

**Representative Kory M. Holdaway** proposes the following substitute bill:

**HIGHER EDUCATION ENHANCEMENTS**

2008 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Chief Sponsor: Dennis E. Stowell**

House Sponsor: Kory M. Holdaway

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill appropriates monies to certain institutions within the State System of Higher Education.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- ▶ appropriates monies for various programs to:
  - Utah Valley State College; and
  - the State Board of Regents.

**Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

This bill appropriates:

- ▶ as an ongoing appropriation subject to future budget constraints, \$2,000,000 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2008-09 to certain institutions within the State System of Higher Education; and
- ▶ \$10,000,000 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2008-09 only to the State Board of Regents.

**Other Special Clauses:**

This bill takes effect on July 1, 2008.

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

27 Section 1. **Appropriation.**

28 As an ongoing appropriation subject to future budget constraints, there is appropriated  
29 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2008-09, \$2,000,000 to Utah Valley State College for  
30 university status as follows:

31 (1) increasing full-time faculty and aligning faculty teaching loads;

32 (2) academic advising;

33 (3) enhancing and expanding undergraduate programs;

34 (4) providing master's degree programs; and

35 (5) graduate program faculty and student support.

36 Section 2. **One-time Appropriation.**

37 There is appropriated \$10,000,000 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2008-09  
38 only to the State Board of Regents as follows:

39 (1) \$4,000,000 to the Higher Education Technology Initiative;

40 (2) \$1,000,000 to the Utah Academic Library Consortium;

41 (3) \$2,000,000 to the Regents' Scholarship Program as created in Section 53B-8-108;

42 and

43 (4) \$3,000,000 to the Utah Centennial Opportunity Program for Education.

44 Section 3. **Effective date.**

45 This bill takes effect on July 1, 2008.