 if the local school board does not report to the state superintendent of public instruction as required under this section.

Respectfully,

David L. Thomas
Committee Chair

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